

# UPMC CommandCast

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## Episode 5: RACE(ing) to Improve Stroke Care

### INSTRUCTIONS:

Pennsylvania certified prehospital providers are eligible to receive continuing education hours by listening to the UPMC CommandCast and completing the associated quiz for each episode. The completed quiz must be submitted to UPMC Prehospital Care for the continuing education hours to be awarded. The quiz may be submitted via email by saving the PDF file to your computer and then sending it via email to [commandcast@upmc.edu](mailto:commandcast@upmc.edu). The quiz may also be submitted in hard copy via fax or mail to,

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Pennsylvania certified prehospital providers earn 0.5 hours of core continuing education at all levels for this episode.

### PROVIDER INFORMATION:

Date:

Name:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Date of Birth:

Certification Level:    FR    EMT-B    AEMT    Paramedic    PHRN    PHPE    PHP

PA Certification Number:

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### PENNSYLVANIA CONTINUING EDUCATION QUIZ

1. Every 30 minute delay in opening an occluded vessel results in an estimated \_\_\_\_\_ decrease in probability of a good outcome.
  - 5%
  - 10%
  - 15%
  - 20%
2. According to the EMSI Regional Protocol, a suspected stroke patient presents with no movement to the left upper or lower extremity against gravity and severe left-sided facial droop. The patient was last normal approximately 4 hours prior. This patient should likely be transported to a(n),
  - Interventional Stroke Center
  - Primary Stroke Center
3. According to the EMSI Regional Protocol, a suspected stroke patient presents with no movement to the left upper or lower extremity against gravity and severe left-sided facial droop. The patient was last normal approximately 90 minutes prior. This patient should likely be transported to a(n),
  - Interventional Stroke Center
  - Primary Stroke Center
4. A patient presents with right arm drift to contact, mild right facial droop, and an inability to either close his eyes or make a fist. This patient has a RACE score of,
  - 3
  - 4
  - 5
  - 6
5. A patient presents with severe left facial droop, no movement of the left upper or lower extremities against gravity, and a deviated gaze. This patient has a RACE score of,
  - 6
  - 7
  - 8
  - 9