## **Pediatric: Anaphylaxis**

#### **EMR**

- ABC and vital signs
- Airway management with **oxygen** therapy maintaining a SaO2 of 94-98% through titration
- **Epi Pen Jr.** if the patient has hypotension and / or respiratory distress with airway swelling, hoarseness, stridor, or wheezing.



#### EMT

- Cardiac Monitor
- Implement BLS Epi-Pen Procedural Protocol
- If agency is trained, administer \*Epinephrine 1:1,000 IM 0.15mg IM
- Consider administration of 1 mg/kg or by pediatric tape of \***Diphenhydramine** oral solution, max dose 25mg. Only if patient can safely swallow.
- If continued wheezing or shortness of breath consider **Albuterol** less than 1 year; 1.25 mg, more than 1 year; 2.5 mg via nebulizer



#### **EMT IV**

- Vascular access
- EMT IV

#### **ADVANCED EMT**

- \*Diphenhydramine (Benadryl)1 mg/kg IV or IM; max dose 25 mg
- Epinephrine 1:1,000 dose 0.01 mg/kg (0.01 ml/kg) subcutaneously; max 0.5 mg (0.5 ml)

# ADVANCED EMT STOP

### **Key Points/Considerations**

• If an EMT has administered an Epinephrine, or the patient has administered their own epinephrine auto injector, contact Medical Control prior to administering additional epinephrine subcutaneously