Massachusetts EMS Region III STEMI Point of Entry Plan

Emergency Medical Technicians at the Paramedic level, who have confirmed the presence of an ST segment elevation myocardial infarction (STEMI) via 12-lead ECG (1mm ST elevation in two or more contiguous leads, typically with reciprocal changes, shall transport to the closest PCI center as identified below in accordance with the "DPH-Approved Statewide Point of Entry Plan and Algorithm for Paramedic Level Transported STEMI Patients". Paramedics should consider contacting their on-line medical control facility in situations where the patient may be unstable or if they are unsure of the appropriate services required for the patient in their care.

The following area hospitals have been approved by the Department of Public Health as PCI centers for the purposes of EMS STEMI Point-of-Entry for Region III Ambulance Services as of May 2016.

Region III

Beverly Hospital
Holy Family Hospital
Lawrence General Hospital
Lowell General Hospital
Melrose-Wakefield Hospital
Northshore Medical Center/Salem

Region IV

Beth Israel Deaconess Boston Medical Center Brigham and Women's Lahey Clinic MA General Hospital Mt. Auburn Hospital Tufts Medical Center

New Hampshire

Exeter Hospital Portsmouth Regional Hospital Southern New Hampshire Medical Center St. Joseph Hospital