

# Basic Life Support Manual

**Basic Life Support Manual** - The Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers Handbook is part of the American Red Cross Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers program. The emergency care procedures outlined in the program materials reflect the standard of knowledge and accepted emergency practices in the United States at the time this manual was published. Basic Life Support (BLS) for Infants (Age 0-12 months) – Familiarize yourself with the similarities and differences between children and infants BLS, so you are prepared to assist either during time of need. Basic Life Support (BLS) Provider Manual. This manual contains all the information students need to successfully complete the BLS course in a classroom-based format. Designed for use by a single student, this text is also ideal for use as a reference tool before and after the course. BASIC LIFE SUPPORT STUDY GUIDE ... Encircle infant's chest and support back with fingers of both hands. 5. Press breastbone down about 1/3 to 1/2 depth of the chest 6. After each compression, completely release pressure on chest and allow chest to fully recoil. 7.