SECTION 11.3
CODE WHITE PEDIATRIC

PROCEDURES TO BE FOLLOWED IN THE EVENT A PEDIATRIC MEDICAL EMERGENCY OCCURS AT LOMA LINDA UNIVERSITY

Please reference below the LLUMC Emergency Operations Plan Section 11.3

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<th>PREPARATION</th>
<th>1. Staff are educated for a Pediatric Code White event in the following venues:</th>
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<td>Education &amp; Training</td>
<td>• All education is area specific</td>
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<td>• General Orientation (Staff Development)</td>
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<td>• Intershift Educations sent out periodically</td>
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<td>• 10 minute in-services sent out periodically</td>
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<td>• Automatic External Defibrillator (AED) Competency for staff who have been issue a BLS card</td>
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<td>• A train the AED trainer course was offered for the Unit/Department Educators</td>
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<td>• Mock code White classes held at Staff Development</td>
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<td>• Life Support Education offers for employees Basic (BLS) and Advanced (PALS, NRP)</td>
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<td>• Unscheduled mock code white are held on campus</td>
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Standardized General Orientation handouts for Code White Events will be made available for faculty and staff.
### MITIGATION
#### Prevention Considerations

1. Pediatric Code White Sub-Committee:
   - Reports to CodeWhite Sub-Committee
   - Reviews information provided by the code white evaluation forms.

2. Code White Sub-Committee:
   - Establishes standards for:
     - Emergency equipment and drugs
     - Emergency management procedure
     - Resuscitative activities
   - Monitors outcomes related to resuscitation
   - Designates were Code White carts shall be located
   - Designates Code White team members
   - Designates training requirements for Code White members

### RESPONSE
#### Special NICU Protocol

1. A special protocol exists for events in the NICU.
   - The protocol applies only to events entirely within NICU.
   - NICU staff are trained and coordinated internally for immediate response.
   - NICU events are called internally, by the overhead intercom

#### Standard Pediatric Code White Response

2. Immediate response mechanism is operational at all times to ensure mobilization of a Code White team by telephone.
   - dial 55555
   - FMO dial 7777
   - All LLU buildings dial 911.

3. A Pediatric Rapid Response Team reduces the number of cardiopulmonary arrests outside of the emergency, and PICU. The team consist of:
   - Intensivist PICU or Pediatric Hospitalist
   - Charge Nurse PICU
   - Respiratory Care Practitioner (RCP) Supervisor
   - WAMO resident

4. Code Team members carry specific code white pagers that are passed to their counterparts at shift change or for on-call status on weekends and holidays. The team consists of:
   - Attending PICU
   - Anesthesiology Resident
   - Registered Nurse, PICU
   - Charge Nurse, PICU
   - Respiratory Care Practitioner (RCP)
   - Administrative Supervisor or Designee
RECOVERY

1. Code White Process Coordinator:

   • Reports to Code White Subcommittee
   • Reviews Physician, Nursing, and Respiratory charting and brings concerns to Code White Sub-Committee to review.
   • Conducts periodical physical inspections of all Code White equipment, carts and documentation.
   • Synthesizes data from physical inspections and analysis of documentation.
   • Developments and implements action plans to address issues concerning Code White.

2. Issues concerning Code White response improvements are returned to Code White Subcommittee for review and decision.