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MICHIGAN PARAMEDIC ACCREDITATION

Students enrolled in a paramedic program that began prior to January 1, 2013, are eligible to take the NREMT certification exam and are not impacted by the Paramedic Accreditation.

Students entering a paramedic program after January 1, 2013, that is CAAHEP/CoAEMPS accredited or in the Letter of Review (LoR) process will be eligible for NREMT national EMS certification and reciprocity in states that require national EMS program accreditation.

Students entering a paramedic program after January 1, 2013, that is **NOT** CAAHEP/CoAEMPS accredited or in the Letter of Review (LoR) process that successfully complete a licensure exam (NREMT assessment exam) will be considered "state recognized" only. They will no longer be eligible for NREMT national EMS certification or reciprocity in states that require national EMS program accreditation. (This includes any state that is delaying the implementation of a paramedic program accreditation requirement.)

Students enrolling in programs not accredited by CAAHEP will forever impact their ability to seek national EMS certification or pursue reciprocity to practice as a paramedic in the majority of states/territories requiring national EMS program accreditation.

The program accreditation date does not impact the use of the NREMT exam at the MFR, EMT, or Specialist/AEMT levels. Paramedics that already possess a state license or are enrolled in programs that began prior to December 31, 2012 will not be impacted by the accreditation requirement throughout their careers and may obtain national EMS certification in the future.

The following Michigan Paramedic Programs have achieved either accreditation or LOR:

Accredited

Huron Valley Ambulance
Kalamazoo Valley Community College
Lansing Community College

Letter of Review (LoR)

Baker College – Cadillac
Baker College – Muskegon/Professional Med Team, Inc. Consortia
Baker College – Clinton Township
DLP/Marquette General Health System-School of EMT
Genesys Regional Medical Center
Gogebic Community College
Great Lakes EMS Academy/Davenport University Consortium
Jackson College

Kellogg Community College
Kirtland Community College
Lake Superior State University
Lansing Area Paramedic Ed Consortia
Life Support Training Institute of Botsford Hospital
Macomb Community College
McLaren Flint-EMS Education Program
Medic 1 Community Emergency Service
Medstar Medical Education Center
Michigan Academy of Emergency Services-Dorsey Schools Consortium
Mid-Michigan Medical Center
Mobile Medical Response Education
North Central Michigan College
Oakland Community College
Sanilac Medical Services
Schoolcraft College
STAT EMS/Hurley Medical Center
Superior Medical Education, Division of Dorsey School of Business
Wayne County Community College District

To verify the accreditation status of programs in Michigan (including those in the LoR process), please go to www.caahep.org. This web site is being updated on a daily basis!