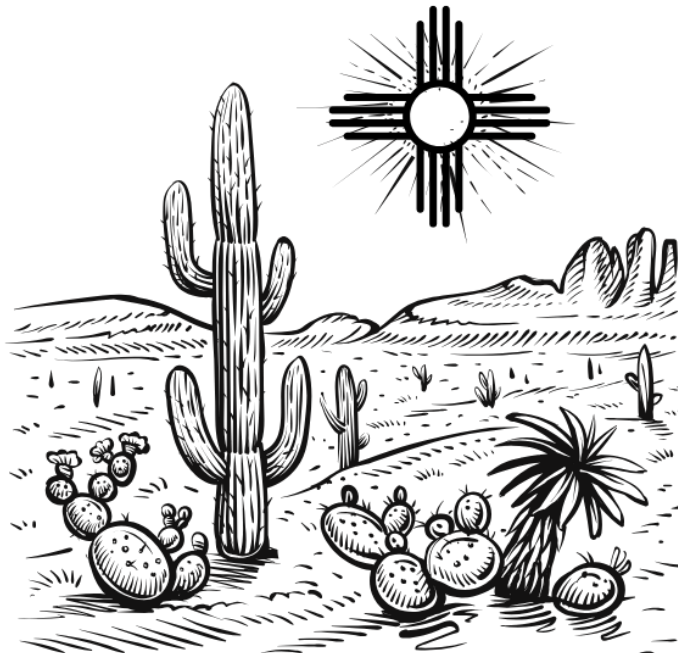


# EMS REGION III CONFERENCE



**“COURAGE IS BEING SCARED TO  
DEATH, BUT SADDLING UP  
ANYWAY,”**

**-JOHN WAYNE**



**Conference Dates: April 21 – April 27, 2025**  
**Ruidoso Convention Center**  
**111 Sierra Blanca Dr.**  
**Ruidoso, NM**



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The EMS Region III Conference is an annual event that began as an EMS Trade Show in 1982 and transformed over the past 43 years into one of the premier conferences in this part of the country. This will be the 26<sup>th</sup> year the conference has been held in beautiful Ruidoso, New Mexico.

This year we are expecting a crowd of over 900 fire, EMS, police, dispatchers, nurses and physicians from New Mexico, Texas, Arizona and Colorado, along with speakers and exhibitors from across the country.

**It is important to remember that the state has resumed its policy that only ½ of your required CE's can be obtained on-line (asynchronous). The remainder must be classroom (Synchronous).**

Join us for Pre-conference workshops April 21 - 24 and our core conference program April 25 – 27. This year's conference is designed to offer all of the State and National Registry CE requirements by providing pre-conference CE renewal packages, combined with a reduced core conference rate, for those participants trying to complete all required CE requirements at one venue.

The conference also includes an exhibit hall packed with vendors from New York to California, displaying the newest in products and equipment. The conference will offer a combination of excellent national and local speakers providing the very best in EMS and rescue training. Training that will enhance your skills, allow you to view the "cutting edge" of emergency equipment and build better relationships with other healthcare professionals.

This conference is made possible by the efforts of the EMS Region III staff, Board of Directors, speakers, sponsors, exhibitors and numerous volunteers.

### Who Should Attend?

The conference offers a variety of training sessions, workshops and special events for First Responders, EMTs, firefighters, dispatchers, administrators, flight-crews, physicians, nurses, public safety officers and emergency preparedness coordinators.





## CONFERENCE INFORMATION

### Ruidoso Convention Center

The Ruidoso community welcomes you with open arms to the Ruidoso Convention Center, offering a picturesque setting with amazing views and a diverse range of lodging and restaurant options amid the amazing beauty of the Southern Sacramento Mountains. The Convention Center is located at 111 Sierra Blanca Drive and sits in the middle of the beautiful Links at Sierra Blanca golf course.

When the business of the day is done, the Ruidoso area offers many ways to relax and enjoy your time away from the conference. Take a walk, breathe the fresh air, golf, fish, hike, shop, or play a while at area casinos...do as much or as little as you like! We know you will enjoy your stay.

### How to Register

Registration is easy. You can register online at [2025 EMS Region III Conference – EMS Region I & III](https://www.emsregion3.org) by fax: (575)769-3485, or by mail: to EMS Region III Conference, PO Box 1895, Clovis, NM 88102-1895. The registration form can be found on page 30 of this brochure, on our website at [www.emsregion3.org](https://www.emsregion3.org), or call our office at 575-769-2639 and we will send you one. Due to limited space, sessions fill on a first-come, first-served basis. Registration fees include refreshments, registration materials, all social events, entrance to the exhibit hall, door prize drawings, and certificates of completion (CEs). For further assistance, call (575) 769-2639 or email us at [brandie@emsregion3.org](mailto:brandie@emsregion3.org)

### Early Pick-up Conference Registration Name Badge

Whether you are attending Pre-conference, core conference or both, we encourage you to pick up your registration name badge early, starting Monday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:30 am. Your name badge, with class selections, **must be worn at all times** during conference events. You must have your name badge, which is scanned at the door, to attend sessions, workshops and social events. All **PAID** participants will also receive a conference bag with the official conference T-shirt and many more items.

## Important Conference Information

To avoid interruptions, we ask that everyone be at their sessions on time. Because we are issuing CEs based on time in attendance, anyone arriving after 10 minutes of the session start will not be allowed in the session.

Course completion certificates and/or course cards for pre-conference will be distributed no later than May 31, 2025, if all course fees have been paid. Core-Conference CEs will also be sent out by the end of May.

Students leaving early **will not** receive certificates and/or cards. The replacement cost for CE certificates and/or cards will be \$25.00.

### Guest Pass

If you are not attending the conference educational sessions, a "Guest Pass", which includes entry to all of the social events including: Thursday's "Welcome Reception", Friday Night Cookout, and entry to the exhibit hall, is available at the registration desk. The "Guest Pass" fee will be \$25 which will cover costs of food, beverages, and refreshments. For attendee guests who are not interested in a "Guest Pass", the Thursday and Friday night events may be attended provided a ticket is purchased. These tickets can be purchased at the registration desk or at the event for:

Welcome Reception - \$ 5.00

Cookout tickets - \$ 10.00.

**"Guest Pass" badges must be worn to both events.**

### Visitor Pass

If you are not attending the conference educational sessions or any social events, you may receive a "Visitor Pass" to enter the exhibit hall for a tour through our vendor area. This pass does not include anything else and there is no charge.

## EMS Region III Conference "Welcome Reception" Sponsored by



We plan to welcome everyone with a Social gathering on Thursday, April 24<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 6:00pm, which will give you a great opportunity to reminisce with old friends and meet new ones as you enjoy



chuck wagon BBQ, sponsored by Native Air, Osage and Southwest Ambulance. We will also provide entertainment while your meal settles to the music of John Curtis from Granbury TX. Arrive early so you can register, grab your name badge and conference bag and then participate in the Welcome Reception with our EMS family. Your name badge will get you into the Thursday evening meal. Extra tickets are available for purchase at the registration desk.



## EMS Region III Conference Friday Night

### "Cookout"

Sponsored by



Trans Aer  
MEDEVAC



Over the years we have found that there is no better way to get together with friends than a Friday Night cookout. There is something about the smell of cooking over wood and charcoal that brings summertime to any season. This year starting at 06:00 pm there will be steaks and chicken on the grill with beans and potatoes on the side, so get ready for some great food, mingling and entertainment. After the cookout, hang out and visit or dance to your favorite songs courtesy of John Curtis. We will try to shut it down by 09:00 pm so that you can get some sleep, or for you night owls, you can enjoy the nightlife of Ruidoso. Your name badge will get you into the Cookout. Extra tickets are available for purchase at the registration desk.

## EMS Region III Sunday Sunrise Worship Service

Sponsored by Roosevelt County Community Church

Join Delbert and Char Rector Sunday morning at 8:00 am at the Ruidoso Convention Center for music, interdenominational prayer and worship.

## CONFERENCE ETIQUETTE

### Children

Due to the nature of the content presented, and in consideration for others, babies and children **are not permitted** in the training sessions, **NO EXCEPTIONS!** You can purchase a "Guest Pass" for kids older than 12 which will allow them access to the exhibit hall and all of the social events, but not the training sessions. **No children will be allowed in the Exhibitor area unless accompanied and supervised by an adult.**

### Pets

No pets will be allowed into the Convention Center. If you have a service animal, you must check in at the registration desk with proper documentation.

## Cell Phone and Pagers

Out of consideration for our speakers and participants, we ask that cell phones and pagers be turned off or changed to a silent signal during the conference. Please step outside the room when responding to a page or call. At the request of our presenters, no video-taping, audio recording or photography is allowed.

## Snacks and Beverages Available All Week Long

Each day, EMS Region III Staff will be serving burritos and hotdogs with mustard, diced onion, chili and/or cheese. You can also have nachos topped with cheese and jalapenos. EMS Region III's famous movie popcorn will be available, as well as fresh baked cookies, donuts, fruit, nuts and cheeses. We will also provide coffee, juices, water and sodas.

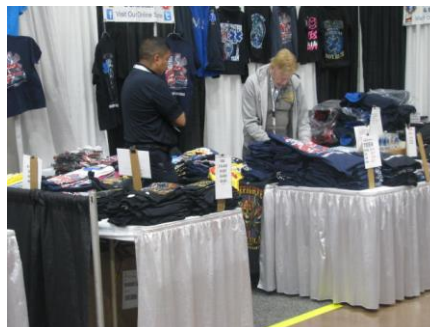
## Scholarships

EMS Region III will be offering **\$100** scholarships to rural and frontier EMTs residing **anywhere in New Mexico**. The scholarships can be used to attend any pre-conference and core-conference educational offerings. These scholarships are made possible through funding provided by a NM Fund Act Statewide Special Projects grant. To apply, contact EMS Region III at 575-769-2639 or you can find a scholarship application on page 31.



# SPONSORS

Our sincere appreciation goes out to all our sponsors, exhibitors, speakers, volunteers, and attendees who make this conference a great success!!





## TRAVEL/HOTEL INFORMATION

If you are flying to the conference, we have listed the closest airports with approximate driving times.

Roswell International Air Center	1 ½ hours
El Paso International Airport	2 hours
Albuquerque International Airport	3 hours

Ruidoso has many national hotel chains and high-quality locally owned accommodations which make finding a hotel to suit you easier. Amenities may include indoor pools and hot tubs to kitchens and spa facilities. Ruidoso welcomes the EMS Region III Conference participants, and many local hotels offer discounted conference rates to express their appreciation for holding this event in beautiful Ruidoso. The host hotel for the EMS Region III Conference & Expo is the MCM Elegante Lodge and Resort and can be reached at (575) 258-5500 or [www.mcmeleganteruidoso.com](http://www.mcmeleganteruidoso.com).

Other hotels include:

### Elevate Hotel at Sierra Blanca –

<https://tinyurl.com/RuidosoEMS>

**575-378-3333**

\$110 +tax – Standard king

\$110 + tax – Standard Double Queen

### Hotel Ruidoso - 575-257-2007

[www.hotelruidoso.net](http://www.hotelruidoso.net)

\$134-259+tax - Double Queen

\$144-269+tax – King

### Comfort Inn Midtown- 575-257-2770

[www.comfortinnruidoso.com](http://www.comfortinnruidoso.com)

\$75- 95 +tax – Double Queen

\$115-169 + tax –King

### Hampton Inn & Suites 575-378-1199

\$140-170 +tax – Double Queen

\$170-200 +tax – King

### Village Lodge 575-258-5442

[www.villagelodge.com](http://www.villagelodge.com)

Starts at \$96+tax – Double Queen/ King

Starts at \$199+tax – Two Bedroom Condo

For a Website listing for other lodging and hotels in the Ruidoso area, visit [www.DiscoverRuidoso.com](http://www.DiscoverRuidoso.com)



## Selecting Workshops to Complete CE Requirements

It is important to note when selecting the best method of obtaining CEs for re-licensure, that New Mexico no longer requires a traditional refresher course, but simply a minimum number of CE hours to renew your license.

### Emergency Medical Dispatcher: 20 Hours

Emergency Medical Dispatch	10 Hours
Medical Emergencies	10 Hours

### EMD-Instructor: 20 Hours

Emergency Medical Dispatch	10 Hours
Medical Emergencies	10 Hours
Must maintain NM EMT license	
Verification of Good Standing through EMD Training Program	

### First Responder: 20 Hours

Preparatory / Operations	2 Hours
Airway, Respiration, & Ventilation	3 Hours
Cardiovascular Emergencies	2 Hours
Medical Emergencies	4 Hours
Trauma Emergencies	4 Hours
Special Considerations	5 Hours (2 hours must be Pediatric)

### EMT Basic: 40 Hours

Preparatory / Operations	4 Hours
Airway, Respiration, & Ventilation	6 Hours
Cardiovascular Emergencies	6 Hours
Medical Emergencies	8 Hours
Trauma Emergencies	8 Hours
Special Considerations	8 Hours (4 hours must be Pediatric)

### EMT Intermediate: 50 Hours

Preparatory / Operations	4 Hours
Airway, Respiration, & Ventilation	6 Hours
Cardiovascular Emergencies	6 Hours
Medical Emergencies	12 Hours
Trauma Emergencies	12 Hours
Special Considerations	10 Hours (5 hours must be Pediatric)

### Paramedic: 60 Hours

Preparatory / Operations	6 Hours
Airway, Respiration, & Ventilation	8 Hours
Cardiovascular Emergencies	10 Hours
Medical Emergencies	14 Hours
Trauma Emergencies	10 Hours
Special Considerations	12 Hours (6 hours must be Pediatric)

The EMS Bureau's goal is to have a straightforward process of license renewal, while still requiring documentation of the maintenance and improvement of each licensee's knowledge base.

The New Mexico EMT license renewal process is now similar to that National Registry of EMT's National Continued Competency Program (NCCP) model for each level of licensure. By meeting the New Mexico requirements for license renewal, one should meet those of the National Registry, however please visit the NR website to assure your compliance with NR specific requirements. [www.nremt.org](http://www.nremt.org)

Six EMS CE categories are accepted by the New Mexico EMS Bureau and a seventh category, Emergency Medical Dispatch, was added to address the specific requirements of the EMD and EMD-I level of licensure:

- Emergency Medical Dispatch
- Preparatory/Operations
- Airway, Respiration & Ventilation
- Cardiovascular
- Medical
- Trauma
- Special Considerations

*All pre-conference and core conference workshops have been designed with these new guidelines in mind and will hopefully make your re-licensure a little easier.*

## SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

### PRE-CONFERENCE

Monday, April 21, 2025

#	Time	Course Title	Day #	Instructor
P01	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMT-Intermediate Renewal CE Package	1 of 4	Region III
P02	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMT-Paramedic Renewal CE Package	1 of 4	Region III
P03	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMD Renewal CE Package	1 of 2	Region III
P04	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	PHTLS	1 of 2	Region III
P05	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	Wilderness EMT Upgrade	1 of 2	Carl Gilmore
P06	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	Tactical Emergency Casualty Care (TECC)	1 of 2	Region III
P07	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	Intro to ECG	1 Day	Region III

Tuesday, April 22, 2025

#	Time	Course Title	Day #	Instructor
P01	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMT-Intermediate Renewal CE Package	2 of 4	Region III
P02	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMT-Paramedic Renewal CE Package	2 of 4	Region III
P03	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMD Renewal CE Package	2 of 2	Region III
P04	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	PHTLS	2 of 2	Region III
P05	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	Wilderness EMT Upgrade	2 of 2	Carl Gilmore
P06	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	Tactical Emergency Casualty Care (TECC)	2 of 2	Region III
P08	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMT-Basic Renewal CE Package	1 of 3	Region III
P09	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	First Responder Renewal CE Package	1 of 2	Region III
P10	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	Moulage Course	1 Day	Hewitt/Griffin
P11	08:00 am – 12:00 pm	NMEMSTARS Data Quality Provider Class	½ Day	Mowrer

Wednesday, April 23, 2025

#	Time	Course Title	Day #	Instructor
P01	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMT-Intermediate Renewal CE Package	3 of 4	Region III
P02	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMT-Paramedic Renewal CE Package	3 of 4	Region III
P08	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMT-Basic Renewal CE Package	2 of 3	Region III
P09	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	First Responder Renewal CE Package	2 of 2	Region III
P12	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	Skills Day	1 Day	Region III
P13	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	Medical Director Course	1 of 2	Kim Pruett
P14	08:00 am – 12:00 pm	NMEMSTARS Data Quality Service Administrator Class	½ Day	Mowrer

Thursday, April 24, 2025

#	Time	Course Title	Day #	Instructor
P01	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMT-Intermediate Renewal CE Package	4 of 4	Region III
P02	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMT-Paramedic Renewal CE Package	4 of 4	Region III
P08	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	EMT-Basic Renewal CE Package	3 of 3	Region III
P13	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	Medical Director Course	2 of 2	Kim Pruett
P15	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	PEARS	1 Day	Region III
P16	08:00 am – 12:00 pm	Stop the Bleed (Train the Trainer)	½ Day	Region III
P17	08:00 am – 12:00 pm	Fund Act/Licensing Management Software (LMS)	½ Day	Griego/Marquez
P18	08:00 am – 05:00 pm	Advanced Airway Management	1 Day	Trans Aero
P19	01:00 pm – 05:00 pm	Stop the Bleed (Train the Trainer)	½ Day	Region III



## CORE CONFERENCE

Friday, April 25, 2025

#	Title	Speaker	CE Category
<b>09:00 am – 10:00 am</b>			
<b>C01</b>	<b>History's Mysteries: Interesting Ways Famous People Have Died</b>	<b>Janet Taylor</b>	<b>Trauma/ Cardio/Med</b>
<b>10:30am – 11:30am</b>			
C02	I've Fallen and I can't Get Up	Steve Murphy	Trauma
C03	Looking at the Hidden	Lance Hill	Cardiovascular
C04	The Opiate Epidemic and Suboxone	Kimberly Pruett	Medical
C05	Sepsis- Suspect and Save Lives	David Brenner	Medical
<b>01:00pm – 02:00pm</b>			
C06	Elusive Endocrinology	Bob Matoba	Medical
C07	The Nuts and Bolts of Breathing	Chad Curry	Airway/Ventilation
C08	The Devil is in the Details: Take the Patient Out of the Assessment	Tracey Loscar	Medical/Trauma
C09	What Did They Get Into?	James Williams	Trauma /Peds
<b>02:30pm – 03:30pm</b>			
C10	Holes and Hangouts	Chad Curry	Medical
C11	Bang Your Head	Janet Taylor	Trauma
C12	Take A Little Trip	James Williams	Medical/Trauma
C13	Pediatric Respiratory	Kimberly Pruett	Spec. Consider. - Peds
<b>04:00pm – 05:00 pm</b>			
C14	Can You Catch a Heart Attack?	David Brenner	Cardiovascular
C15	Dancing to the Beat: Understanding Cardiac Pharmacology	Bob Matoba	Cardiovascular/Medical
C16	Gloves on Scene Safe is Not Enough!	Steve Murphy	Medical
C17	Baby on Board	Chad Curry	Spec. Consider. - Peds

Saturday, April 26, 2025

<b>09:00 am – 10:00 am</b>			
<b>C18</b>	<b>Fun With Physiology: Let's Get Cellular</b>	<b>Bob Matoba</b>	<b>Medical/ Cardio</b>
<b>10:30am – 11:30am</b>			
C19	Maternal Cardiac Arrest: Precious Cargo	Stephen Rahm	Medical
C20	Harder To Breathe: ARDS	Janet Taylor	Airway/Ventilation
C21	The Heat Is On- Heatstroke	David Brenner	Medical
C22	Where's My Why?	Lance Hill	Preparatory/Operations
<b>01:00pm – 02:00pm</b>			
C23	Nailing the Neurologic Exam: How EMS Clinicians Catch Neuro-Catastrophes	Bob Matoba	Medical
C24	The Primary Patient Assessment	Steve Murphy	Trauma
C25	Pediatric Seizures	Kimberly Pruett	Special Consider -Peds
C26	Airway Management: The Anatomy, Physiology, and Procedure	Stephen Rahm	Airway/Ventilation
<b>02:30pm – 03:30pm</b>			
C27	A Helpless Feeling: Emergent Care of Non-Compressible Trauma Injuries in the Adult	Chad Curry	Trauma
C28	It's Not A STEMI but... Four not-to-be-missed EKG Patterns	David Brenner	Cardiovascular
C29	The Third Degree: Improving Patient Interviews and Communication Techniques	Tracey Loscar	Medical
C30	Take Your Breath Away	James Williams	Airway/Ventilation
<b>04:00pm – 05:00 pm</b>			
C31	OB/GYN and Childbirth	Steve Murphy	Medical
C32	Drowning on Dry Land	Stephen Rahm	Cardiovascular/Medical
C33	Industrial Revolution: Traumatic Injuries Specific to Industrial Settings	Janet Taylor	Trauma
C34	EKG Interpretation	Lance Hill	Cardiovascular

Sunday, April 27, 2025

<b>09:00am – 10:00am</b>			
<b>C35</b>	<b>The Great Divide</b>	<b>Tracey Loscar</b>	<b>Preparatory/Operations</b>
<b>10:30am – 11:30am</b>			
<b>C36</b>	<b>A Chat with the Chief</b>	<b>Kyle Thornton</b>	<b>Preparatory/Operations</b>
<b>11:45am – 12:45pm</b>			
<b>C37</b>	<b>Wellness- Taking Care of Us</b>	<b>Steve Murphy</b>	<b>Preparatory/Operations</b>

## Pre-Conference Workshops

### P01 EMT-Intermediate & AEMT Renewal CE Package ..... \$200

**Presented By: EMS Region III/Trans Aero MedEvac**  
**4 DAYS – Mon. – Thurs. (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

This Pre-conference workshop has been designed to provide the EMT-I and AEMT **40** hours of the required 50 hours of EMS Bureau-approved continuing education that adheres to NM relicensing regulations and the National Registry NCCP requirements. The additional **10** hours can be obtained by attending the Core Conference (at a discounted rate) which will satisfy all of the CEs needed to renew your New Mexico EMT-I license and your National Registry Certification as an AEMT. This workshop combines lectures, case studies, skill stations and simulations designed to challenge the EMT-Intermediate and AEMT student and promote team dynamics.

The student will attend the “Skills Day” (fee included with your registration) on Wednesday, which will provide the student with a review of the skills approved in the NM Scope of Practice for their licensure level.

In an attempt to limit in-classroom times, there will be an **8-hr. pre-class online homework** CE requirement to ensure that all hour requirements are met. **Information on how to log in to the online class will be sent out following your registration.** Students will have until the last day of class to complete the online material. Students who do not complete the material will only be awarded CE hours for the in-class portion. **For NM licensed EMTs, your CE hours will be uploaded into the NM EMS License Portal. If you are needing a CE certificate for National Registry, you must send Brandie Bray an email request upon completion.** The CEs earned in class **and on-line** that can be applied toward NM re-licensure requirements are:

4.0 hours	Preparatory/Operations
5.0 hours	Airway, Resp. & Ventilation
5.0 hours	Cardiovascular
10.0 hours	Medical
8.0 hours	Trauma
<u>8.0 hours</u>	Special Considerations (5 hours of which is targeted Pediatric)
<b>40 hours</b>	

**NM EMT-Intermediate** - The EMT-I will need an additional **10** hours of targeted CEs, for a total of **50** hours, to satisfy NM re-licensure requirements. NREMT is not specific on the additional hours, but New Mexico requirements would be:

0.0 hours	Preparatory/Operations
1.0 hours	Airway, Resp. & Ventilation.
1.0 hours	Cardiovascular
2.0 hours	Medical
4.0 hours	Trauma
<u>2.0 hours</u>	Special Considerations
<b>10 hours</b>	

**Note: If you are unable to stay for the entire workshop, you will be awarded hour for hour CEs for the sessions you attend.**

**CE Certificate Issued by EMS Region III**

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### P02 Paramedic Renewal CE Package ..... \$350

**Presented By: EMS Region III/Trans Aero MedEvac**  
**4 DAYS – Mon. – Thurs. (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

This Pre-conference workshop has been designed to provide the Paramedic **50** hours of the required 60 hours EMS Bureau-approved continuing education that adheres to NM relicensing regulations and the National Registry NCCP requirements. The additional **10** hours can be obtained by attending the Core Conference, (at a discounted rate) which will satisfy all hours of the CEs needed to renew your New Mexico Paramedic license and your National Registry Certification as a Paramedic. This workshop combines lectures, case studies, skill stations and simulations designed to challenge the Paramedic student and promote team dynamics.

The student will attend the “Skills Day” (fee included with your registration) on Wednesday, which will provide the student with a review of the skills approved in the NM Scope of Practice for their licensure level.

On Thursday, students of the Paramedic Renewal Course will attend the Basic in Critical Care class (fee included with your registration).

In an attempt to limit in-classroom times, there will be an **18-hr. pre-class online homework** CE requirement to ensure that all hour requirements are met. **Information on how to log in to the online class will be sent out following your registration.**

Students will have until the last day of class to complete the online material. Students who do not complete the material will only be awarded CE hours for the in-class portion. **For NM licensed EMTs, your CE hours will be uploaded into the NM EMS License Portal. If you are needing a CE certificate for National Registry, you must send Brandie Bray an email request upon completion.** The CEs earned in class **and on-line** that can be applied toward NM re-licensure requirements are:

6.0 hours	Preparatory/Operations
7.0 hours	Airway, Resp. & Ventilation
9.0 hours	Cardiovascular
11.0 hours	Medical
8.0 hours	Trauma
<u>9.0 hours</u>	Special Considerations (5 hours of which is targeted Pediatric)
<b>50 hours</b>	

**NM EMT-Paramedic** – You will need an additional **10** hours of CEs, for a total of **60** hours, to satisfy re-licensure requirements. NREMT is not specific on the additional hours, but New Mexico requirements would be:

0.0 hours	Preparatory and Operations
1.0 hours	Airway, Respiratory & Ventilation
1.0 hours	Cardiovascular
3.0 hours	Medical
2.0 hours	Trauma
<u>3.0 hours</u>	Special Considerations (5 hours of which is targeted Pediatric)
<b>10 hours</b>	

**Note:** If you are unable to stay for the entire workshop, you will be awarded hour for hour CEs for the sessions you attend.

#### **Certificate Issued by EMS Region III**

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### **P03**

#### **Emergency Medical Dispatcher (EMD) Renewal CE Package..... \$100.00**

**Presented By: EMS Region III**

**2 DAYS – Mon. – Tues. (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

This Pre-conference workshop has been designed to provide the EMD with all of the CEs needed to renew your New Mexico license as an EMD, which includes **20** hours of EMS Bureau-approved continuing education that adheres to NM relicensing regulations. In this workshop you will receive **10** contact hours of Emergency Medical Dispatch CEs and **10** contact hours of approved medical subjects/skills. Once again, this will satisfy all licensure requirements for renewal.

In an attempt to limit in-classroom times, there will be a **4-hr. pre-class online homework** CE requirement to ensure that all hour requirements are met. **Information on how to log in to the online class will be sent out following your registration.** Students will have until the last day of class to complete the online material. Students who do not complete the material will only be awarded CE hours for the in-class portion. **For NM licensed EMTs, your CE hours will be uploaded into the NM EMS License Portal. If you are needing a CE certificate for National Registry, you must send Brandie Bray an email request upon completion.**

**Noe:** If you are unable to stay for the entire workshop, you will be awarded hour for hour CEs for the sessions you attend.

**Note:** You will still need to maintain a current CPR card.

#### **CE Certificate Issued by EMS Region III**

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### **P04**

#### **Prehospital Trauma Life Support (PHTLS) ..... \$300**

**Presented By: EMS Region III/Trans Aero MedEvac**

**2 DAYS – Mon. – Tues. (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

Developed by the National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians (NAEMT), the Pre-Hospital Trauma Life Support (PHTLS) class is designed to provide the practicing prehospital healthcare professional with a specific body of knowledge related to the assessment and care of the trauma patient. The PHTLS class is an intensive 16-hour course, which stresses the principles of the Platinum 10 minutes, the Golden Hour, and the critical actions that must take place during these times. PHTLS picks up where other educational programs leave off. This course focuses on how to identify, stabilize, treat and transport trauma patients with the highest level of care, which gives them the greatest chance of survival. Studies indicate



patients have a greater chance of survival following a traumatic incident when their healthcare providers have taken a PHTLS course. PHTLS is designed to provide the practicing pre-hospital responder with a specific body of knowledge of pre-hospital assessment and management of the trauma patient. PHTLS is a continuing education program and contains information that may be a review for some or all course participants.

**Course Completion Certificate issued by NAEMT**

*9 hrs. Trauma., 2 hrs. AVR, 2 hrs. OPS/Preparatory, 3 hrs. Special Considerations (2 peds)*

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**P05  
Wilderness EMT Upgrade ..... \$475.00**

**Presented By: UNM International Mountain Medicine Center**

**2 DAYS – Mon. – Tues. (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

Wilderness EMS Upgrade for Medical Professionals (First Responders, EMT's, and Paramedics eligible) is a 40-hour course (24 hours online and 16 hours in class) that teaches the pre-hospital medical provider how to manage patients in the backcountry, where access to resources is limited and environmental factors impact patient care. From high-altitude medicine to helicopter operations, this curriculum covers a multitude of both medical and operational topics to give students the ability to make confident decisions in a variety of austere environments. Upon completion of this course, students will receive a 2-year Wilderness EMS upgrade certification from the University of New Mexico International Mountain Medicine Center (**NM EMS Bureau approved wilderness EMS training program and nationally recognized**).

**Course Completion Certificate issued by EMSA**

*15hrs. Medical, 15 hrs. Trauma, 5 hrs. Preparatory/Operations, 1 hr. Airway, Respiration & Ventilation, 2 hrs. Cardiovascular & 2 hrs. Special Considerations*

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**P06  
Tactical Emergency Casualty Care (TECC) ..... \$275**

**Presented By: EMS Region III/Trans Aero MedEvac**

**2 DAYS – Mon. – Tues. (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

Everyday EMS and fire personnel are called to scenes of violence. These may be active shooters at schools or other gatherings or routine calls that turn violent. We must be prepared to not only care for the injured but protect ourselves from harm. Tactical Emergency Casualty Care (TECC) is a set of evidenced-based and best practice trauma care guidelines for civilian high-threat pre-hospital environments. The TECC guidelines are built upon the critical medical lessons learned by US and allied military forces over the past 20 years of conflict and codified in the doctrine of Tactical Combat Casualty Care (TCCC). Using the military TCCC guidelines as a starting point, the Committee of TECC creates the civilian high threat medical guidelines through a process of literature research, evidence evaluation, expert discussion and civilian best practices review. The TECC guidelines are built upon the foundations of TCCC but are different to meet the unique needs of the civilian medical and operational environments. The differences address civilian specific language, provider scope of practice, population, civilian liability, civilian mission and operational constraints, logistics and resource acquisition. This course utilizes these guidelines to provide appropriate instruction to civilian first responders. This class minimizes lecture time to provide the greatest amount time in skills application.

**Course Completion Certificate issued by NAEMT**

*8 hrs. Trauma., 4 hrs. AVR, 2 hrs. OPS/Preparatory, 2 hrs. Special Considerations (2 peds)*

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**P07  
Introduction to ECG ..... \$100**

**Presented By: EMS Region III**

**1 DAY – Monday (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

This course is designed to assist EMS providers in the identification of basic cardiac arrhythmias, especially those that are life threatening. Specifically, the course will cover lead placement and obtaining a tracing, electrophysiology of the heart, waveforms on the EKG and rhythm interpretation. It is the recommended course for EMS providers who want to learn more about ECGs. This includes EMTs who work on an ambulance, in an ER or as a telemetry technician in a hospital. The class is essential to anyone who will be taking Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)

**CE Certificate Issued by EMS Region III**

*8 hrs. Cardiovascular*

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P08

**EMT-Basic Renewal CE Package..... \$175**

**Presented By: EMS Region III/Trans Aero MedEvac**

**3 DAYS – Tues. – Thurs. (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

This Pre-conference workshop has been designed to provide the EMT-B **30** hours of the required 40 hours EMS Bureau-approved continuing education that adheres to NM relicensing regulations and the National Registry NCCP requirements. The additional **10** hours can be obtained by attending the Core Conference (at a discounted rate) which will satisfy all of the CEs needed to renew your New Mexico EMT-B license and your National Registry Certification as a NREMT-B. This workshop combines lectures, case studies, skill stations and simulations designed to challenge the EMT-Basic and promote team dynamics.

The student will attend the “Skills Day” (fee included with your registration) on Wednesday, which will provide the student with a review of the skills approved in the NM Scope of Practice for their licensure level.

In an attempt to limit in-classroom times, there will be a **6-hr. pre-class online homework** CE requirement to ensure that all hour requirements are met. **Information on how to log in to the online class will be sent out following your registration.** Students will have until the last day of class to complete the online material. Students who do not complete the material will only be awarded CE hours for the in-class portion. **For NM licensed EMTs, your CE hours will be uploaded into the NM EMS License Portal. If you are needing a CE certificate for National Registry, you must send Brandie Bray an email request upon completion.** The CEs earned in class that can be applied toward NM re-licensure requirements are:

4 hours	Preparatory/Operations
5 hours	Airway, Resp. & Ventilation
5 hours	Cardiovascular
5 hours	Medical
4 hours	Trauma
<u>7 hours</u>	Special Considerations (5 hours of which is targeted Pediatric)

**30 hours**

**NM EMT-B** – You will need an additional 10 hours of CEs, for a total of 40 hours, to satisfy re-licensure requirements. All additional hours could be obtained by taking the Core Conference. NREMT is not specific on the additional hours, but the New Mexico remaining requirements would be:

0 hours	Preparatory and Operations
1 hours	Airway, Resp. & Ventilation
1 hours	Cardiovascular
3 hours	Medical
4 hours	Trauma
<u>1 hour</u>	Special Considerations

**10 hours**

**Note: If you are unable to stay for the entire workshop, you will be awarded hour for hour CEs for the sessions you attend.**

**CE Certificate Issued by EMS Region III**

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P09

**EMS First Responder (EMSFR)..... \$145**

**Presented By: EMS Region III/Trans Aero MedEvac**

**2 DAYS – Tues. – Wed. (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

This pre-conference workshop has been designed to provide the EMS First Responder (EMSFR) **20** hours of EMS Bureau-approved continuing education that adheres to NM relicensing regulations and the National Registry NCCP requirements. This course will provide all of the CEs needed to renew your New Mexico license as an EMSFR. This workshop combines lectures, case studies, skill stations and simulations designed to challenge the EMSFR student and promote team dynamics.

The student will attend the “Skills Day” (fee included with your registration) on Wednesday, which will provide the student with a review of the skills approved in the NM Scope of Practice for their licensure level.

In an attempt to limit in-classroom times, there will be a **4-hr. pre-class online homework** CE requirement to ensure that all hour requirements are met. **Information on how to log in to the online class will be sent out following your registration.** Students will have until the last day of class to complete the online material. Students who do not complete the material will only be awarded CE hours for the in-class portion. **For NM licensed EMTs, your CE hours will be uploaded into the NM EMS License Portal. If you are needing a CE certificate for National Registry, you must send Brandie Bray an email request upon completion.**

The CEs earned to satisfy New Mexico re-licensure requirements are:

2 hours	Preparatory/Operations
3 hours	Airway, Resp. & Ventilation
2 hours	Cardiovascular <sup>2</sup>
4 hours	Medical
4 hours	Trauma
<u>5 hours</u>	Special Considerations (4 hours of which is targeted Pediatric)
<b>20 hours</b>	

Once again, this will satisfy all NM licensure requirements for renewal.

**Note: If you are unable to stay for the entire workshop, you will be awarded hour for hour CEs for the sessions you attend.**

### **CE Certificate Issued by EMS Region III**

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## **P10**

### **Moulage For Your Mass Casualty Training..... \$100.00**

**Instructors: Mary Hewitt/ Jennie Griffin**

**1 DAY – Tuesday (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

Come and join us for eight fun and educational hours covering anatomy, wound appearance and MCI exercise development. You will learn to make a multitude of wounds and be able to set up your service's MCI trainings with realistic injuries. We will teach you GSW, fractures, burns, lacerations, abrasions, avulsions, etc. You get to keep all the wounds you make and we will show you how to save them for future use. If you are an instructor, this is the class for you to earn educator CE's and to be able to provide your students with realistic illnesses and injuries during skills testing.

**CE Certificate Issued by FX Wound Works**

*4 hours Preparatory/Operations, 2 hours Medical, 2 hours Trauma*

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## **P11**

### **NMEMSTARS Data Quality/LMS – EMS Provider Class.....Free**

**Presented By: Jesse Mowrer, EMS Region III**

**1/2 DAY – Tuesday (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

This session will address the importance of quality in inputting patient care documentation. Quality reports reflect quality patient care. Your report becomes a permanent documentation of the care you provided and becomes a part of the hospital record for continuum of care. Accurate reporting also facilitates better capability of running meaningful reports for Quality Improvement activities. You will receive information regarding problem areas that need to be addressed for better patient care and tips on how to complete the report faster. Jesse will also review the new Licensing Management System Public Portal to answer questions on initial and renewal applications.

**CE Certificate Issued by EMS Region III**

*4 hours Preparatory/Operations*

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## **P12**

### **Skills Day (Full Day – 8 hours CE) ..... \$100**

### **Skills Day (Half Day – 4 hours CE) ..... \$60**

**Presented By: EMS Region III/Trans Aero MedEvac/Eastern New Mexico University-Roswell**

**1 DAY – Wednesday (Class Starts: 08:00 am to 5:30 pm)**

“Skills Day” will be provided for all students attending the “Renewal Workshops” (at no charge) and for anyone wanting to attend a full or half day to receive new training or to relearn some old skills. The day will be spent in combination of Hands on Skills and/or Scenarios Stations. Each station will be conducted by an experience EMS instructor or selected vendor. Skills will include (dependent on the level of licensure):

- ✓ Use of basic adjunctive airway equipment
- ✓ Bleeding control including the appropriate use of tourniquet
- ✓ Patient Assessment, triage, scene safety;
- ✓ Wound management
- ✓ Mechanical positive pressure ventilation
- ✓ Continuous positive airway pressure (CPAP) and bi-level positive airway pressure (BPAP)
- ✓ Use of multi-lumen, supraglottic and laryngeal airway devices (examples: Combi-Tube, King airway, LMA) to include gastric suctioning



- ✓ Application and use of semi-automatic defibrillators
- ✓ I.V. fluid therapy
- ✓ Endotracheal intubation for patients 13 years of age and older
- ✓ Thoracic decompression (needle thoracostomy)
- ✓ Surgical cricothyroidotomy
- ✓ Intraosseous access
- ✓ Hemostatic dressings for control of bleeding;

The list of stations will be posted by early April.

The afternoon session will be a repeat of the morning session, however if you take both, you will receive CEs for both. Students must complete the full session to receive CEs, no partial credit will be issued.

### **Certificate Issued by EMS Region III**

*2.0 AVR, 1.5 Cardiovascular, 1.5 Medical, 1.5 Trauma, 1.5 Special Considerations (1.0 Peds)*

## **P13**

### **Medical Director Course.....Free** **Sponsored by the New Mexico Department of Health**

**Presented By: Kim Pruett, MD – State Medical Director, Chelsea White, MD, Ian Medoro, MD, Whitney Barrett, MD, Darren Braude, MD and Mateo Garcia, MD**

**2 DAYS – Wednesday, April 26th. – Thursday April 27th (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

“Medical direction” means guidance or supervision provided by a physician to a provider or Emergency Medical Services system and which includes authority over and responsibility for Emergency Medical Dispatch, direct patient care and transport of patients, arrangements for medical control and all other aspects of patient care delivered by a provider.

Medical control is required for certain skills and medications used at all levels of EMS as outlined in the New Mexico scopes of practice. Those EMS personnel who function without medical direction shall only perform those skills, techniques and procedures that do not require medical director approval. Any person who is issued a temporary or graduate license shall only administer the medications or perform the skills, techniques, medications and procedures for the approved level, as established by the medical direction committee and found in the applicable scope of practice.

It is mandatory<sup>1</sup> that all Medical Directors, complete a nationally-recognized EMS Medical Director's course; or, a Bureau-recognized orientation course; or a local orientation provided by a regional or State EMS Medical Director. This course satisfies the requirements for Medical Direction for the State of New Mexico.

Topics included in this course are:

Overview of Prehospital Systems	Medical Director Update
Elements & Structure of EMS Systems	Quality Programs
Licensure/Discipline	Legal Issues
Testing	Contracts/Reimbursement
The New Mexico Data Collection System (NMEMSTARS)	Incident Command
Introduction to Medical Oversight	MCI/Disaster Plans
Medical Direction regulations	Special Situations
Models of Medical Direction	Training
QA/QI programs	Special Skills Application
Protocol Development	

<sup>1</sup>**PART 3 MEDICAL DIRECTION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES - 7 NMAC 27.3.1**

**Note: If this is the only session that you are signing up for at the conference, you do not need to register on-line, but will need to complete the registration form on page 30.**

### **CMEs Issued**

**15 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™.**

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**P14****NMEMSTARS Data Quality/LMS – EMS Service Administrator Class .....Free****Presented By: Jesse Mowrer, EMS Region III****1/2 DAY – Wednesday (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

Currently, less than 48% of Service administrators, including both rural and urban, are logging into NMEMSTARS. In this session we stress the importance of monitoring data input to ensure accurate reporting and how it drives quality improvement efforts at the agency level. We will train EMS Administrators how to utilize NMEMSTARS to generate service reports, review data input and gather data for QI activities. We will also cover the Quality Improvement internal memo system for communicating patient care and documentation concerns to the crew and Medical Director. Our goal is to increase the number of Administrators utilizing the NMEMSTARS system as an additional tool to assure optimal provider and EMS service performance. Jesse will also review the new Licensing Management System Portal and how administrators can update service, personnel and vehicle information. Also, all applications can now be found on this Portal.

**CE Certificate Issued by EMS Region III****4 hours Preparatory/Operations**

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**P15****Pediatric Emergency Assessment, Recognition & Stabilization (PEARS)..... \$210****Presented By: EMS Region III/Trans Aero MedEvac****1 DAY – Thursday (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

PEARS is an American Heart Association Intermediate Course for credentialed healthcare providers who infrequently see critically ill children. The main focus of PEARs is prevention, and specifically the assessment, recognition and stabilization of pediatric victims at risk of severe cardiopulmonary distress. Course content covers pediatric assessment, recognition and management of respiratory distress and failure, recognition and management of shock, respiratory and circulatory management, resuscitation team concept and Chain of Survival, according to the 2020 AHA Guidelines. The audience for this course is designed to meet the needs of First Responder, EMT-Basic, and EMT-Intermediate/AEMT to provide care to pediatric patients. Upon successful completion students will be awarded a course completion card from the American Heart Association.

**Course Completion Card Issued by AHA****8 hours Special Considerations – Pediatric/Medical**

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**P16****Stop the Bleed (Train the Trainer) Morning Session .....\$60.00****Presented By: Trans Aero MedEvac****4 HOURS – Thursday (Class starts: 08:00 am)**

This class trains civilian bystanders and medical personnel alike to respond in emergency situations with bleeding control until first responders arrive. Uncontrolled bleeding can lead to death. In this class, you will learn how to safely and properly apply a tourniquet, when necessary, until further treatment can be obtained.

Uncontrolled bleeding is the number one cause of preventable death from trauma. The greater the number of people who know how to control bleeding in an injured person, the greater the chances of survival. You can help save a life by knowing how to stop bleeding if someone, including yourself, is injured. The “Stop the Bleed” Campaign ([www.bleedingcontrol.org](http://www.bleedingcontrol.org)), originally the Bleeding Control for the Injured (B-Con), is designed for NON-tactical law enforcement officers, firefighters, security personnel, teachers and other civilians requiring this basic training.

This course is designed to be a trainer to train individuals on what to do as an immediate responder in a bleeding emergency and covers the ABCs of bleeding as a method to stop an active bleed. The course includes a class presentation and hands-on skills demonstration on tourniquet application, wound packing and pressure application. Any EMS Provider who completes this class can turn around and teach this life saving course in their community.

**Course Completion Certificate issued by EMS Region III****2.0 Trauma, 1.0 Prep/Ops**

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**P17**

**Fund Act Workshop/Licensing Management Software .....Free**

**Presented By: NM EMS Bureau Staff**

**1/2 DAY - Thursday (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

The New Mexico EMS system consists of 345 EMS and Fire Services and over 8,000 licensed medical technicians. They respond to approximately 380,000 requests for service [encounters (runs)] each year. EMS services may apply for a state appropriation from the EMS Fund Act, which provides \$3.2 million per year to help underwrite the EMS services in the State. Receipt of these funds is dependent on a number of parameters, including the number of EMS runs a service makes each year, level of responders' training, geographical area covered and population served.

This year the application process has been changed to an online format through the Licensing Portal. In this session, we will cover the new application process and answer Fund Act and other Bureau questions. If you are responsible for the funding for your service, you don't want to miss out on this session. The remainder of the session will be spent on training/issues and questions/answers on the NMEMSTARS Elite data reporting system and the Licensing Management Portal.

**Note: If this is the only session that you are signing up for at the conference, you do not need to register online, but will need to complete the registration form on page 30. Participants attending only this session will not receive a name badge or conference bag.**

**CEs Issued by the EMS Bureau**

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**P18**

**Advanced Airway Management .....\$90**

**Presented By: EMS Region III/Trans Aero MedEvac**

**1 DAY – Thursday (Class Starts: 08:00 am)**

This hands-on, one-day Advanced Airway Management course is designed for experienced paramedics seeking to refine and enhance their airway management skills in high-acuity, pre-hospital environments. In conjunction with the P02-Paramedic Renewal Course, this course combines expert instruction with real-world scenarios to improve proficiency in advanced airway techniques.

Led by flight paramedics and advanced practice providers, participants will engage in intensive hands-on practice and simulation exercises. The focus will be on advanced airway interventions such as endotracheal intubation, supraglottic airway devices, surgical airways, and the management of difficult airways. The course also emphasizes critical thinking, patient assessment, and troubleshooting in high-stress situations, all within a collaborative team environment.

By the end of the 8-hour session, participants will have honed their technical skills and gained confidence in using advanced airway devices and techniques to manage compromised airways in both routine and emergency settings.

Key Topics Include:

- Advanced airway assessment and decision-making
- Endotracheal intubation techniques
- Supraglottic airway devices (e.g., King LT, i-gel)
- Needle and surgical cricothyrotomy
- Managing the difficult airway: strategies and tools
- Airway management in trauma, pediatrics, and special populations
- High-fidelity simulation scenarios and hands-on practice

This course is intended for licensed paramedics.

**Course Completion Card Issued by Trans Aero MedEvac**

**6 hours AVR, 1 hour Medical, 1 hour Trauma**

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**Stop the Bleed (Train the Trainer) Afternoon Session.....\$60.00**

**Presented By: EMS Region III**

**4 HOURS – Thursday (Class starts: 01:00 pm)**

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*2.0 Trauma, 1.0 Prep/Ops*

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## Core Conference Session

Friday, April 25th

C01

### History's Mysteries: Interesting Ways Famous People Have Died

**Presented by Janet Taylor**

Did you know that George Washington died of a sore throat? Or that John Ritter died of an Aortic Dissection? What about Christopher Reeve? Didn't he die in a horseback related accident? No? In this presentation we will re-visit some famous and historical figures and evaluate their cause of death and some possible solutions that may (or may not) have helped save their lives. This is all about assessment and resources available and recognizing potential life threats.

**CE Category – Trauma, Cardiovascular, Medical**

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C02

### I've Fallen and I Can't Get Up

**Presented by Steve Murphy**

Don't laugh, L&I has listed FALLS as the one cause for on the job related injuries. This program will explore a variety of injury patterns associated with falls and the hidden life threats EMS providers need to be aware of.

**CE Category – Trauma**

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C03

### Looking at The Hidden

**Presented by Lance Hill**

This comprehensive course will discuss proper lead placement for EKGs and how ST segment changes tell us what part of the heart is affected.

**CE Category – Cardiovascular**

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C04

### The Opiate Epidemic and Suboxone

**Presented by Dr. Kimberly Pruett**

Join in a candid discussion about the Opiate Epidemic in New Mexico. New Mexico's Medical Director, Dr. Kimberly Pruett will provide insight into the struggles faced by pre-hospital services when treating patient's affected by opiate aduse and the use of Suboxone for treatment.

**CE Category – Medical**

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C05

### Sepsis- Suspect and Save Lives

**Presented by David Brenner**

This overview of The Third International Consensus Definitions for Sepsis and Septic Shock (Sepsis-3) is vectored for the EMS provider. Following a historical look at sepsis, these recent assessment guidelines along with treatment strategies are presented in a very interactive format.

**CE Category – Medical**

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## **C06**

### **Elusive Endocrinology**

**Presented by Bob Matoba**

Have you ruled out diabetes but can't explain your patient's altered condition? This interactive case study presentation highlights Addison's disease, Cushing's Syndrome, and Grave's disease. A nuts and bolts approach will be used to address the ALS and BLS considerations for managing these less than common conditions.

**CE Category – Medical**

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## **C07**

### **The Nuts and Bolts of Breathing**

**Presented by Chad Curry**

This presentation offers a practical approach towards understanding the ventilatory needs of your patient. It explores the fundamentals of ventilation, ways to improve your airway management techniques, and examines prehospital medication effects on the pulmonary system. We'll explore the practice of protective lung ventilation, and the benefits/concerns expressed towards its use in the prehospital setting.

**CE Category – Airway, Respiration & Ventilation**

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## **C08**

### **The Devil Is In The Details: Take The Patient Out of The Assessment**

**Presented by Tracey Loscar**

This extremely engaging presentation talks about taking a systematic approach to scene assessment to begin building a patient profile and preliminary set of different diagnoses. We review the different types of bias, how to interpret demographics, factors in environment and socioeconomic status, and what true situational awareness begins to look like.

**CE Category – Medical/Trauma**

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## **C09**

### **What Did They Get In To?**

**Presented by James Williams**

Try as we may, kids get into everything. We limit their access and try to tell them the harm that can come to them if they take or misuse dangerous or harmful items around the house, but we can't always be 100% sure they won't give it a try or make a mistake. Prescription, over the counter, and illicit drug overdose continues to be one the rise nationwide. In fact, NSAID's are the third most commonly intentional type of overdose, and other drugs are responsible for quite a number of hospital visits and admissions. Join James as he reviews the reasons for intentional and accidental ingestions, symptoms, side effects and treatments for pediatric toxicities using a case based approach.

**CE Category – Special Consideration - Pediatric**

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## **C10**

### **Holes and Hangouts**

**Presented by Chad Curry**

No matter what type of prehospital service you're employed or volunteer for, there will always be that one patient with some medical hole, tube, or other device that leaves most providers stumped. How many people realize that leadless pacemakers exist, or know what a flutter valve does for a patient found at home? This presentation will take a quick look at the most common medical devices you may encounter and the best **ways to manage them from the prehospital perspective.**

**CE Category - Medical**

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## **C11**

### **Bang Your Head!**

**Presented by Janet Taylor**



What would you see that is different in a frontal head injury versus a basilar skull fracture? What other part of the skull would you expect to have a fracture if the patient has a basilar skull fracture? What type of head injury causes personality changes? And what is Axial loading anyway? We go into detail with the different types of head injuries and specific findings that you would expect to see. This isn't your "normal" neuro assessment (that's a whole other lecture)

#### **CE Category Trauma**

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### **C12**

#### **Take A Little Trip**

**Presented by James Williams**

We have all faced the "man down, unresponsive" call and got on scene and had very little to work with. In this day and age, with drug abuse on the rise, it is becoming more common for prehospital personnel to treat someone with an accidental overdose of a variety of substances. Substances may include your garden variety prescription or illegal drugs as well as going back to nature and "taking a trip on Mother Nature." Join James during a case based approach to learning to discover the signs and symptoms of the ingestion of different substances people may abuse or use by mistake, the toxicological implications, and what treatments need to be implemented.

#### **CE Category – Medical/Trauma**

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### **C13**

#### **Pediatric Respiratory Emergencies**

**Presented by Dr. Kimberly Pruett**

Join our state Medical Director for a review (and update!) of pediatric respiratory emergencies, how to diagnose them, and our first line prehospital treatments.

#### **CE Category – Special Considerations - Pediatric**

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### **C14**

#### **Can You Catch a Heart Attack Like You Can Catch the Flu?**

**Presented by David Brenner**

Often, we treat patients with infections like flu, pneumonia, COVID-19, or UTIs. We know that some of these conditions were brought on by other people with the condition. Also, we often find patients with pleuritic chest pain that we attribute to non-cardiac causes. These patients often fail to get field 12-lead ECGs. Are we making a mistake? Do infections lead to heart attack? The evidence may surprise you!

#### **CE Category –Cardiovascular**

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### **C15**

#### **Dancing To The Beat: Understanding Cardiac Pharmacology**

**Presented by Bob Matoba**

Understanding various cardiac medications influence the pathophysiology of patients suffering with cardiac conditions is important for EMS providers. This session provides a simple and understandable approach to how cardiac medications affect patients. Although these concepts are ALS emphasized, BLS providers with basic knowledge of cardiac medications will benefit from this presentation as well.

#### **CE Category – Cardiovascular/Medical**

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### **C16**

#### **Gloves on Scene: Safe is Not Enough!**

**Presented by Steve Murphy**

"Gloves on... Scene Safe" is NOT enough! This program will highlight a variety of blood borne and air borne pathogens that present a life threat to both the patient and to those who care for them. What is considered an exposure and what should you do when it happens to you.

#### **CE Category – Medical**

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## **C17**

### **Baby On Board!**

**Presented by Chad Curry**

What brings out the greatest fear for most of us? Calls for really sick babies. This education will examine specific assessment findings for newborns through infants and steps through the initial care of these special patients. We'll discuss physiological concerns during this early stage of life and how we can best manage the patient in the prehospital setting. Finally, we'll examine the care of peri-arrest and pulseless arrest infants along with the tools and techniques that will help you succeed.

**CE Category – Special Considerations -Pediatric**

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**Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup>**

## **C18**

### **Fun With Physiology: Let's Get Cellular!**

**Presented by Bob Matoba**

Cellular action potentials..., how does that apply to EMS? This session will highlight why understanding the concept of cellular action potentials should be the clinical foundation for EVERY level of EMS provider. Practical examples will illustrate how cellular action potentials can become intuitive knowledge within everybody's EMS practice. More importantly, participants will understand how diseases influences cellular action potentials and outwardly create specific signs and symptoms in their patients.

**CE Category – Medical/Cardiovascular**

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## **C19**

### **Maternal Cardiac Arrest: Precious Cargo**

**Presented by Stephen Rahm**

This presentation begins with a review of the anatomic and physiologic adaptations to pregnancy, and the relevance of those adaptations to your assessment and management of MCA. Because we now have a better understanding of what causes OOH-MCA, we are better postured to prevent this catastrophic event from ever occurring. Procedural modifications for OOH-MCA will then be discussed, as well as the latest evidence-based resuscitation guidelines and appropriate transport destinations.

**CE Category –Medical**

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## **C20**

### **Harder To Breathe: ARDS**

**Presented by Janet Taylor**

Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome (ARDS) was previously known as double pneumonia or walking pneumonia. Now we have a better understanding of the pathophysiology of ARDS, we can better recognize it and treat it. Even with the best treatment, ARDS still has a 43% mortality rate. What are the criteria for diagnosing ARDS? What can we do to prevent intubation?

**CE Category – Airway/Ventilation**

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## **C21**

### **The Heat Is On: Heatstroke**

**Presented by David Brenner**

Heatstroke deadly condition brought on by hyperthermia. Worldwide, heat emergencies are increasing. Prompt recognition and the right actions can make a huge difference in the patient's outcome. This lecture includes case presentations, pathophysiology, epidemiology, assessment and treatment strategies, and fire-ground considerations. The continuum of care will be looked at, as well. Strategies for prevention for the public and those in emergency services will be discussed

**CE Category – Medical**

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**C22****Where Is My Why?****Presented by Lance Hill**

Join Lance for a discussion regarding why we are first responders and how we prevent burnout in ourselves.

**CE Category – Preparatory/Operations**

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**C23****Nailing the Neurologic Exam: How EMS Clinicians Catch Neuro-Catastrophes****Presented by Bob Matoba**

Within EMS, patient assessment practices for neurological emergencies frequently fall short of what is required to adequately identify abnormalities. Come learn why many EMS providers are ill-equipped to assess and identify abnormal neurologic conditions. This session bridges the gap by identifying the components needed to expand a neurological assessment beyond basic stroke scales. More importantly, participants will be provided an opportunity to perform an expanded neurological assessment so it can be practically integrated into their clinical practice.

**CE Category – Medical**

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**C24****The Primary Patient Assessment****Presented by Steve Murphy**

This program will present a realistic and useful twist to the well-known A.B.C. approach to patient assessment. Even if you're an old dog, you will like this new adaptive trick to a traditional concept

**CE Category – Trauma**

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**C25****Pediatric Seizures****Presented by Dr Kimberly Pruett**

A study of pediatric seizures. Dr Pruett will discuss the causes of pediatric seizures and their prehospital treatment.

**CE Category – Special Considerations - Pediatric**

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**C26****Airway Management: The Anatomy, Physiology, and Procedure****Presented by Stephen Rahm**

Do you measure your success at airway management on whether you “get the tube,” or do you measure it by how well you keep the patient oxygenated and ventilated? The techniques to achieve effective oxygenation and ventilation vary—but the end game does not (and cannot). This presentation begins with a review of key airway anatomy utilizing high-resolution cadaveric images. You will see exactly where your simple airway adjuncts and supraglottic airways—when properly placed—sit in the airway, perhaps giving you a better understanding of how they work and how effective they can be. Sure, we’ll discuss good intubation technique, but not before resetting the concepts of foundational airway management in our minds.

**CE Category – Airway/Ventilation**

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**C27****A Helpless Feeling: Emergent Care of Non-Compressible Trauma in the Adult****Presented by Chad Curry**

What do we do for serious extremity hemorrhaging? Apply a tourniquet. But what about suspected internal hemorrhaging? Is there anything we can do in the prehospital setting to help our patient and improve their outcome? "More diesel" is not the only answer. This presentation explores how we can optimize care for our patients with suspected internal bleeding, including finding and relaying certain assessment clues, preventing clotting delays, and addressing the patient's priority needs.

**CE Category – Trauma**

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**C28****Not A STEMI but... Four Not To Be Missed EKG Patterns****Presented by David Brenner**

Sure, we were taught to recognize STEMIs. But these four patterns are NOT STEMIs and need to be recognized and addressed immediately. We will investigate these ECG patterns presented by our chest pain patients. Our early recognition may be the driving force that brings the patient early, lifesaving intervention. Case presentations and clear ECG criteria with ample opportunity to practice is included in this vivid and scholarly presentation.

**CE Category – Cardiovascular**

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**C29****The Third Degree: Improving Patient Interviews and Communication Techniques****Presented by Tracy Loscar**

This presentation is specific to how to improve interview techniques, incorporating not just a medical focus - but looking at sources from psychology, journalism and the entertainment industry. Using tips and tricks on human behavior, how to elicit truthful responses, knowing when to back off, or how to recognize when a person might be escalating. It goes over what a clinical line of questioning might look like that enhances finding a correct set of differentials, versus stopping at the first no you come to. Also what to do when a patient or family initially refuses to cooperate.

**CE Category – Medical**

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**C30****Take Your Breath Away****Presented by James Williams**

One of the most essential skills any provider must possess is controlling the airway and giving them sufficient ventilations. We have a range of airway adjuncts at our disposal that we are pretty adequate at using, but often times we fail to make sure ventilations are meeting the patient's physiologic needs. Join James as we review the ventilation ranging from bag valve masks to a basic understanding and introduction to other means of mechanical ventilation.

**CE Category – Airway/Ventilation**

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**C31****OB/GYN and Childbirth****Presented by Steve Murphy**

Delivering a baby is something that really excites you, or it scares you to death. This 60 to 90 minute presentation will cover the anatomy and physiology of the female reproductive system, early and late complications of obstetrics, and vaginal deliveries with a variety of complications –

**CE Category – Medical**

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**C32****Drowning on Dry Land****Presented by Stephen Rahm**

Congestive heart failure (CHF) is a common disease process encountered in the field. Treatment for these patients can be complex and they have a high potential to rapidly deteriorate. However, by understanding the pathophysiology of CHF, you can direct your treatment more specifically and effect clinical improvement before the patient is delivered to the hospital. This presentation begins with a review of the physiological processes of stroke volume, Starling's law of the heart, cardiac output, and ventricular ejection fraction. We will then discuss the pathophysiology and clinical presentations of left and right heart failure. Specific treatment modalities discussed include CPAP/BiPAP and nitroglycerin—the hallmarks of CHF treatment—as well as other BLS and ALS treatment strategies.

**CE Category – Cardiovascular/Medical**

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**C33****Industrial Revolution: Traumatic Injuries Specific to Industrial Settings****Presented by Janet Taylor**

Responding to a trauma in an industrial setting can be challenging just with the different settings possible in your service area. Welding shops, paint shops, farms/ranches, auto mechanics, and construction sites are just a few examples of what we can respond to. While general trauma care is still utilized, we need to understand specifics with industrial settings. In this presentation, we will address some of the specific injuries we would see in industrial settings. We will go over chemical exposures and decontamination, ocular injuries, high pressure injection injuries, degloving, impaled objects, burns and Harness/Suspension syndrome to name a few.

**CE Category – Trauma**

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**C34****EKG Interpretation****Presented by Lance Hill**

A quick guide to EKG interpretation in the field.

**CE Category – Cardiovascular**

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**Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup>**

**C35****The Great Divide****Presented by Tracey Loscar**

This robust presentation focuses on how to manage a multi-generational workforce. In today's workforce we are finding we have to use different communication styles. Recruitment and retention is in for forefront of every aspect of EMS. Tracey will provide insight into ways to bridge the generational gap in the current workforce

**CE Category – Preparatory/Operations**

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## **C36**

### **“A Chat with The Chief”**

#### **Presented by Kyle Thornton**

Join Kyle Thornton, Chief of the EMS Bureau for this session that gives the Chief an opportunity to spend some time with you, answer questions and let you know what is going on with the EMS Bureau. He looks forward to this every year, and hopes you do as well!

**CE Category – Preparatory/Operations**

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## **C37**

### **Wellness- Taking Care of Us**

#### **Presented by Steve Murphy**

We see things we should not see and hear things we were not meant to hear. So what happens when the experiences are too much, and your plate is full or begins to overflow? What if there was something we could do to proactively prepare ourselves for these traumatic events and help mitigate their effects on us? Luckily there IS something we can do; we can build full-scale resiliency! This session will offer a brief introduction to the challenges associated with reactive responses to trauma. More importantly, it will explore several techniques to help Responders build their own resiliency. This lecture is appropriate for everyone from the newest rookie to senior leadership and management, and the discussion may range from emotional and dark to smiles and laughter. Ultimately, it is designed to help Responders live their best life!

**CE Category – Preparatory/Operations**

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## Conference Speakers

### **Craig Rhyne, MD**

#### **Lubbock, TX**

Our Master of Ceremonies will be Dr. Craig Rhyne.

A native of Lubbock, Dr. Rhyne recently retired as the Regional Chief Medical Officer for Covenant Health. Trained as a General and Trauma Surgeon, he has been in the Lubbock community both as a Resident Physician, a Faculty Surgeon at Texas Tech, and has been on the medical staff at Covenant since 1991. He did a research fellowship at Cornell University Medical College in New York City immediately prior to returning to Lubbock in 1988. He has been involved in Trauma System development in both Texas and New Mexico, and has served terms on both state's Governors Trauma Councils. He has served as a Medical Director for EMS services in Texas and New Mexico, and has been the Medical Director for MedTrans AeroCare, a critical care flight transport program.

He has been the Regional Medical Director for EMS Region III for nearly 31 years. When away from Covenant, he lives with his wife of 39 years and has two sons, both engineers and studying law.



### **Steve Murphy, EMT-P**

#### **Orange Beach, AL**



"Murph" has been a paramedic for over 45 years. His experience in the EMS community is extremely diverse. He has worked in both the rural and urban settings. He's served as a flight

paramedic in Colorado, an EMS supervisor and manager in the private ambulance sector, and as an EMS educator. He recently retired from West Pierce Fire & Rescue, where he worked as a Battalion Chief/Paramedic. He is also one of the primary partners in Murphee CME Inc., a medical education and consulting firm. He continues to serve as an American Heart Association Instructor for ACLS – PALS & BLS. He has been actively involved in the continuing education of medical professionals, administrators, and other educators for the past forty years, and has had the privilege of being invited to speak at many state, national and international EMS, Fire and Leadership conferences.

### **Janet Taylor, BSN, CFRN, CEN, CCEMT-P**

#### **Oaceola, MO**



After graduating from nursing school in 1998, Janet worked in various departments through the hospital gaining knowledge and experience in ICU, Obstetrics and ER. She is a Certified Emergency Nurse, Certified Flight Nurse and has her certification as a Critical Care Transport Provider. Janet works full time for Golden Valley Memorial EMS as a nurse/medic. She enjoys teaching part time for EMS conferences across the country and for local paramedic programs. She also writes modules for various online forums and is regularly featured on EMS1. You can see where she will be heading next at [www.emsteacher.com](http://www.emsteacher.com).

### **David Brenner, Paramedic,**

#### **Holbrook, NY**



Paramedic David Brenner is an ex-Captain in the Holbrook Fire Department and has been providing advanced life support EMS services to the community for over 4 decades. He is a New York State Certified

Instructor/Coordinator having taught EMT through Paramedic courses for Suffolk County EMS, Suffolk County Community College, and LaGuardia Community College. As Regional Faculty he has been training providers to be instructors for over thirty years. He holds instructor level certifications for AMLS, PHTLS, GEMS. PTEP, and Safety. He is particularly proud to be a co-author of the NAEMT's Psychological Trauma in EMS Patients course. He is also the author of the 12-Lead ECG Made Clear and Simple lecture and practice course.

## **Kyle Thornton, BA, EMT-P**

### **Albuquerque, NM**

Kyle Thornton is the Emergency Medical Systems Bureau Chief for the State of New Mexico Department of Health. This position oversees the state's Emergency Medical Services & Trauma programs. He has been the EMS Bureau Chief since June of 2007. Kyle has been involved in EMS for nearly 39 years, obtaining his basic EMT license in 1984, and then his paramedic license in 1987.



He has obtained patient care experience with several services over the years, including Albuquerque Ambulance Service, Lifeguard Air Medical Service, Taos County EMS, Town of Bernalillo EMS, and the Sandoval County Fire Department, where he was the Deputy Chief and EMS Chief from November 2004 until he went to the EMS Bureau.

He became involved in Community Education teaching CPR and First Aid in 1984, and has been active in EMS Education since 1990. Kyle spent nine years at the UNM School of Medicine's EMS Academy as the ILS Program Coordinator and then the BLS/ILS Program Director.

## **Stephen J. Rahm Chief, NRP FcEHS**

### **San Antonio, TX**

Stephen is a paramedic, educator, and author whose career in prehospital emergency medicine spans 40 years. Chief Rahm currently oversees the Office of Clinical Direction at the Centre for Emergency Health Sciences in Bulverde, Texas and manages all clinical efforts within Bulverde Spring Branch Emergency Services. Stephen is a prolific author, with numerous prehospital emergency medicine textbooks, videos, and articles published to his credit. Additionally, his research efforts are published in the Annals of Emergency Medicine, Pediatric Emergency Care, Prehospital Emergency Care, JAMA, Resuscitation, Military Medicine, and Obstetrics and Gynecology, as well as on multiple scientific posters. He is the Centre's Co-Chair and is a respected faculty member in procedural and anatomical programs, multi-lead ECG interpretation, trauma care, cardiac arrest management, and more. Chief Rahm is a frequent speaker at local, regional, state, national, and international conferences, where he presents engaging, relevant, and current content across a wide spectrum of emergency medicine topics.



## **Bob Matoba, M.ED, EMT-P**

### **Ocala, FL**

Bob Matoba, M.Ed., EMT-P, has made it his mission to educate clinicians, rather than technicians. Bob's career has spanned many aspects of the EMS profession, first as an EMT for a private ambulance company, all the way to the EMS Chief for a metropolitan fire department. He strives to provide education that has relevance while improving the clinical practice of his participants. Bob has had the privilege to speak at many EMS conferences throughout the nation, and has been a monthly columnist for EMS1.com, as well as a featured and contributing author for EMS World Magazine and JEMS.



## **Tracey Loscar, BA, NRP**

### **Matanuska-Susitna, AK**



Tracey Loscar, BA, NRP, is the Deputy Director of EMS for the Matanuska-Susitna (Mat-Su) Borough, which spans over 25,000 square miles in Southcentral Alaska. Before heading for the mountains she spent over 25 years working in Newark, New Jersey as a ground paramedic, educator,

and flight medic. She has over 75 published works including the columns "When Johnny Met Rosie" and "The Midlife Medic." She is an inaugural recipient of the 2023 American Ambulance Association's "EMS Vanguard Award," in recognition of her contributions to the advancement of mobile healthcare. She is an author, a national speaker, and a member of the EMS World Editorial Advisory Board.

## **James Williams, NREMT-P, I/C, AAS**

### **Lovington, NM**

James R. Williams has been a New Mexico resident for over 40 years. He has been actively involved in fire and EMS for over 30 years. He has served in the capacity as Fire Chief for the Lovington Fire Department, and recently retired as City Manager for the City of Lovington, New Mexico. Although his municipal government service has ended, he continues





to serve the public in the capacity as a Flight Paramedic for Med-Trans, serving with Aerocare IX in Hobbs, New Mexico.

James also currently serves as the Lea County, New Mexico Representative of the Eastern New Mexico Emergency Medical Services Corporation (EMS Region I & III) Board of Directors as President. James also serves as a member of the New Mexico Statewide EMS Advisory Committee and has served on the New Mexico Municipal Fire Chiefs Board of Directors.

James has been speaking at various conferences in New Mexico and across the United States for over a decade. He is well known for his passion and dedication for EMS and strives to see it progress. His presentations are enjoyable due to his sense of humor, pleasant personality, and the ability to make individuals "think outside the box" so they can deal with common and future problems they, as providers, may face.

## **Lance Hill, NRP, I/C**

### **Levelland, TX**

Lance and his wife, Tina, have been married for 35 years. They are parents to a son and two daughters. Lance is active in his church and is always looking for new ways to serve. Lance enjoys spending time with his six grandchildren. In his spare time, he enjoys fishing, hunting, and playing his guitar. Lance will tell you life is best when he can combine his hobbies and spending time with his family.

Lance retired from the Portales Fire Department after twenty-one and a half years where he was a Battalion Chief. He has taught EMS classes at both ENMU-Roswell and Clovis Community College. Lance is an AHA instructor. Over the years, he has formed friendships with many mentors and continues to draw on their experiences and lessons. Upon his retirement the family relocated to Levelland TX where he currently works as a lead Paramedic and service educator.



## **Chad Curry, NREMT**

### **Lubbock, TX**



James "Chad" Curry is a Licensed Paramedic with the state of Texas, a certified Texas EMS Instructor, and a certified Flight Paramedic (FP-C). He is the Training Chief for University Medical Center's Emergency Medical Service (UMC EMS) in Lubbock, Texas and has been employed with UMC EMS for over 25 years. His experience

includes over a decade of employment with AeroCare as a flight paramedic and continues to work with them today.

As the Clinical Coordinator for UMC EMS' licensed continuing education program, Chad oversees and teaches both in-house education and community outreach programs to EMS providers. He is a co-author to several research posters presented across the state and nation, generating interest and helping other EMS agencies advance their treatment protocols based on UMC EMS' experiences. Chad also directs the UMC EMS Outreach CE program that offers free, approved online continuing education to EMS providers in Texas and NREMT recertification candidates throughout the United States.

Closer to home, he and his team of educators teach the American College of Surgeons' "Stop the Bleed" campaign and American Heart Association CPR courses to schools, organizations, and communities across Lubbock and the South Plains. In the past, Chad was a member of the Governor's EMS and Trauma Advisory Council (GETAC) and currently works with the Texas Emergency Medical Task Force. In addition, he has conveyed the concerns of many prehospital providers nationwide by testifying to the United States Sentencing Commission in Washington D.C. about the difficulties faced by synthetic cannabinoid use by the public. He continues to speak to students, parents and the general public about the dangers of substance abuse that may be lurking within their own homes.



# 2025 EMS REGION III ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Full Name:

Affiliation:

Home Address:

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(If different from above)

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## PLEASE CHECK OFF THE PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS YOU WILL BE ATTENDING:

### Workshops starting Monday, April 21, 2025

<input type="checkbox"/>	P01	EMT-Intermediate Renewal CE Package	\$200
<input type="checkbox"/>	P02	EMT-Paramedic Renewal CE Package	\$350
<input type="checkbox"/>	P03	EMD Renewal Package	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	P04	PHTLS	\$300
<input type="checkbox"/>	P05	Wilderness EMT Upgrade	\$475
<input type="checkbox"/>	P06	Tactical Emergency Causality Care (TECC)	\$275
<input type="checkbox"/>	P07	Intro to ECG	\$100

### Workshops starting Tuesday, April 22, 2025

<input type="checkbox"/>	P08	EMT-Basic Renewal CE Package	\$175
<input type="checkbox"/>	P09	First Responder Renewal CE Package	\$145
<input type="checkbox"/>	P10	Moulage Course	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	P11	NMEMSTARS Data Quality - Provider Class	Free

### Workshops starting Wednesday, April 23, 2025

<input type="checkbox"/>	P12	Skills Day - ½ day	\$60	Full day	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/>	P13	Medical Director Course			Free
<input type="checkbox"/>	P14	NMEMSTARS Data Quality - Administrator			Free

### Workshops starting Thursday, April 24, 2025

<input type="checkbox"/>	P15	PEARS	\$210
<input type="checkbox"/>	P16	Stop the Bleed (Train the Trainer) morning	\$60
<input type="checkbox"/>	P17	Fund Act/NMEMSTARS/LMS	Free
<input type="checkbox"/>	P18	Advanced Airway Management	\$90
<input type="checkbox"/>	P19	Stop the Bleed (Train the Trainer) afternoon	\$60

\* If taking the Core Conference to complete the additional CE Requirements.

Note: EMD and EMSFR received all CEs required for renewal during Pre-Conference and do not receive a core conf. discount

\*\* Extra Meal Tickets can be purchase at Registration Desk

Method of Payment (If paying with credit card, you may fax your completed form to EMS Region III at 575-769-3485)

☐ Checks (Payable to EMS Region III)

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## WHICH CORE CONFERENCE SESSION WILL YOU BE ATTENDING: (ONE PER SESSION)

### Friday, April 25, 2025 Sessions

<b>Friday, Morning General Session</b>	<b>01</b>			
Friday, Morning Breakout Sessions	02	03	04	05
Friday, Afternoon Breakout Sessions	06	07	08	09
Friday, Afternoon Breakout Sessions	10	11	12	13
Friday, Afternoon Breakout Sessions	14	15	16	17

### Saturday, April 26, 2025 Sessions

<b>Saturday, Morning General Session</b>	<b>18</b>			
Saturday, Morning Breakout Sessions	19	20	21	22
Saturday, Afternoon Breakout Sessions	23	24	25	26
Saturday, Afternoon Breakout Sessions	27	28	29	30
Saturday, Afternoon Breakout Sessions	31	32	33	34

**Sunday, Morning General Session** **35**

**Sunday, Morning General Session** **36**

**Sunday, Closing General Session** **37**

### Registration Fees (Choose One)

<input type="checkbox"/> Core Conference Registration		After Apr. 9	\$310
<input type="checkbox"/> Discounted Core Conference rate if also attended <b>EMTB</b> , <b>I</b> or <b>P</b> renewal*			\$250
<input type="checkbox"/> Daily Rate			\$120
<input type="checkbox"/> Guest Pass**			\$25
Scholarship Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> \$100	<input type="checkbox"/> \$200	

Pre-Conference Fees:

Conference Fees:

Guest Pass:

Other:

Name of Guest Attending (If Applicable):

**TOTAL AMOUNT:**

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**Continuing Education Scholarship Application for FY 25 (01 July 2024 – 30 June 2025)**  
**Instructions:** Every question must be answered. If a section does not apply, put N/A in the blank. Only one (1) scholarship per person!  
**Incomplete applications will NOT be accepted!**

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**Please follow all instructions, answer all questions, and complete all forms. If you have any questions, or need assistance in the application process, please contact Brandie Bray at [brandie@emsregion3.org](mailto:brandie@emsregion3.org)**

**Applicant/Contact:** (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE CLEARLY)

First Name: _____		Last Name: _____	
Address: _____		Telephone #: _____	
City: _____		Fax #: _____	
State: _____ Zip Code: _____		Email: _____	
Do you reside in New Mexico?	YES		NO

**Affiliation:** (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE CLEARLY)

<b>Agency/Service:</b> _____ _____ <b>Contact Person:</b> _____	<b>Telephone # :</b> _____			
	<b>Volunteer:</b>		<b>Paid:</b>	

**Education Offering:** (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE CLEARLY)

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**Justification for Scholarship Assistance: (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE CLEARLY)**

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