BRAIN ATTACK AMBULANCE Protocol

MANAGEMENT

Airway
- Ensure adequate airway (ABC’s)
- Supplemental O2
- Keep HOB at 30 degrees

Blood Pressure
- Vital signs every 15 minutes

For Patients Receiving t-PA
- Treatment; SBP >185 DBP>110
  Labetolol 10-20 mg IV every 10 minutes

Fluids
- NS, TKO

Precautions
- Avoid episodes of Hypotension
- No Glucose unless hypoglycemic
- Avoid Hypoxia
- Use caution when moving; avoid minor trauma
- Prevent aspiration

Transport
- Contact control MD for decrease in mental status or new symptoms of nausea and vomiting