

Sticking Points:



COMMON CONCERNS SEEN BY EMSQA

SCAPE: Sympathetic Crashing Acute Pulmonary Edema

Patients require immediate treatment right where you find them

Prior to any movement of the patient:

- ✓ **Give 0.8 NTG under the tongue**
- ✓ **Assess EtCO₂ with the cannula**
- ✓ **Apply CPAP**
 - **Do NOT waste time with a NRB or neb**
 - **ONLY CPAP only will oxygenate the patient and improve ventilation**



- ✓ **Get the NITRO Infusion started**
 - **Draw up 2mL (10mg) and add to a 100mL bag**
 - **Label the bag**
 - **Start the infusion then immediately start the bolus**
 - **Only stop the infusion if the patient arrests**



Now you are ready to move the patient