

Oakland County Medical Control Authority  
EMS Advisory



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## ATTENTION Oakland County EMS

MDHHS approved the following OCMCA protocols:

**6-1 Agency and EMS Personnel Criteria for Participation:** The new staffing protocol affects recent changes in OCMCA staffing requirements. For ALS, staffing will be a minimum of one paramedic and one EMT. BLS staffing will require one EMT and one MFR, as a minimum.

**6-17.1 New or Upgraded EMS Agency Application:** Changed to reflect 6-1.

**6-3 Alternate ALS Staffing Policy:** Deleted.

**6-13 Interim EMS Life Support Policy:** Deleted.

Since your 2017 Letter of Compliance has been submitted, the process to implement, if necessary, will be as follows:

**The CEO/Fire Chief send a letter to the OCMCA electing to follow the new staffing protocols. This will serve as an amendment to your current Letter of Compliance. This also applies to all LSA's currently under the Alternate ALS Staffing Policy.**

The earliest date to start implementation is February 1, 2017, with a letter submitted to the OCMCA **prior** to implementation.

**PLEASE CONTACT THE OCMCA WITH ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS**