



EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN COURSE

Dear Prospective EMT Student –

Thank you for your interest in the EMT Course. The intention of the Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) certification program is 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. For these rotations, you will need to ride an **ambulance** to obtain ten (10) patient contacts. This course is setup 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 (AIC) 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.

The majority of the classes will be at the Shannon Training Center located at 8711 Courthouse Road in Spotsylvania County. Classes take place on Mondays, Wednesdays and some Saturdays (the schedule is below). Topic schedule may change, but the dates will remain. For those that have heard about the class in the past we are modifying the start times to 6:30pm. We will be giving online quizzes in the first half hour which will be used for attendance, participation and progress.

We will offer two CPR Courses the first being a two-night class held on Monday AUG 3rd and Wednesday AUG 5th starting at 06:00 PM OR the second-class offering Saturday AUG 1th, 2020 starting at 09:00 AM. If you

are unable to attend our dates, you can take a course from another source, but must bring an in-date card the first night of class.

You will also be required to take a pre-course exam, please select a date for that as well on the registration form. For both the CPR and exam you will be required to practice social distancing and wear a mask. The same holds for the class and we will make adjustments as Virginia guidelines are updated.

The current CPR courses, which are acceptable by the Virginia Office of EMS to meet the standard, 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"
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- 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 \$400. This includes textbook, CPR certification, student shirt, initial testing fees, and blood pressure cuff and stethoscope. This fee will be due on the first night of EMT class. You will need to have access to a computer for this class. Most homework, quizzes and/or tests will require the use of a computer both inside and outside of class. You must have time to study and practice outside of class to be successful.

There will be an informal meet and greet setup after your application is received. We will contact you via e-mail to setup a date/time. This meet and greet will be done via Zoom. If you do not receive an e-mail setting up the interview, please contact me at madisonkg@gmail.com.

Anyone registering for this class must submit an application via e-mail to madisonkg@gmail.com. If you have questions or do not have the capability to e-mail the application, please contact the below.

By or before 6PM on 10AUG20, you will receive acceptance into the EMT class. This is a quick turn around

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EMT Course

August 2020 – December 2020 (*tentative, subject to change*)

Date/Day	Time	Topic	CH	Instructor
AUG 1 st Saturday	9a-5p	CPR / PRE-Course Exam (AM/PM)		
AUG 3 rd Monday	6:30p-10p	CPR		
AUG 5 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	PRE-Course Exam		
AUG 10 th Monday	6:30p-10p	Email sent to all Students/Waitlist		
AUG 17 th Monday	6:30p-10p	Course Introduction and Overview EMS System	1	
AUG 19 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	EMS Systems Workforce Safety and Wellness	2	
AUG 24 th Monday	6:30p-10p	Medical, Legal and Ethical Issues	3	
AUG 26 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Communication & Documentation	4	
AUG 31 st Monday	6:30p-10p	Medical Terminology The Human Body	5 6	
SEP 2 nd Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Life Span Development Lifting and Moving Patients	7 8	
SEP 9 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Patient Assessment	9	
SEP 12 th Saturday	8a-5p	Hazmat Awareness		FREM
SEP 14 th Monday	6:30p-10p	Airway Management	10	
SEP 16 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Pharmacology	11	
SEP 19 th Saturday	8:30a-5p	Practical: Splintingx2, Traction Splint, Bleeding and Shock, BK BD, Trauma		
SEP 21 st Monday	6:30p-10p	Shock BLS Resuscitation	12 13	
SEP 23 rd Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Trauma Overview Bleeding & Shock	24 25	
SEP 28 th Monday	6:30p-10p	Soft Tissue Injuries Face and Neck Injuries	26 27	
SEP 30 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Head and Spinal Injuries Chest Injuries	28 29	
OCT 3 rd Saturday	8A-5P	Module I Test (Intro/Airway) Practical: Splintingx2, Traction Splint, Bleeding and Shock, BK BD, Trauma		
OCT 5 th Monday	6p-10p	Abdominal and GU	30	
OCT 7 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Orthopedic Injuries	31	
OCT 10 th Saturday	9a-5p	Incident Management (MCIM I/II) Terrorism Response and Disaster Management	39 40	

OCT 14 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Environmental Injuries	32	
OCT 19 th Monday	6:30p-10p	HELO OPS (Location TBD) Transport Operations	37	
OCT 21 st Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Medical Overview Respiratory Emergencies	14 15	
OCT 24 th Saturday	8:30a-5p	Module II Test (Trauma) PRACTICALS: Splintingx2, Traction Splint, Bleeding and Shock, BK BD, Trauma, Medical		
OCT 26 th Monday	6:30p-10p	Cardiac Emergencies	16	
OCT 28 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Neurologic Emergencies	17	
NOV 2 nd Monday	6:30p-10p	GI and Urologic	18	
NOV 4 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Endocrine & Hematologic, Immunologic Emergencies	19 20	
NOV 7 th Saturday	8:30a-5p	PRACTICALS: Splintingx2, Traction Splint, Bleeding and Shock, BK BD, Trauma, Medical		
NOV 9 th Monday	6p-10p	Vehicle Extrication & Special Rescue	38	FREM
NOV 14 th Saturday	8:30a-5p	Practical: Splintingx2, Traction Splint, Bleeding & Shock, BK BD, Trauma, Medical, Airway		
NOV 16 th Monday	6:30p-10p	Toxicology	21	
NOV 18 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Psychiatric	22	
NOV 21 st Saturday	8:30a-5p	King Airway/CPAP/LUCAS/ALS ASSIST and A Team Approach	41	
NOV 23 rd Monday	6:30-10PM	GYN Emergencies OB and Neonate Care	23 33	
NOV 30 th Monday	6:30p-10p	Pediatrics	34	
DEC 2 nd Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Geriatrics	35	
DEC 5 th Saturday	8a-5p	Course Psychomotor EXAM		
DEC 7 th Monday	6:30p-10p	Special Challenges	36	
DEC 9 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Module III Test (Medical)		
DEC 12 Saturday	0800	Final ("State") Psychomotor		
DEC 14 th Monday	6:30P-10P	Final Cognitive Exam		
DEC 16 th Wednesday	6:30p-10p	Last Day Paperwork &Final Review		
DEC 19 th Saturday	All DAY	NREMT Cognitive Exam		Scheduled By Students

EMT BASIC COURSE APPLICATION

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone(s): _____

Date of Birth (must be 16 on first day of class): _____

Member of an agency? YES/NO; If YES which one? _____

Email: _____

County of Residence: _____

Please select a preferred date for **mandatory** pre-course exam:

___ SAT - AUG 1st 0900 ___ SAT - AUG 1st 1300 ___ WED - AUG 6th 1800

Please note if you need CPR you will need to select a different date from your CPR class

Do you have current certification in one of the listed CPR courses? Yes___ No___

If yes, attach a copy of your card to your application (Must be valid through MAY20)

If no, please check which class you will attend:

___ SAT, AUG 1st, 2020 0900 am to completion

___ MON AUG 3rd 6:00 pm to completion

Please Answer:

Why do you want to take the NREMT class?

Do you have time to put in time outside of class hours?

What do you intend to do with your NREMT Certification once obtained?

We will be requiring a tablet, iPad or Computer brought to class for online activities. Will this be an issue?

Once we receive your application a meet and greet will be scheduled to be conducted via ZOOM, I will contact you with details through e-mail.

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

Signed: _____ Date: _____