



**Rancho Los Amigos National Rehabilitation Center  
PHYSICAL THERAPY DEPARTMENT  
POLICY AND PROCEDURE**

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**PROCEDURE FOR MAINTAINING  
DEFIBRILLATOR ON CRASH CART**

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**WARNING:** This piece of equipment stores very high voltages. Extreme caution should be used when checking or using this equipment. Never touch metal surfaces when paddle cable is connected to defibrillator.

**PROCEDURE:** Refer to Administration Policy and Procedure No. B869 ***"Routine Cleaning and Crash Cart Exchange System"*** (Attachment A and accompanying attachment Crash Cart Checklist regarding Defibrillator check)

  
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