



ADVANCED MEDICAL LIFE SUPPORT

DATES: MARCH 29 & 30, 2008

TIME: 0900-1800

LOCATION: SKAMANIA COUNTY EMS, in Stevenson, Washington.

COST: \$175.00 includes Tuition, Lunch both days and NAEMT fees.

Provider Course:

Advanced Medical Life Support (AMLS) is a two-day (16-hour) in-depth study of medical emergencies. This course emphasizes a pragmatic approach and format, based on teaching providers what they need to know. The curriculum is designed to allow for a minimal amount of lecture and an ample amount of actual hands-on physical assessment of patients. Therefore, students must purchase a copy of the AMLS textbook, published by Brady/Prentice Hall, in advance of the course in order to adequately prepare for it. After successfully completing the course, each student will be awarded a certificate of successful completion. Because medicine is every changing, periodic revisions and updates will be required as the scientific and medical fields uncover new advanced and techniques. The certificate of completion is valid for four years.

The hands-on AMLS course gives each provider/student the ability to integrate the knowledge presented into a practical format for use in his or her current practice. This course is directed at the prehospital treatment of medical emergencies, but can be altered to encompass the initial emergency department assessment and management of the medical patient. The format and administrative policies set forth are those of the National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians (NAEMT).

The major goals of the AMLS course are to:

- Apply critical thinking skills to integrate pathophysiology with the assessment findings of a medical patient;
- Determine and differentiate between actual and potential patient problems;
- Advance the provider's ability to conduct a competent medical examination that utilizes proper diagnostic skills, critical thinking, and interventions;
- Advance the provider's ability to utilize problem-solving strategies in interventions and management alternatives; and
- Advance the provider's ability to communicate the pertinent findings and interventions to the receiving facility

Name: _____ Cert level & #: _____

Address: _____ Contact Number: (____) _____

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Cancelations after March 14, 2008 will have a \$50.00 administrative fee charged.

Mail registration and payment in the form of a check or money order to: Thomas L. Apelar 1084 Calvin St Eugene, OR 97401	Tuition: \$175.00 *BOOKS NOT INCLUDED*
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Books can be found at: www.naemt.org or www.amazon.com

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