

**MEHLVILLE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT  
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES  
GUIDELINE FOR PREHOSPITAL EMERGENCY CARE**

**SUBJECT: 900.10  
MEDICAL EMERGENCIES:  
HYPERTHERMIA**

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**Pre-Hospital Actions:**

1. Begin oxygen therapy.
2. Begin cooling measures. Remove clothing. Apply cool packs, if available, to head and truncal areas. Suspend cooling measures if shivering occurs.
3. Start IV of Normal saline.
4. Monitor cardiac rhythm en route.