

Unit 16 — English for EMT Staff I



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Apprise

to provide relevant information about an ongoing situation

"Please apprise me of the patients' condition if it changes."

AED (Automated external defibrillator)

a portable device that can detect and treat cardiac arrhythmia by means of powerful electric shocks

"When the patient was hooked up to the AED it showed an arrhythmia and administered a small shock to correct it."

CPR (Cardiopulmonary resuscitation)

a first aid technique involving chest compressions and rescue breaths to prevent damage to vital organs

"A lot of first aiders learn CPR in the event of an emergency."

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