

**Kane County Emergency Medical Services
2013 Emergency Medical Technician
Course Information Sheet**

Kane County



Emergency Medical Services

When:

This course will begin with a student orientation meeting on February 7, 2013 at 7:00 PM at the Kane County SAR building. This meeting is mandatory and will include vital course information and demonstrations. The mandatory, student only, CPR portion of the course will be Saturday February 9, 2013 at 8:00 AM. This session will be the lecture and practical portion of your CPR certification tailored specifically for EMT students and will include written and practical testing. Beginning Monday, February 11, 2013 we will start a Monday, Wednesday, Saturday schedule that will continue until the final class on April 14, 2013.

Applications:

The Attached Course information form must be completed and returned to Kane County Hospital or Dave Owens on or before January 30, 2013. Applicants will be contacted with questions and or acceptance to the course by February 5, 2013. **You must be accepted in order to attend this course.**

Where:

The Kane County SAR building, at 34 West Airport RD, will be our primary classroom. This may change according to class size and building scheduling. Any alternate site will be announced.

Cost:

Based on a lack of outside financial assistance we have been forced to adjust our registration fees this year. We are offering several options to help offset this cost where it is mutually beneficial. \$600.00 covers State testing fees, books, instruction and supplies. If a student will sign a letter of agreement to commit to one year of service with Kane County EMS, a \$100.00 fee will be charged. If the one year of service is completed, Kane County Hospital will reimburse the \$100.00. If the one year of service is not completed, or the student does not finish the course and become state certified, the \$600.00 course fee will have to be repaid by the student. The registration fees are due on or before February 7, 2013. Checks should be made payable to Kane County Hospital. Attendance is mandatory and missed classes must be made up. Makeup classes must be arranged with individual instructors and the instructors will have to be paid an hourly wage. Registration fees are non-refundable. For more information contact the Course Coordinator at (435) 644-4911.

Course Objective:

Upon completion of this course the successful student will be able to respond to emergency calls and provide efficient and immediate care to the critically ill and injured and transport the patient to a medical facility.

Commitment:

Aside from the commitment to attend all classes there is no requirement to serve with Kane County EMS. However the Kane County Hospital will reimburse your registration fees if, at the completion of the course, you commit to serve for one year. Kane County EMS is actively seeking ambulance personnel.

Age:

In order to certify as a Utah EMT you must be 18 years old and pass the state test within 120 days of the completion of the course. There is no age requirement to take the class.

College Credit:

College credit is available if you make prior arrangements with the College or University of your choice. Several Utah schools offer credit for our course.

Utah Certification:

Each student should be aware that in order to certify with the State of Utah you must comply with the National DOT Standard for Basic EMT. This includes an eight page application that will be completed during the first class. These requirements include but are not limited to the following: excellent health, good communications skills, emotional stability, maturity, eyesight, hearing, strength and agility. A complete copy of these requirements is available upon request and will be provided to all students.

Each student will also have to complete a Utah State application which will include a criminal history check. If a student has a criminal history the course coordinator should be notified as soon as possible to determine if the student is still eligible for the course.

Both of the applications mentioned above must be notarized. We will have a notary attend the first week of class.

Point of Contact:

The Kane County Hospital front desk will be the main point of contact for registration and general information. Specific information can be obtained from the course coordinator, Dave Owens, at 644-4911, Co-coordinator or the Ambulance Manager Stuart Willoughby 644-4144.

Syllabus:

A complete syllabus will be provided during the February 7, 2013 orientation. This will be very important to the student to be able to read the appropriate course material before the classes. This is a college level course that will require out of class study. The syllabus will probably not be available sooner due to the many conflicting schedules that will be involved between instructors and doctors. This syllabus will also need to be updated as necessary.

Instructors:

Robin Coleman, Dean Kurtz, Stuart Willoughby, Trudy Yoho, Darrin Coleman, David Owens, Mike Kirby, Duane Baird, & Daenan Kirk are the Kane County Instructors. We will also use numerous instructors from other areas. Doctors & other members of our local medical community will also be an integral part of our course.

Thank You for your interest in our program and we look forward to working with you in the future. If you have any questions not covered here please feel free to contact one of the course coordinators.

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Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Preferred Phone # _____ E-mail _____

Emergency Contact _____ Number _____

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Do you want to receive college credit for this course? _____

Do you want to certify as an EMT at the end of this course? _____

Are you CPR certified (health care provider)? _____

Can you lift 125lbs? _____

Do you want to run with Kane County Ambulance? _____

What level of formal education have you completed? _____

Do you have any disabilities that the course will need to make arrangements for? _____

If yes please make these arrangements with Stuart Willoughby 644-4144.

Do you have any criminal history that may cause the State to refuse your certification? _____

Why do you want to be an EMT? _____

Please list other certifications or interests that you have that are EMS related: _____

This application must be completed and returned to Dave Owens or Kane County Hospital on or before January 31, 2013 in order for you to be considered for this class. You will be contacted, interviewed and you must be accepted to attend this course.

For additional information email Dave Owens at ems@kane.utah.gov
or visit the Kane County EMS facebook page.