

Public Access AED's: Find One near You!



University of Virginia Medical Center PAD Locations

UVA Main Hospital

East Main Lobby across from Hospital Admissions
East Cafeteria beside the PTU Suite
Ground level across from Pharmacy
2nd floor near the heart center (most accessible to the garage link)
1st floor security office

Primary Care Center

Primary care 1st floor across from Patient registration

West Complex

West Hospital Lobby near elevators
West Complex between eye and urology clinic
Barringer entrance across from elevator

McKim Hall

Back Link at intersection to McKim Hall
McKim Hall 3rd floor near VP conference room

Jordan Hall

Back link at intersection of old Jordan, new Jordan and library link
First floor link near Jordan hall entrance

Blake Center

Main Lobby

1222 JPA

Main lobby 1st floor

5th floor by LSLC classrooms

Grove Street

Main lobby by classrooms on 1st floor

Core Labs

Main Lobby

Links

Second floor link near Board Room

Second floor link near Emergency Medicine

11th Street garage link

Stacy Hall

Left side office space

Right side office space

Web center

Basement

University of Virginia Academic Community PAD Locations

Old Cabell Hall: main lobby

Alderman Library: main lobby

Special Collections Library: main lobby

Rotunda: right side of main entrance

Zehmer Hall

Culbreath theatre: upstairs hall way entrance to right of elevator

Culbreath theatre lobby: at main entrance

Newcomb Hall: 3rd floor left hallway by main entrance

Newcomb Hall: 1st floor right side by entrance

Booker House: main entrance

Bayly Museum Building: main lobby

JPJA 1: ground floor north

JPJA 2: ground floor south

JPJA 3: lower level north

JPJA 4: lower level south

JPJA 5: upper level north

JPJA 6: upper level south

JPJA 7: upper level main lobby

Madison Hall: right side by main entrance

Aquatics and Fitness Center: 9 AED's in various locations

2015 Ivy Road: main lobby

Carruthers Hall: ITC left of main entrance

Carruthers Hall: Assistant VP for the Comptroller right side of main entrance

Leake Building: near 1st floor service desk

Miller Center: Main entrance

Shelbourne Hall: upper main lobby and 1st floor by elevator

Michie Building

University Police Dept: in 13 police cars and in main lobby

One Morton Drive: 3^r floor

University of Virginia School of Medicine PAD Locations

Aurbach: Basement, 1st floor, and 2nd floor

Cobb Hal: Basement, 1st floor

Jordon Hall: 1st, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, floors

Steele Wing: 3rd and 4th floor

MR4: Basement through 6th floor

MR5: Ground through 3rd floor

Where did these AED's come from?

Thanks to a generous donation from our Hospital Auxiliary, we were able to place public access AED's (automated external defibrillators) in public areas throughout the Health System! These are placed for use with patients, visitors or employees who may experience sudden cardiac arrest.

What is an 'AED'?

An automated external defibrillator (AED) is a special device designed to rapidly analyze the victim's heart rhythm, determine if a shock is indicated and prompt the user to deliver the shock. In cardiac arrest, the heart often has a rhythm disturbance that can only be treated with an electrical shock. The speed to defibrillation (shock) is very important and can help improve survival. The machine gives visual and audible prompts to clearly direct the user.

What do I grab when I open the box?

When you open the box, an audible alarm will sound. This helps alert security and others that there is an emergency and the device is in use. When you open the box, this is what you will find:



AED



Pocket Mask



AED Accessories

(small case should be attached to the AED)

All three pieces of equipment should be taken to the victim.

How can I get trained to use one?

Health care providers (RN's, RT's, physicians, PCA's, etc) are required to have Basic Life Support (BLS) training that includes instruction in both CPR and AED. Other employees are not required to have this training. The Life Support Learning Center will offer Heartsaver CPR classes to interested staff members. If you would like to take a class, please complete the brief questionnaire that follows to help us plan for the classes.

It's important to remember...

While AED use is very important, quality CPR is essential to survival! You should keep your training current as the recommendations for care change every few years based on the research that is available.

Who do I call in an emergency?

Medical Center Policy 0187 offers direction in the emergency response numbers to be used. Very simply, Health System areas that provide patient care (Main complex, Primary Care Center, West complex) should dial 4-2012. Areas that do not provide patient care (McKim Hall and Jordan Hall) should dial 2-2000 (Emergency Transport Team) or 9-911. In an emergency, you should immediately phone your emergency response number or delegate someone to phone for help and retrieve the AED.