



Jackson Hole Fire/EMS Operations Manual

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Abdominal Pain**

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Abdominal Pain (Treatment Protocol)

ALL PROVIDERS

- Perform ABC's
 - Ensure an adequate airway.
- Position for comfort.
- O₂ at 2-6 liters per minute by nasal cannula. Increase to non-rebreather as needed to obtain oxygen saturation $\geq 94\%$ Transport ASAP.
- Patient should have nothing by mouth, (NPO).
- Obtain OB/GYN history in females of childbearing age.

ADULT

EMT-INTERMEDIATE PROVIDER

- IV NS, large bore TKO
 - May bolus / titrate flow rate to raise BP >80 systolic.
 - Avoid delaying transport for IV
- Cardiac monitor.
- Establish second large bore IV as needed.
- If nauseated or considering narcotic analgesic, consider **Ondansetron**
- Consider **Fentanyl** for pain

PEDIATRIC (<45 kg)

EMT-INTERMEDIATE PROVIDER

- IV NS, large bore TKO.
 - May bolus / titrate flow rate to raise BP to age appropriate level.
 - Avoid delaying transport for IV
- Cardiac monitor.
- Establish second large bore IV as needed.
- **Children 6 mo – 12 yrs old:** If nauseated or considering narcotic analgesic, consider **Ondansetron**
- Consider **Fentanyl** for pain

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