

8.03 H. Bradycardia (Symptomatic) - ADULT ONLY

This sequence was developed to assist the treatment of a broad range of patients with **symptomatic** bradycardia (20-60 beats/min). Some patients may require care not specified herein. Base Station physician must be consulted in such circumstances.

*^a Call On-Line Medical Control for second dose of Calcium Chloride if patient shows some improvement but HR < 60 AND for further treatment of hyperkalemia with Sodium Bicarbonate and/or continuous Albuterol nebulizers.

Reminder!!!

When using a LifePak 15 to monitor a patient who has an internal pacemaker firing, be aware that pacer spikes may not be visible on the monitor screen.

To determine if a patient's implanted pacemaker is operating, members shall print out a 3-lead strip or a 12-lead and look for the pacemaker detection arrows (hollow arrows) along the bottom of the rhythm strip or 12-lead. They should be at a regular interval with the presence of a QRS complex located above each arrow. These detection arrows are not visible on the monitor screen.

Solid arrows continue to indicate active LifePak 15 pacing.

* **Hypotension :**
See Table 8-2

