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| **S** | **Situation**: Akron Children’s Hospital will be standardizing all AEDs to Zoll AED Plus. |
| **B** | **Background**: Currently, we have a mix of LifePak 500, 1000, and Zoll AEDs. For standardization purposes and for better quality CPR, we are transitioning to Zoll AED Plus. |
| **A** | **Assessment:**   * Compared to previous AEDs which were semi-automated, the Zoll AED Plus is fully automated, continues to guide the user through the process, and provides high-quality CPR. Rescuers will hear and see “Push Harder” or “Good Compressions,” as well as encouragement to “Start CPR” if needed. * Users will no longer need to press the shock button in order for shock to be delivered. The AED will analyze and deliver the shock if shock is advised.   **AED Closed View AED Open View**       * Clinical Engineering is in the process of switching the AEDS and facilities will be assisting with switching the wall cabinets. |
| **R** | **Recommendation:**   * Please be aware of this change and communicate it broadly. * Please watch video link: <https://youtu.be/yo5jKJBKo0w> |
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