

# MEDICAL EMERGENCIES CODE BLUE

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Initiate a CODE BLUE response on any person who experiences a sudden cessation of vital signs or are in a life-threatening situation by either activating a CODE BLUE alarm in the room or by calling 5555 from any IMH phone. The caller will stay with the person. All CODE BLUE team members will respond immediately.

## Outpatient CODE BLUE

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Outpatient locations:

- Cancer Center
- Outpatient Rehabilitation
- Dialysis Department
- IMH public areas (interior)

**IMH parking lot and outside of main building –  
Call 911**



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## CODE BLUE Team Members

- RN in charge of patient
- ED Physician/Hospitalist/Pediatrician
- ED RN
- ED Tech
- Medical/Surgical RN
- WCC RN
- House Supervisor/Department Manager
- Cardiopulmonary
- Radiology
- Security/Engineering
- Laboratory Staff
- Pharmacist (during business hours)

Refer to Policy HW051

