

Abandonment

Advance directive

Assault

Battery

Capacity

Chain of custody

Compare expressed consent, implied consent, and involuntary consent

Consent

Define consent and how it relates to decision making

Define ethics and morality and their implications for the EMT

<p>Definition: Ending care without ensuring equivalent care or valid refusal process.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Avoid by transferring stable handoffs or staying until disposition is appropriate. Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Written instructions about desired treatments when the patient cannot speak.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Honor when valid and applicable; coordinate with medical direction about scope limits. Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>
<p>Definition: Threat of unwanted touching or credible fear of harm; definitions vary by statute.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Documentation and law enforcement coordination per policy. Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Unwanted touching of a competent patient without consent or valid exception.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Why consent processes matter even with good intentions. Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>
<p>Definition: Ability to understand, appreciate, reason, and decide about care.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Core test for valid refusal. Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Documented control transfer for forensic items.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Preserve evidence integrity when crime scenes overlap EMS. Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>
<p>Definition: Knowledge/skills objective (printed page 85); confirm wording in your course copy. Source row: pdf_objective</p> <p>Book reference: Printed page 85. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Permission for care from a patient with decision-making capacity.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Required for non-emergency touch and procedures when the patient can choose. Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>
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<p>Describe local EMS system protocols for using forcible restraint</p>	<p>Describe the EMT's legal duty to act</p>
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<p>Describe the relationship between patient communications, confidentiality, and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)</p>	<p>Describe the roles and responsibilities of the EMT in court</p>
<p>disaster</p>	<p>Discuss consent by minors for treatment or transport</p>
<p>Discuss the EMT's role and obligations if a patient refuses treatment or transport</p>	<p>Discuss the importance of do not resuscitate (DNR) orders and local protocols as they relate to the EMS environment</p>

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<p>Definition: From textbook knowledge objective; verify wording in your print textbook. Source row: extract_objective Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Knowledge/skills objective (printed page 85); confirm wording in your course copy. Source row: pdf_objective Book reference: Printed page 85. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>
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<p>Definition: preparedness/ethical---ems---info-paper.pdf. Source row: extract_full_book Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Knowledge/skills objective (printed page 85); confirm wording in your course copy. Source row: pdf_objective Book reference: Printed page 85. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>
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<p>Discuss the issues of negligence, abandonment, assault and battery, and kidnapping and their implications for the EMT</p>	<p>Discuss the scope of practice and standards of care</p>
<p>Duty to act</p>	<p>Emancipated minor</p>
<p>Explain how to manage patients who are identified as organ donors</p>	<p>Explain the reporting requirements for special situations, including abuse, drug- or felony- related injuries, childbirth, and crime scenes</p>
<p>Expressed consent</p>	<p>Good Samaritan laws</p>
<p>HIPAA</p>	<p>Implied consent</p>

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<p>Definition: Legal or contractual obligation to respond and provide care within scope. Notes / acronyms / usage: Varies by employment, licensure, and Good Samaritan statutes by jurisdiction. Source row: curated_ch01_05 Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Minor treated as adult for medical decisions per law. Notes / acronyms / usage: Know jurisdictional rules affecting consent. Source row: curated_ch01_05 Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>
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<p>Definition: Clear verbal or written agreement to treatment after adequate disclosure. Notes / acronyms / usage: Typical model for alert adults who understand risks and benefits. Source row: curated_ch01_05 Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Statutes limiting liability for voluntary emergency aid in defined circumstances. Notes / acronyms / usage: Read your state's conditions and scope limits. Source row: curated_ch01_05 Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>
<p>Definition: Federal privacy rule limiting disclosure of protected health information. Notes / acronyms / usage: Share PHI only for treatment, operations, and legally permitted disclosures with minimum necessary. Source row: curated_ch01_05 Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Assumed permission when the patient cannot respond and urgent care is needed. Notes / acronyms / usage: Basis for treating unconscious patients when delay would cause harm. Source row: curated_ch01_05 Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>

Informed refusal

Mandatory reporting

Negligence

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**Recognize the importance of medical
identification devices in treating the
patient**

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<p>Definition: Competent patient declines care after risks and alternatives are explained.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Requires capacity assessment, clear explanation, signed documentation per policy, and offered alternatives.</p> <p>Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Legal duty to report suspected abuse/neglect or certain injuries to authorities.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Know state lists (child, elder, intimate partner violence, gunshot rules) and agency policy.</p> <p>Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>
<p>Definition: Breach of duty that causes harm when a prudent provider would have acted differently.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Prevent by following scope, protocols, thorough assessment, and good documentation.</p> <p>Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Portable orders about desired interventions in serious illness.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Coordinate with family and medical direction on applicability.</p> <p>Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>
<p>Definition: Knowledge/skills objective (printed page 85); confirm wording in your course copy.</p> <p>Source row: pdf_objective</p> <p>Book reference: Printed page 85. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	<p>Definition: Harmful false spoken or written statements.</p> <p>Notes / acronyms / usage: Avoid defaming patients or agencies in public forums.</p> <p>Source row: curated_ch01_05</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>
<p>Definition: 1-1 call for chest.</p> <p>Source row: extract_full_book</p> <p>Book reference: Printed pages 85–116. Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, 12th ed.</p>	