D-EMS Wilderness EMT Course

Dates: November 27 to December 16, 2017, Daily Mon.-Sat. 8:00 am to 5:30 pm, Sundays Off.
Location: Dartmouth College…a beautiful campus in the woods of Western NH.

The Wilderness EMT Course is the comprehensive, evidence-based wilderness medicine course that prepares the student to handle injury and illness in the world’s wildest and remote places. You will learn everything it takes to provide assessment and care with improvised tools, how to rescue someone from deep in the woods, and then climb into the ambulance and know how to work in the back of the truck. From emergencies to health maintenance in wilderness settings, students learn how to assess people in challenging conditions, handle life threats of airway, respiratory, and circulatory problems, stop bleeds, long-term wound care, sprains, strains, fractures, head/spine injury, cold/heat injuries, bites, stings, altitude problems, dive injuries, organizing a backcountry rescue, and much more. Outdoor leadership and wilderness rescue are a part of the process as students learn the “predictable and preventable” behaviors that lead to most of the bad things that happen in the wild.

Our courses are taught by people who have done what they teach. We teach “practicable principles” and focus on not only what to do, but how to do it, in the wild, with what you can cobble together from your patient’s pack, your pack, and the world around you. Simultaneously you will be learning about the urban landscape of EMS, how the system is built, and what it is like to work in the ambulance. All students spend time working in clinical settings.

This “immersion-based” schedule allows the student to move through the training process full-time, completing the 180+ hour curriculum in just 3+ weeks. The classes are 6 day-a-week, 9.5 hour days, with additional evening classes on Thurs (2 hrs.) with Sundays off (clinical time is evenings and Sundays). You will be in an active, dynamic experiential process of lecture, skill labs, scenarios, mock drills, and team-building, all crafted to create the confidence to act when someone is in need.

This is an NHBEMS approved course and when complete students will take the WEMT written and practical exams and qualified for the National Registry (NR) EMT computer-based and practical exams giving them both urban and wilderness certifications. The NREMT certification is recognized in ME, NH, VT, and most of the US.

Discount Opportunities…there are two opportunities to save money on the WEMT Tuition:

1) Early Registration: You will get a discount of $100 for getting your Application and Deposit ($1000) to us no later August 1, 2017. Your balance will then drop to $895, due by the first class, 11/27, 2017.

2) Volume Credit: We have offered a tuition credit based on class numbers. With 15 or more enrolled, each student will receive a $100 credit. If 20 or more enroll, the credit will increase from $100 to $150. This combination can drop the cost by as much as $250.

Payment plans are available, contact us directly for the details.

For more information, or to register, contact:
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