
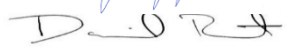




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## EMS SYSTEM ADVISORY #2022-11/28

**TO:** Riverside County EMS System

**FROM:** Reza Vaezazizi MD, Medical Director   
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**SUBJECT:** CQI process follow-up: i-gel supraglottic airway device and OG tube insertion

**DATE:** November 28, 2022

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In order to provide further clarification regarding the insertion of the i-gel supraglottic airway device (i-gel) and the orogastric (OG) tube, a brief training video has been prepared that gives better insight into the appropriate, and proper, use and introduction of these devices. It also re-introduces the REMSA-approved skills verification forms (SVFs).

The training video, titled, “PUC Education Module #4: CQI FOLLOW-UP: i-gel:SGA & OG tube (Updated Nov 2022),” can be found under the “Fall 2022” header, here: <https://rivcoems.org/Education/Policy-Protocol-Updates/Current-Year>.

The updated SVFs, complete ALS Skills Competency Verification (SCV) packet with updated i-gel and OG SVFs included, and copies of REMSA Policy #4104 with clarified indication, contraindication and / or expectation language for the i-gel and OG tube skills can be found within the Trainer Resources folder, here: [https://ftp.co.riverside.ca.us/public/folder/nq9qlRi2u0C2PEuxzmTdjA/PUC\\_2022\\_FALL\\_TrainerResources](https://ftp.co.riverside.ca.us/public/folder/nq9qlRi2u0C2PEuxzmTdjA/PUC_2022_FALL_TrainerResources).

As with all PUC education and training, REMSA’s expectation is that all prehospital personnel introducing, or assisting with the introduction of, the i-gel or OG tube review and understand the updated materials in order to meet the educational standards for this education cycle.

