

*Detroit East Medical Control Authority*

**System Protocols**  
**TASER REMOVAL**

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***Taser Removal (Optional)***

**Pre-Radio**

MFR/EMT/SPECIALIST/PARMEDIC

1. Insure patient is restrained prior to removal of Taser prongs.
2. Remove prongs following manufacturer's recommendations.
3. Treat entry wounds, as needed.
4. Obtain a baseline set of vitals and assess patient for potential secondary injuries.
5. If findings are outside of normal limits or patient presents with a medical condition, follow the General Pre-Hospital Care Protocol.