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**TREATMENT PROTOCOL**

**CHEST PAIN**

1. Symptoms/Presentation:

- Chest aching, squeezing, pressure, heaviness, tightness
- Burning pain in chest
- Shortness of breath
- Possible pain in jaws and teeth
- Possible pain radiating down left or right arm or side
- Sweating
- Feelings of 'doom' and 'apprehension'
- Indigestion

2. Call 9-1-1 Dispatch for EMTs

3. Make inmate comfortable.

4. If experiencing shortness of breath, have inmate sit up or elevate head with a pillow.

5. Gather information for EMTs arrival:

- Is the inmate taking any medications?

6. Relay all information to EMTs.