Advanced Life Support Services
Pursuant to the Provisions of the New Jersey Administrative Code
Specifically, N.J.A.C. 8:41-1.4, a waiver is issued to:

ALL Mobile Intensive Care Unit (MICU) Providers

Granting relief from the following provision(s) of Chapter 8:41 of the New Jersey Administrative Code in response to the public health emergency declared in New Jersey in response to the Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) outbreak:

N.J.A.C. 8:41-9.8 Required crewmembers

(a) When “in service,” each MICU shall be staffed by at least two persons, as follows:

1. Two EMT-Paramedics;
2. Two registered nurses who meet the requirements set forth at N.J.A.C. 8:41-9.9; or
3. One registered nurse who meets the requirements set forth at N.J.A.C. 8:41-9.9 and one EMT-Paramedic.

This waiver is subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. Each MICU provider may utilize one (1) EMT and one (1) paramedic or mobile intensive care nurse as minimum staffing for an in-service MICU if both individuals are at least 18 years of age and render care within their respective scopes of practice.
2. The paramedic or mobile intensive care nurse will provide the primary patient care.
3. The vehicle must be equipped to the standards of N.J.A.C. 8:41-3.4 and N.J.A.C. 8:41-6.1 inclusive of any applicable waivers as issued by the Department, in sufficient quality to address patient needs.

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