

**HACKETTSTOWN REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER
CARDIO PULMONARY POLICY MANUAL
EMERGENCY PROTOCOL**

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Purpose: To provide guidelines in what to do in the case of a medical emergency.

Procedure: 1. All Pacemaker personnel will be CPR Certified. RN will be ACLS certified.

2. In the event of cardiac or respiratory arrest, the Code Buzzer will be pressed and the operator will report a Code Blue in Pacemaker Clinic. CPR will be initiated immediately.

3. If the patient is noted to have a change in condition, the staff caring for the patient must notify the Rapid Response Team. (Refer to the Rapid Response Team Policy).

If the patient should fall or become injured inside or outside of the facility, the staff must call a Code Help. (Refer to Code Help Policy).