

## APPROVAL PACKET

for

# Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic (EMT-P) Training Program

and

## NREMT - EMT-P Transition Course







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## **Approval Packet**

California regulations require ICEMA to review prospective training programs to assure compliance with State regulations prior to approving the eligible institution's training program. Only approved training programs may offer the training listed below. The purpose of this document is to define the application requirements for Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic (EMT-P) Training Program and the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT) - EMT-P Transition Course approval.

#### REQUIREMENTS FOR EMT-P TRAINING PROGRAM APPROVAL:

The eligibility and program requirements for Emergency Medical Training Programs are listed in California Code of Regulations, Title 22. Social Security, Division 9. Prehospital Emergency Medical Services, Chapter 4. Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic, Article 3. Sections 100149 - 100165 and referenced in the attached application and checklist.

Complete and submit ICEMA EMT-P Training Program approval forms and checklist for EMT-P Training Program Approval.

#### REQUIREMENTS FOR NREMT - EMT-P TRANSITION COURSE:

Only ICEMA approved EMT-P Training Programs will be approved to provide the NREMT - EMT-P Transition Courses.

Complete and submit ICEMA Transition Course approval forms and checklist for NREMT - EMT-P Transition Course.

## **EMT-P TRAINING PROGRAM**

#### I. PROCEDURES

- A. Complete and submit the following to ICEMA:
  - Application for EMT-P Training Program Approval
  - Applicable Fees (See ICEMA Fee Schedule)
  - Checklist for EMT-P Training Program Approval
  - Hospital/Ambulance Affiliation Information Form
- B. The following should be retained by the Training Institution:
  - Certification Exam, i.e., passing grade
  - Attendance requirements, etc.
  - Certification Exam Eligibility, Clinical Time Verification Form
- C. Submit to ICEMA after completion of each course:
  - The ICEMA approved Training Course Record must be submitted within 15 days of course completion, typed or printed, and alphabetized.
- D. Submit to ICEMA by July 15 each year:
  - Summary of Training Program Student Completion

### NREMT - EMT-P TRANSITION COURSE

An individual wishing to maintain National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians - Paramedic (NREMT - EMT-P) certification must successfully complete a NREMT Transition Course. Only ICEMA approved training programs, meeting the requirements below, will be approved to provide the transition courses.

- The NREMT EMT-P Transition Course shall only be taught by ICEMA approved training programs.
- ICEMA approved training programs wishing to teach the transition classes must submit an application and curriculum that is consistent with the "gap content" identified in the National Association of State EMS Officials' "National EMS Education Standards Transition Template". Gap content can be accessed at the following web address:
  - http://www.nasemso.org/EMSEducationImplementationPlanning/documents/EMT-BasictoEMTJune2011.pdf.
- ICEMA approved training programs providing the NREMT transition course shall ensure that students complete the ICS-100, ICS-700, and HAZMAT First Responder Awareness level training, or the equivalent to these courses, either as prerequisites or co-requisites to the transition course.
- Transition courses should be a minimum of 24 hours.
- ICEMA approved training programs providing transition courses must issue a tamper proof certificate of completion that includes within its title:
  - NREMT-Basic's name
  - > Transition course completion date
  - The certificate must contain the following statement: "has completed a State approved EMT-Basic to Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) transition course"
  - > Signature of the individual responsible for the training

The following timeframes are allowed by the NREMT for completing the transition:

NREMT - EMT-P expires:	Complete EMT-P Transition by:
March 31, 2013	March 31, 2017

#### I. PROCEDURES

- A. Complete and submit the ICEMA Transition Course approval forms and checklist for NREMT Transition Course.
- B. Submit to ICEMA after completion of each course:
  - The ICEMA approved Training Course Record must be submitted within 15 days of course completion, typed or printed, and alphabetized.
- C. Submit to ICEMA by July 15 each year:
  - Summary of Training Program Student Completion

# **Application for EMT-P Training Program Approval**

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# CHECKLIST FOR EMT-P TRAINING PROGRAM APPROVAL

Mat	erials to Submit with the Program Approval Application Form	Page No.	Check Completed
1.	Completed checklist for EMT-P program approval (this form)		
2.	Application form for EMT-P training program approval		
3.	Statement indicating eligibility for EMT-P training program approval		
4.	Written request for EMT-P training program approval		
5.	Proof of Accreditation by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP)		
6.	Statement verifying course content is equivalent to the US DOT National Emergency Medical Services Education Standards Emergency Medical Technician Instructional Guidelines (DOT HS 811 077A, January 2009)		
7.	An outline of course objectives		
8.	Performance objectives for each skill		
9.	Name and qualifications of the course director, program medical director, principal instructor(s) and teaching assistant(s)		
10.	Evidence the principal instructor (s) are qualified by education and experience that is documented by a minimum of forty (40) hours of instruction in teaching methodology per COR Title 22, Division 9, Chapter 2, §100150 (c5)		
11.	Provisions for supervised hospital clinical training and supervised field internship including student evaluation criteria and standardized forms for evaluating EMT-P students; and monitoring of preceptors by the training program		
12.	Location of courses offered and proposed dates		
13.	Application fees		
14.	Statement verifying written agreement(s) with a hospital(s) and other clinical setting(s), if applicable, for student placement for clinical education and training		
15.	Statement verifying written contract(s) and agreement(s) with provider agencies for student placement for field internship training		
16.	Samples of written and skills examinations administered for periodic testing		
17.	A final written examination		
18.	Statement verifying adequate facilities, equipment, examination security and student record keeping		

Provide a Table of Contents listing required information with corresponding page numbers.

# **CHECKLIST FOR NREMT - EMT-P TRANSITION COURSE**

Mat	terials to Submit for Course Approval	Page No.	Check Completed
1.	Letter to ICEMA requesting program approval	1100	
2.	Course curriculum that is consistent with the "gap content" identified in the National Association of State EMS Officials' "National EMS Education Standards Transition Template"		
3.	A statement verifying that students will complete ICS-100, ICS-700, and HAZMAT First Responder Awareness level training, or the equivalent to these courses, either as prerequisites or co-requisites to the transition course		
4.	A statement stating the duration of the course (may be included in Item 2 above)		
5.	A sample certificate of completion showing required items		

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# EMT-P TRAINING PROGRAM HOSPITAL/AMBULANCE AFFILIATION INFORMATION

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## EMT-P TRAINING PROGRAM NOTIFICATION OF PROPOSED COURSE

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COURSE/PROGR	AM DIRECTOR:	Phone:
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Submitted by:	Name (Program Director)	
	Signature	Date

NOTE: This notification should be submitted to ICEMA not less than thirty (30) days before the start of the course. The Program Medical Director, Course Director and Principal Instructor Information Forms must either be on file at ICEMA or attached to this form prior to the start of the course. All instructors must be approved by ICEMA prior to the start of any course.