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Advances and Perspectives in Prehospital Emergency Medicine

Message from the Guest Editor

Prehospital emergency medicine has considerably evolved in recent decades. Tremendous progress has been made in many areas such as airway management and circulatory support. In addition, the organization of prehospital emergency services differs markedly from one region of the world to another. The professional background, specific training and level of experience of prehospital providers vary greatly according to regional resources and constraints. These parameters can markedly influence the outcome of critically ill patients, and their study deserves special attention. Further adding to the complexity of the prehospital domain, different countries have widely disparate policies regarding first aid education for laypersons and their involvement in first responder networks. Because the vital and neurological prognoses of cardiac arrest victims significantly depend on the rapid initiation of basic life support maneuvers, all interventions that could improve the number of first responders and the geographic coverage of these networks should be described and evaluated. We therefore welcome all manuscripts covering any of the aforementioned areas.

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