



EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN COURSE

Dear Prospective EMT Student –

Thank you for your interest in the Spotsylvania Volunteer Rescue Squad EMT Course. The Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) certification program is designed to train an individual to function independently in a medical emergency. The course provides the basic knowledge and skills needed to deliver Basic Life Support (BLS) care and is required to progress to more advanced levels of prehospital patient care.

The course requires a minimum of 154 hours of classroom and skills instruction and approximately 24 hours of Clinical/Field rotations. This course is designed to train individuals to serve as a vital link in the chain of the health care team. This includes all skills necessary to provide emergency medical care as an attendant-in-charge on a BLS ambulance.

Eligibility to attend an Emergency Medical Technician course in Virginia requires that you must:

- (1) Be proficient in reading, writing and speaking the English language.
- (2) Be a minimum of 16 years of age at the beginning date of the certification course. If less than 18 years of age, you must provide the course coordinator with a completed parental permission form with the signature of a parent or guardian verifying approval for enrollment in the course.
- (3) Have no physical or mental impairment that would render them unable to perform all cognitive and psychomotor skills required for that level of certification.
- (4) Hold current certification in an Office of Emergency Medical Services approved Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) course at the beginning date of the course. This certification must also be current at the time of state testing.

Classes will be held at the Shannon Training Center located at 8711 Courthouse Road in Spotsylvania County. Classes will be held on Mondays, Wednesdays and some Saturdays (the schedule is below).

We will offer two CPR Courses on Saturday September 30th, 2017 starting at 09:00 AM or Monday October 2nd, 2017 and Wednesday October 4th at 06:00 PM. If you are unable to attend our dates, you can take a course from another source. The current courses which are accepted by the Virginia Office of EMS to meet these standards are:

- American Heart Association - Basic Cardiac Life Support - "Healthcare Provider"
- American Red Cross - "CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer and Healthcare Provider" or CPR/AED for Lifeguards
- American Safety and Health Institute – "CPR-PRO"
- Emergency Care and Safety Institute "Professional Rescuer" / "Healthcare Provider CPR & AED"
- EMS Safety Services, Inc. – CPR/AED for Professional Rescuers (2/1/2014)

- Medic First Aid - BLS for Professionals "BLSPRO"
- National Safety Council – "Healthcare and Professional Rescuer"
- ProCPR – "Healthcare Provider"

The cost for the course is \$350. This includes textbook, CPR certification, student shirt, initial testing fees and blood pressure cuff with stethoscope.

There will be an interview setup after your application is received.

Applications can be mailed to Bill Tosick at 1203 Hearthstone Drive Fredericksburg, VA 22401 or emailed to tosickw@gmail.com. All persons registering for this class must submit an application. If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Bill Tosick, Course Coordinator

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EMT BASIC COURSE APPLICATION

Full Name	
Address	Date of Birth
City	Zip
Phone(s)	
Email	
County of Residence	

Do you have current certification in one of the above listed CPR courses? Yes _____ No _____

A copy of card must be attached to the application. (Must be valid through 28 FEB 2018)

If you are not currently certified in one of the disciplines above, please check which CPR class you would like to attend:

- Saturday, September 30th 09:00 am to completion
- MON & WED, OCT 2nd&4th 6:00 pm to completion

Why do you want to take the EMT-B class:

My signature below certifies that I meet the minimum requirements listed on the information sheet.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Spotsylvania Volunteer Rescue Squad
EMT Course
October 2017 – February 2018

Date/Day	Time	Topic	Chapter	CEU Category/Area# BLS unless indicated
OCT 9 Monday	7p – 10p	Course Introduction and Overview		
OCT 11 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Intro to Emergency Medical Care The Well-Being of the EMT	1 2	Cat. 1 / 15 0.5HR
OCT 16 Monday	7p – 10p	Lifting and Moving Patients Medical, Legal and Ethical Issues	3 4	Cat. 1 / 15 0.5 HR
OCT 18 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Medical Terminology	5	
OCT 23 Monday	7p – 10p	Anatomy and Physiology	6	
OCT 25 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Ventilation, Perfusion and Shock	7	Cat. 1 / 11(BLS) 16(ALS) 1 HR
OCT 30 Monday	7p – 10p	Life Span Development	8	
NOV 1 Wednesday	7p-10p	Airway Respiration and Artificial Ventilation	9 10	Cat. 1 / 11(BLS) 16(ALS) 3 HR(BLS) 1HR (ALS)
NOV 4 Saturday	8a-5p	HAZMAT Awareness	37	
NOV 6 Monday	7p – 10p	Scene Size Up The Primary Assessment	11 12	
NOV 8 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Vital Signs and Monitoring Devices Secondary Assessment	13 14	Cat. 1 / 20 (ALS) 0.5 HR
NOV 13 Monday	7p – 10p	Communication and Documentation	15	
NOV 15 Wednesday	7p-10p	Bleeding and Shock	25	Cat. 1 / 13(BLS) 18(ALS) 0.5 HR
NOV 18 Saturday	9a – 5p	PRACTICALS: Lifting and Moving, Vital Signs, Airway, Bleeding and Shock, Trauma		
NOV 20 Monday	7p – 10p	Soft Tissue Trauma	26	
NOV 22 Wednesday		Thanksgiving Break !!!!		
NOV 27 Monday	7p – 10p	Chest and Abdominal Trauma	27	
NOV 29 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Musculoskeletal Trauma	28	

DEC 2 Saturday	9a-5p	PRACTICALS: Splinting, Vital Signs, Airway, Bleeding and Shock, Trauma		
DEC 4 Monday	7p – 10p	Trauma to head neck and spine	29	
DEC 6 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Environmental Emergencies	31	
DEC 9 Saturday	9a-5p	PRACTICALS: Trauma, All skill stations, Medical preview		
DEC 11 Monday	7p – 10p	Multi-system Trauma	30	
DEC 13 Wednesday	6:30p – 10p	Vehicle Rescue Awareness	38	
DEC 18 Monday	7p – 10p	EMS Operations (MCIM I/II) EMS Response to Terrorism	36 39	
DEC 20 Wednesday	7p-10p	MCIM I/II	36	
JAN 3 Wednesday	7p – 10p	King Airway/CAP/LUCAS/ALS ASSIST	16	
JAN 6 Saturday	9a – 5p	PRACTICALS: Trauma & Medical Assessment, Splinting , Traction Splint, KED, AED		
JAN 8 Monday	7p – 10p	General Pharmacology Respiratory Emergencies	16 17	
JAN 10 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Allergic Reaction	20	
JAN 15 Monday	7p – 10p	Cardiac Emergencies	18	
JAN 17 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Poisoning and Overdose Emergencies Behavioral, Psych and Suicide	21 23	
JAN 20 Saturday	9a – 5p	PRACTICALS: Trauma & Medical Assessment, Splinting , Traction Splint, KED, AED		
JAN 22 Monday	7p – 10p	Diabetic Emergencies and AMS	19	
JAN 24 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Abdominal Emergencies Hematologic and Renal Emergencies	22 24	
JAN 27 Saturday	9a – 5p	PRACTICALS: Trauma & Medical Assessment, Airway, AED, Bleeding&Shock, Immobilization		
JAN 29 Monday	7p – 10p	OB & GYN Emergencies	32	
JAN 31 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Pediatrics	33	
FEB 5 Monday	7p – 10p	Pediatrics/Geriatrics Special Challenges	33/34 35	
FEB 7 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Last Day Paperwork/Course Final Written		

FEB 10 Saturday	9a – 5p	Course Practical Exam		
FEB 12 Monday	7p – 10p	Review Written / Ensure paperwork is done		
FEB 14 Wednesday	7p – 10p	Final Review		
TBD	<i>TBD</i>	State Practical Exam TBD		