

### **Pertinent Assessment Findings**

1. Concomitant trauma
2. Diaphoresis or hypothermia may be associated with hypoglycemia

### **Quality Improvement**

**Associated NEMSIS Protocol(s) (eProtocol.01)** (*for additional information, go to [www.nemsis.org](http://www.nemsis.org)*)

- 9914125 – Medical - Hypoglycemia/Diabetic Emergency

### **Key Documentation Elements**

- Document reassessment of vital signs and mental status after administration of glucose/dextrose/glucagon
- Document point of care glucose level (if in scope of practice) when indicated

### **Performance Measures**

- When in scope of practice, blood glucose is checked for all patients with symptoms of altered level of consciousness, seizure, stroke, or hypoglycemia
- If patient released at scene, criteria documented for safe release
- ***National EMS Quality Alliance (NEMSQA) Performance Measures*** (*for additional information, see [www.nemsqa.org](http://www.nemsqa.org)*)
  - *Hypoglycemia—01: Treatment Administered for Hypoglycemia*
  - *Pediatrics—03: Documentation of Estimated Weight in Kilograms*

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