

COURSE DESCRIPTION

First Responder programs were developed to provide highly trained individuals with the skills necessary to begin assessing and caring for patients at the scene of injury or illness. In many areas of the nation, First Responders are able to reach patients in less than ten minutes from the onset of the emergency. This quick response and the quality care rendered save thousands of lives each year.

First Responder programs are growing in number and complexity each year. This commitment to the First Responder concept has allowed the First Responder to become an important part of emergency services in the United States.

Once the provider successfully completes this course, he/she will be able to test for a State of Illinois license.



FIRST RESPONDER

Wednesdays
February 1 – April 4, 2012
6pm - 10pm



INTENDED AUDIENCE

Providers wanting to become licensed as First Responders. This course will enable the provider to perform life saving medical care for an injured or ill person.

REQUIREMENTS

Current/valid AHA CPR Card
Stethoscope
Willingness to learn
Adheres to the PAEMS Student Handbook

PAEMS Medical Director
Cheryl Colbenson, DO

Course Coordinator
Dale Tippett, EMT-P

PAEMS System Manager
Dave Klings, RN

COURSE LOCATION

PAEMS Office
605 NE Jefferson Ave.
Peoria, IL 61603
For additional information, call (309) 655-2113.

CANCELLATION POLICY

- No refunds will be given once payment is accepted at the EMS Office.
- 10 or more participants are required for each class. Class will be cancelled if less than 10 participants are registered.
- If the EMS Office cancels the course, participants will automatically be registered for the next available course.
- Non-attendance will result in the forfeiting of the course fee. Non-attendance includes cancellation with less than 24 hours notice.
- If registration is cancelled 24 hours or more prior to the start of the course, the participant will be enrolled in the next available course.
- The EMS Course Coordinator and the EMS System Manager have the ability to make exceptions to the cancellation policy.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Fee: \$250 - Fee includes textbook and other course material.

Deadline: Registration form and payment due January 18, 2012.

Mail to: Peoria Area EMS
OSF Saint Francis Medical Center
605 NE Jefferson Ave.
Peoria, IL 61603

REGISTRATION FORM

First Responder, February 1, 2012

**Send completed form and payment by
January 18, 2012.**

Please Print

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Day Phone _____

Email _____

Agency _____