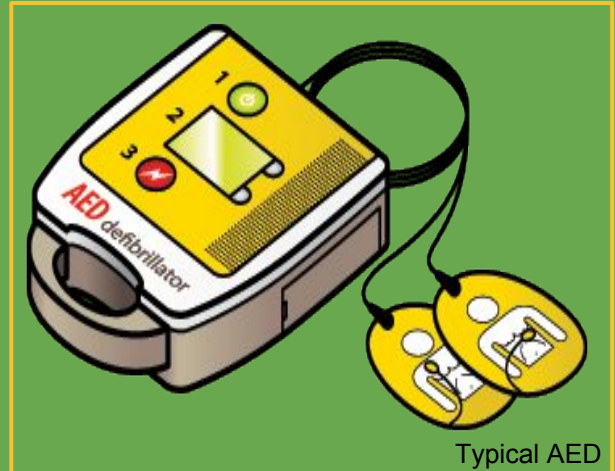




AED use saves lives!

An Automatic External Defibrillator (AED) is a small, portable, easy to operate life-saving medical device designed to deliver an electrical shock to a person who is having a Cardiac Arrest. They are designed to be used by first responders or bystanders to save the life of an unconscious person or someone suffering from a Sudden Cardiac Arrest.

Most sudden cardiac arrests result from ventricular fibrillation. This is an irregular and unsynchronized heart rhythm. The heart must be "defibrillated" quickly, because a person's chance of surviving drops by 7 to 10 percent for every minute a normal heartbeat isn't restored. This condition can affect people of all ages.



Early use is key

Early defibrillation is proven to save lives. The sooner an AED is applied to a person suffering from SCA the higher the chance of survival. The goal is to get it on the person within 4 minutes or less in an emergency AED situation.

AEDs are located in many public places just look for this sign.



You can save a life by using an AED

Are AEDs safe for use by anyone?

Automated external defibrillators (AEDs) cannot be made to defibrillate anyone who does not need to be. State and federal Good Samaritan laws protect individuals who use automated external defibrillators (AEDs) in good faith from legal liability risk.

USING AN AED IS SIMPLE!

1 TURN ON



2 FOLLOW PROMPTS



3 PRESS SHOCK BUTTON IF INSTRUCTED



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