

Q1. What kind of AED should I purchase?

A1. To stay uniform with units that are already part of the campus AED program, purchase a Zoll (Cardiac Science) Powerheart G5 (<https://www.zoll.com/products/aeds/aeds-for-public-access/zoll-powerheart-g5-for-public-access>).

Q2. Where can I purchase an AED?

A2. You can purchase the AED directly from Rescue One Training for Life, who has an AggieBuy contract (C2023-11810). Search the vendor name or contract number to review and select items for purchase.

Q3. What comes with the AED?

A3. The G5 costs \$1,425 and comes with a battery, adult electrodes, carrying bag, and ready kit. Other accessories are optional (wall-mount case, 3-D sign, etc.).

Q4. How many AEDs does my facility need?

A4. There are no regulations that dictate how many AEDs must be installed in campus buildings, but your facility should be evaluated in terms of occupancy (load and time of day), accessibility (emergency response), and activity (low/high risk).

Q5. Where should I install my AED?

A5. There are no regulations that dictate where the AED should be placed in the building, but it must be installed per ADA guidelines. Most wall-mount cases have a depth of ~7 inches, so they are considered a protruding object per [ADA standards](#).

Q6. If I am ready to order, who should I contact?

A6. Send an email to ehsd.occ.health@tamu.edu to notify EHS of your purchase intentions. If you use the following as your ship to address, we will notify you of its delivery and can assist with installation and training:

Environmental Health & Safety
Attn: Kristen Robinson
1111 Research Parkway, Suite 220
College Station, TX 77843
979-845-2132

Q7: Where can I find more information?

A7. <https://ehs.tamu.edu/programs/automated-external-defibrillators.html>

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