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Spring 2018 Online/Hybrid EMT Course Meadville

IUP Institute for Rural Health and Safety announces a spring 2018 Meadville Online/Hybrid EMT course. This program is primarily designed for future EMS personnel, but is appropriate for anyone who may respond to emergencies including fire/rescue personnel, nurses, coaches or athletic trainers, safety professionals, etc. Participants who successfully complete this program are eligible to take National Registry of EMTs psychomotor and cognitive exams for PA and national certification. See reverse for course requirements.

FIRST SESSION: Thursday, 3/8/2018 6-10PM **Session is Mandatory**

COURSE DATES: 3/8 – 6/17/2018

LAB SESSIONS: Sat/Sun 9am-5:30pm on: 4/14-15; 5/19-20; 6/16-17 **(All sessions mandatory)**

LOCATION: Meadville Area Ambulance, 872 Water Street, Meadville, PA 16335

COST: \$775 (includes textbook, online access code and initial NREMT exam fee) *additional fees as required for clinical contacts for unaffiliated students (see reverse)

This hybrid EMT course is designed for students who are self-motivated, academically disciplined and technologically proficient with standard computer applications. Students will complete required course lessons online each week and attend skill labs on scheduled days. There are academic and attendance requirements in this course. See reverse for technical requirements, list of co-requisites and additional fees not included in the course cost. **Students must be at least 18 years of age to enroll.**

PREREGISTRATION is required. To enroll please complete the form found at: www.iup.edu/irhs and return it with a \$225.00 nonrefundable deposit (check or MO payable to "IUP RI") by 2/27/2018. The remaining fee (\$550 check/MO payable to "IUP RI") will be due at the first class session. Enrollment is limited and will be accepted until the class is filled.

*IUP reserves the right to cancel any program for any reason, including insufficient enrollment, at which time all deposit/registration fees would be refunded.

Contact IUP Emergency Services Training for additional information at (724) 357-4051



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Online/Hybrid EMT Course

Technical Requirements:

Students will need regular access to a reliable computer with:

- Current operating system
- Robust high speed internet connection
- Current Flash player
- Active email account

Students need to be able to create user accounts, navigate a web-based learning platform, send and receive emails, attach files, and open attachments using common computer applications. Students without strong academic or computer skills should consider a traditional classroom format instead.

Co-requisites:

*In addition to online and lab sessions students must complete **10 patient contacts** at an approved field site. This will require at minimum:

- Up to date immunizations and current negative TB test (cost varies) uploaded to Castle Branch
- PSP criminal clearance through Castle Branch
- HIPPA Training through Castle Branch
- Malpractice insurance at student rates (\$38 www.hpsso.com) for unaffiliated students uploaded to Castle Branch
- *Costs or fees to meet these requirements are not included in the course fee.

Students must also complete these co-requisite courses to be eligible for PA DOH/NREMT certification exams:

- IS 100.b (available free online)
- IS 700.a (available free online)
- Hazardous Materials Awareness course

Criminal History:

Students must complete a criminal history form for PA DOH upon enrollment in the course. Students with a positive criminal history may not be eligible for EMT certification or field/clinical experiences. For more information please see the NREMT policy at https://www.nremt.org/nremt/about/policy_felony.asp or the PA DOH EMS regulations at:

<http://www.pacode.com/secure/data/028/chapter1023/subchapBtoc.html>

College credit for IUP Students:

IUP students who successfully complete the EMT course at IUP are eligible for up to 4 transfer credits through the department of Kinesiology, Health & Sport Science. More information will be available at the orientation session.



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