



## How Official Resuscitation Guidelines are Produced



Resuscitation experts from ILCOR member councils analyze, discuss and debate current resuscitation research

Structured evidence evaluation

Analysis

Literature cataloging



Scientific evidence reviews of 100s of resuscitation and ECC topics



ILCOR member councils collectively produce the *International Consensus on CPR and ECC Science with Treatment Recommendations (CoSTR)*



ILCOR member councils use the CoSTR to draft evidenced-based guidelines for their respective regions

AHA science and clinical experts draft *AHA Guidelines for CPR and ECC* used universally across the United States



*AHA Guidelines for CPR and ECC* are based on ILCOR's CoSTR and:

Clinical efficacy

Ease of implementation

Local systems factors

AHA translates the Guidelines into resuscitation education and



training that ensures high-quality CPR knowledge and skills.