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TO: ALL LUCAS COUNTY PARAMEDICS

FROM: Brent Parquette, NREMT-P  
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SUBJECT: **Continuing Education – June 2010**

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June continuing education classes will be dedicated to a review of AMA, refusals, MC contact, and patient care reporting requirements. You will also be introduced to the Sandhu Cerebral Cooling Collar (SC-Cubed) that will augment your approach to therapeutic hypothermia. Skill stations will focus on “real-time” cardiac arrest care, with all interventions performed as if in the field. I ask that you review the following LCEMS protocols to help better prepare you for class:

- TAB 100 – Operational Procedures
  - Section P: On-Line Medical Control Contact
  - Section Q: Patient Care Report (PCR) – On-Line Medical Control
  - Section R: Refusal of Treatment or Transport
  
- TAB 800 – Cardiac Protocols
  - Section A: Asystole
  - Section D: Cardiac Arrest
  - Section G: Discontinuation of Prehospital Resuscitation
  - Section I: Induced Cooling by EMS (ICE)
  - Section J: Post-Resuscitation Care
  - Section L: Pulseless Electrical Activity (PEA)
  - Section P: Ventricular Fibrillation / Pulseless Ventricular Tachycardia

I look forward to seeing you in the coming month. If you have any questions or comments please feel free to contact me thru e-mail or by phone.

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