# **Recommended Pediatric Equipment Checklist**

**Monitoring** 

Equipment	Yes	No
Defibrillator (0-400J) capability with pediatric paddles (4.5 cm)		
Pediatric monitor electrodes		
Pulse oximeter with sensors sizes (newborn through adult)		
Thermometer/rectal probe*		
Blood Pressure cuffs-neonatal, infant child, adult and thigh cuff		
Method to monitor endotracheal tube and placement†		

#### **Vascular Access**

Equipment	Yes	No
Butterfly needles (19-25-gauge)		
Catheter-over-needle devices (14 to 24 gauge)		
Infusion device‡		
Tubing for above		
Intraosseous needles (16 and 18 gauge)§		
Arm boards – (infant, child)		
Intravenous fluid/blood warmers		
Umbilical vein catheters (sizes 3.5 Fr and 5 Fr)!!		
Seldinger technique vascular access kit (with pediatric sizes 3, 4, 5, Fr catheters)		

<sup>‡</sup> To regulate rate and volume.

<sup>\*</sup> Suitable for hypothermic and hyperthermic measurements with temperature capability from 25°to 44°. † May be satisfied by a disposable ET co² detector, bulb, or feeding tube methods for endotracheal tube placement.

<sup>§</sup> May be satisfied by standard bone marrow aspiration needles, 13- or 15- gauge.

<sup>!!</sup> Available within the hospital

**Airway Management** 

Equipment	Yes	No
Clear oxygen masks (preterm, infant, child, and adult sizes)		
Non-breathing masks (infant, child, and adult sizes)		
Oral airways (sizes 00-5)		
Nasopharyngeal airways (12 to 30 fr)		
Bag-valve-mask Resuscitator, self-inflating (450and 1000 mL sizes)		
Nasal cannulae (infant, child, and adult sizes)		
Endotracheal tubes: uncuffed (sizes 2.5 to 8.5) and cuffed (sizes 5.5 to 9)		
Stylets (pediatric)		
Laryngoscope handle (pediatric)		
Laryngoscope Blades, curved (sizes 2 and 3) and straight (1 to 3)		
Magil forceps (pediatric)		
Nasogastric tubes (sizes 6 to 14 Fr)		
Suction catheters: flexible (sizes 5 to 16 Fr) and Yankauer suction tip		
Chest tubes (sizes 8to 40 Fr)		
Tracheostomy tubes (sizes 00 to 6 )¶  ¶ Ensure availability of pediatric sizes within the hospital		

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### **Resuscitation Medications**

Equipment	Yes	No
Medication chart, tape, or other system to ensure ready access to information on proper per kilogram doses for resuscitation drugs and equipment sizes#		

<sup>#</sup> System for estimating medication doses and supplies may use the length based method with color codes, or other predetermined weight (kilogram)/dose method.

# Miscellaneous

Equipment		No
Infant and standard scales		
Infant formula and oral rehydrating solutions		
Heating source (infrared lamps or overhead warmer)		
Pediatric restraining devices		
Resuscitation board		

Specialized pediatric trays

Equipment	Yes	No
Lumbar puncture (spinal needle sizes 20-, 22-, and 25- gauge)		
Tube thoracotomy with water seal drainage capability		
Urinary catheterization with pediatric Foley catheters		
Obstetric pack		
Newborn kit – umbilical vessel cannulation supplies, meconium aspirator		
Venous cutdown		
Surgical airway kit‡‡		

<sup>‡‡</sup> May include any of the following items: tracheostomy tray, cricothyrotomy tray, ETJV (needle jet).

Fracture management

Equipment	Yes	No
Cervical immobilization equipment (sizes child to adult)§§		
Extremity splints		
Femur splints (child and adult sizes)		

§§ Many types of cervical immobilization devices are available. These include wedges and collars. The type of device hosen depends on local preference and policies and procedures. Whatever device is chosen should be stocked in sizes to fit infants, children, adolescents, and adults. The use of sandbags to meet this requirement is discouraged because they may cause injury if he patient has to be turned.

American Academy of Pediatrics, Care of Children in the Emergency Department: Guideline for Preparedness.

# **Medications**

Drug	Supplied	Quantity/container
Atropine	Pre-filled syringe	10 mL (0.1 mg/mL) 5 mL (0.1 mg/mL)
Adenosine	Vial	1 mL (1 mg/mL)
Bretylium	Pre-filled syringe Ampule Vial	10 mL (50 mg/mL) 10 mL (50 mg/mL) 20 mL (50 mg/mL)
Calcium chloride	Pre-filled syringe	10 mL (100 mg/mL=27.1mg elemental calcium
Dextrose (25% and 50%)	Pre-filled syringe	10 mL
Dopamine	Vial	5 mL (40 mg/ml) 10 mL (40 mg/mL)
Dobutamine	Vial	10 mL (25 mg/mL) 20 mL (12.5 mg/mL)
Epinephrine 1:1000	Pre-filled syringe Vial	1 mL, 2 mL 30 mL (1 mg/mL)
Epinephrine 1:10,000	Pre-filled syringe	10 mL (0.1 mg/mL) 3 mL (0.1 mg/mL)
Isoproterenol	Vial	5 mL (0.2 mg/mL)
Lidocaine	Pre-filled syringe Vial	5 mg/mL, 10 mg/mL, 15 mg/mL, 20 mg/mL, 40 mg/mL, 100 mg/mL, 200 mg/mL
	Ampule	5 mL (20 mg/mL)
Naloxone	Vial	1 mL, 10 mL, (0.4 mg/ml) 2 mL (1 mg/mL)
Sodium Bicarbonate	Pre-filled syringe	50 mL (8.4%) (1 mEq/mL) 10 mL (8.4%) (1 mEq/mL) 10 mL (4.2%) (0.5 mEq/mL)