

WAC 246-976-300 Ground ambulance and aid service—Equipment.

Ground ambulance and aid services must provide equipment listed in Table A of this section on each licensed vehicle, when available for service.

	AMBULANCE	AID VEHICLE
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TABLE A: EQUIPMENT		
AIRWAY MANAGEMENT		
Airway Adjuncts		
Oral airway adult and pediatric	asst	asst
Suction		
Portable	1	1
Vehicle mounted and powered, providing: Minimum of 30 L/min. & vacuum > 300 mm Hg	1	0
Tubing, suction	1	1
Bulb syringe, pediatric	1	1
Rigid suction tips	2	1
Catheters as required by local protocol		
Water-soluble lubricant	1	1
Oxygen delivery system built in	1	0
3000 L Oxygen supply, with regulator, 500 PSI minimum, or equivalent liquid oxygen system	1	0
300 L Oxygen supply, with regulator, 500 PSI minimum, or equivalent liquid oxygen system	2	1
Cannula, nasal, adult	4	2
O ₂ mask, nonrebreather, adult	4	2
O ₂ mask, nonrebreather, pediatric	2	1
BVM, with O ₂ reservoir		
Adult, pediatric, infant	1 ea	1 ea
PATIENT ASSESSMENT AND CARE		
Assessment		
Sphygmomanometer		
Adult, large	1	1
Adult, regular	1	1
Pediatric	1	1
Stethoscope, adult	1	1
Thermometer, per county protocol	1	0
Flashlight, w/spare or rechargeable batteries & bulb	1	1
Defibrillation capability appropriate to the level of personnel	1	1
Personal infection control and protective equipment as required by the department of labor and industries		
Length based tool for estimating pediatric medication and equipment sizes	1	1
TRAUMA EMERGENCIES		
Triage identification for 12 patients per county protocol	Yes	Yes
Wound care		
Dressing, sterile	asst	asst
Dressing, sterile, trauma	2	2
Roller gauze bandage	asst	asst
Medical tape	asst	asst

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Self adhesive bandage strips	asst	asst
Cold packs	4	2
Occlusive dressings	2	2
Scissors, bandage	1	1
Irrigation solution	2	1
Splinting		
Backboard with straps	2	1
Head immobilization equipment	1	1
Pediatric immobilization device	1	1
Extrication collars, rigid		
Adult (small, medium, large)	asst	asst
Pediatric or functionally equivalent sizes	asst	asst
Immobilizer, cervical/thoracic, adult	1	0
Splint, traction, adult w/straps	1	0
Splint, traction, pediatric, w/straps	1	0
Splint, adult (arm and leg)	2 ea	1 ea
Splint, pediatric (arm and leg)	1 ea	1 ea
General		
Litter, wheeled, collapsible, with a functional restraint system per the manufacturer	1	0
Pillows, plastic covered or disposable	2	0
Pillow case, cloth or disposable	4	0
Sheets, cloth or disposable	4	2
Blankets	2	2
Towels, cloth or disposable 12" x 23" minimum	4	2
Emesis collection device	1	1
Urinal	1	0
Bed pan	1	0
OB kit	1	1
Epinephrine and supplies appropriate for level of certification per MPD protocols		
Adult	1	1
Pediatric	1	1

Storage and handling of pharmaceuticals in ambulances and aid vehicles must be in compliance with the manufacturers' recommendations

Extrication plan: Agency must document how extrication will be provided when needed.

[Statutory Authority: Chapters 18.71, 18.73, and 70.168 RCW. WSR 11-07-078, § 246-976-300, filed 3/22/11, effective 5/15/11; WSR 00-08-102, § 246-976-300, filed 4/5/00, effective 5/6/00. Statutory Authority: RCW 43.70.040 and chapters 18.71, 18.73 and 70.168 RCW. WSR 93-01-148 (Order 323), § 246-976-300, filed 12/23/92, effective 1/23/93.]