

Charlevoix Fire/EMS

Emergency Medical Technician - Basic Course

January 9th, 2023, Thru May 27th, 2023

Certificate of Approval SOM EMS # S-22-2325

Are you interested in the challenging and rewarding service of the Emergency Medical Science Field and helping your community? This course is designed to help you to accomplish your goal by following the requirements set forth by the US Department of Transportation, State of Michigan Bureau of EMS Preparedness and Trauma, and the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians. Upon successful completion you will be able to apply for the NREMT exam and SOM EMS for Licensure.

As a student you will learn patient assessment and proper care of medical and trauma patients, how to work in a team environment, and develop critical thinking skills. Other skillset development will include basic vitals, bleeding control, airway management, splinting, and basic life support.

Classes will be held on Mondays and Thursdays from 6PM to 10PM at the LCEMSA Training Room located at **210 State St, Charlevoix**. There will also be some Saturday classes from 9AM to 5PM. Course requirements are 162 classroom hours and 32 clinical hours.

Funding through the State of Michigan Firefighters Training Council SMOKE Fireworks funds and Charlevoix Lions Club. There may be some cost of materials to course as in uniform, stethoscope as well as BP cuff which you or your department will be responsible obtaining.

You must apply on SMOKE in addition to attached application. Course ID# 2023-1-15-Q69C-0117. If assistance is needed contact the Course Manager Jesse Silva at (231) 547-7172 option #3.

EMT class size 15 students. These openings will be filled by first come first served.

Class application requirements:

- 1) Background Criminal History Check (conducted by program sponsor)
- 2) Up to date vaccinations including Hep A & B, TB screening, Tetanus, Measle, Mumps, Rubella (MMR).
- 3) Fit testing for N95 respirator (conducted by program sponsor)
- 4) Safely lift 100lb
- 5) If under 18 years old, parental or guardian written consent

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