

Wyoming Office of Emergency Medical Services



Wyoming Renewal Process using Continuing Education

Wyoming Continuing Education Process

This interruptive documents is based off of Chapter 18 of the Wyoming EMS Rules 2020. While all attempts have been made to ensure accurate interruption, the final ruling document is the official rules filled with the Secretary of State's Office. For a copy of the rules visit the OEMS website (<https://health.wyo.gov/publichealth/ems/rules-and-scope-of-practice/ems-rules-and-regulations>) or the Administrative rules website (<https://rules.wyo.gov>).

To be eligible for renewal a licensee at all levels must have a current cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) certification from a national organization approved by the Division, and if renewing as an IEMT or paramedic, valid and current Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) certification from a national organization approved by the Division

The Wyoming OEMS requires continuing medical education (CME) hours as noted in this document for renewal. CME is defined as live instruction or distributed continuing medical education (DCME) approved by the OEMS or Commission on Accreditation for Pre-Hospital Continuing Education (CAPCE). A licensee may receive credit for the completion of DCME for no more than one half of the total required hours of CME course work specific to the licensee's level of licensure.

Activities that do not count toward CME are performance of duties, preceptor hours, volunteer shift time, management courses, and instructor courses.

Duplicate Courses assigned to the same recertification application are not accepted.

Duplicate courses consist of the following:

- attended or instructed at the same education vendor, program, or agency
- course was taught by the same instructor
- same method of education (classroom, self-paced, virtual instructor led, etc.)
- same course title.

College courses maybe counted if they have a direct relationship with EMS activates.

The five categories of CME that are required are:

- **Airway Management** – education related to basic and advanced airway management, respiratory emergencies, and oxygenation.
- **Pediatrics** – education related to the assessment, care, and treatment of patients under 18 years of age.
- **Trauma** – education related to the assessment, care, and treatment of a patient who suffered a traumatic injury.
- **Medical** – education related to the assessment, care, and treatment of a patient who is experiencing a medical emergency.
- **Elective** – education related to operation topics including but not limited to ambulance safety, documentation, ICS, MCI, lifting and moving patients, scene safety, crew resource management, and medical research.

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Emergency Medical Responder

Airway Management	2
Medical	5
Trauma	5
Pediatrics	2
Elective	6
	20

Emergency Medical Technician

Airway Management	6
Medical	10
Trauma	10
Pediatrics	6
Elective	10
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Advanced Emergency Medical Technician

Airway Management	8
Medical	12
Trauma	12
Pediatrics	8
Elective	14
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Intermediate Emergency Medical Technician

Airway Management	6
Medical	16
Trauma	16
Pediatrics	6
Elective	16
	60

Paramedic

Airway Management	6
Medical	16
Trauma	16
Pediatrics	6
Elective	16
	60

OWLS Instructional Videos

Video Name	URL	Description
Individual Training Upload	https://youtu.be/GQQyjbniDXk	How to upload your individual training in OWLS
Training Report	https://youtu.be/dk5y29bu0C0	Process to pull your training report
Renewal Process	https://youtu.be/YI2e-fx0_o	Process to complete renewal
Chapter 18 Presentation	https://youtu.be/QsYIuCl0CAk	Presentation on the new Renewal Requirements starting 7/1/2020