

COVID 19 Pre-Hospital Wrist Band Tracking V1.0

All agency ambulances will be receiving RED wrist bands for usage on all transported patients.

These wristbands are to be placed on every patient transported to any hospital, for any reason.

(not just patients screened positive)

The intent is to ensure patient tracking of all ambulance transports.

The bands are to remain on the patient for the duration of stay at a hospital and are not to be removed by hospital staff until discharged.

In the event a patient tests positive for COVID 19, having these bands will allow for faster notification and identification of affected prehospital personnel.

Steps

1. Ambulance Paramedics **document the F# in Black Sharpie** on the red wristband before patient transfer.
2. Disinfect the Sharpie after use with equipment wipe

