**ICU Targeted Temperature Management Post-Cardiac Arrest Phase 3**

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**PHASE 3: PASSIVE REWARMING PHASE**

 ***Nursing Orders***

 Goal temperature is 96.8 F (36 C)

 Begin passive rewarming 24 hours after goal temperature was achieved (should take 6-8 hours)

 Maintain temperature less than 99.5 F (37.5 C) for the first 48 hours POST rewarming

 Turn up room thermostat to 70 degrees F

 Discontinue Cooling Blankets

 Use regular blankets (DO NOT USE heated or warm air blanket)

 When patient temperature of 96.8 F (36 C) is achieved, DC prn vecuronium if ordered

 After 2 hours of patient temperature of 96.8 F (36 C), wean sedation to RASS level of 0

 ***Respiratory***

 Add heated circuit to ventilator

 ***Medications***

 acetaminophen (TYLENOL) Place on hold until goal temperature is reached. Notify pharmacy to initiate order.

 650 milligram orally every 6 hours for 72h

 650 milligram rectally every 6 hours for 72h