
Ocean City Fire Department
Standard Operating Guidelines

EMS Operations

Subject: "E" Cigarette Use Prohibited in Ambulances
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313.00 Purpose

- A. To limit exposure to vaporized nicotine and potential allergens that may be present in "E" cigarettes and similar devices.

313.01 Scope

- A. This policy applies to all department members, patients, and passengers.

313.02 Definitions

- A. For the purpose of this policy, an "E" cigarette means:
 1. An electronic cigarette.
 2. An electronic nicotine delivery system (ENDS).
 3. A personal vaporizer.

313.03 Policy

- A. The use of "E" cigarettes is prohibited in department ambulances.