CODE BLUE—MEDICAL EMERGENCY

CODE RECORDER

You have been assigned to document the code.

Actions to Take:

- **Identify yourself** as the Code Recorder

- **Document** events and times on the *Code Blue Response Record (located on clipboard, bottom drawer of Emergency Cart)*

- Use **one watch or clock** to keep track of time throughout the code
  It is important to accurately document times so that medication dosage intervals can be tracked

As Code Recorder, you must not take on any other activities that could distract you from this role.

See over for events to document during the code >>>

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Events to document during the code:

- Time the code was **called**
- **Names** of staff directly involved
- Client **condition** at beginning of code
- Assessment **findings** *(vital signs, blood sugar measurements etc.)*
- **Procedures** performed and by whom
- **Medications** administered
- Client **response** to treatment
- Time at which code **ended**
- **Condition** of client at end of code
- Calls to EMS
- **Outcome** of code

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