

Human life is precious, and there are very few things that can actually help if a problem arises in an airplane. However, if there is a reasonable way to be prepared for emergencies, such as having an AED on board an aircraft in case of a cardiac arrest, why would it not be mandatory for an airline or any other corporation to take that precaution? When in the air, it is not always easy to land in case of an emergency, nor is it timely. Mandating AED's be put on airplanes is one precaution airlines can take to help ensure that medical treatment CAN be available if needed.