



Welcome to an exciting and fulfilling career!

Thanks for expressing interest in our EMT-1 Program. Fast Response has been providing exceptional medical training in the Bay Area since 1989. Our instructors are an energetic, diverse team of medical professionals with extensive teaching experience in their respective fields. We are confident that no other EMT-1 program will better prepare you for a successful career in EMS.

All of our instructors and staff members at Fast Response are personally committed to your success. Our instructors are skilled educators and licensed medical professionals that have years of field experience.

In our program you will learn the theory and science of Basic Pre-hospital Emergency Medicine, and you will utilize your skills in realistic scenarios in our training Ambulance. Once you complete our program, you will have the confidence to perform competently and safely while caring for the sick and injured.

Please read through this packet carefully as it contains an abundance of useful information to help you register for the program. If you have questions or simply want to register for the course, please feel free to contact Jamie Morrison at 510.849.4009 x 27, Monday through Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. You can visit our website at www.FastResponse.org or send us an email at emt@fastresponse.org for more information.

Thanks again for considering our EMT-1 Program. Your career begins here with the Fast Response School of Health Care Education Emergency Medical Technician Program!

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EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN

PREREQUISITES FOR ADMISSION:

- Must be 18 or older
- Must comprehend and be able to communicate in basic written and spoken English
- Must have a High School Diploma, GED, or U.S. College Units
- Must pass a background check- No Felonies on record

- Current CPR for Healthcare Provider (AHA) certification
- Successful completion of a First Aid course within the past year
- Passing score on the Entrance Competency Exam
- Must have a Tuberculosis (TB) test within **6 months** on record (or negative chest x-ray)
- Tetanus Vaccination (or booster) within past ten years
- Must have Hepatitis B Vaccinations
 - Must have the first shot of three completed by start of class to be eligible for Clinical Observation and Field Ride-Along
 - Or
 - Positive lab titer
 - Or
 - have signed Decline/Release form
- MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Chicken Pox) within past 8 years or lab titer
- Varicella (Chicken Pox), past history or lab titer

REGISTRATION:

- Call us at 510.849.4009 or come into our offices to register by paying either the application fee and/or fees in full
 - We accept cash, check, Visa and MasterCard.
 - The non-refundable Application fee is \$100 and is applied to the training fee of the course
 - You may roll it over to another EMT-1 Program up to a week before the beginning of class if the need arises.
- Once you have registered for the course (\$100 non-refundable application fee), Fast Response will:
 - Mail the Admissions Packet to the address you provided.
 - Order the supplies necessary for your participation in our EMT-1 Program (i.e. Student Manual, Text Book etc.).
- The \$100 application fee reserves a spot in the EMT-1 class pending successful completion of the admissions process and payment in full for tuition/training fee.
 - We can guarantee your seat **ONLY with the training fee paid in FULL**
 - Training fee is due one week before the program begins
 - Admission Packet forms are due one week before the program begins. **ORIGINALS ONLY!**

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EMT-1 Training Program\$1,500.

- Registration fee (non-refundable)..... \$100
- Training.....\$1,400
 - Background Check.....Included
 - Lab supplies/Equipment.....Included
 - Clinical/ER Observation..... Included
 - Field Ride Along/Observation.....Included
- Mandatory Textbooks & Manual *Not* Included
- Uniform Shirt..... Included
- Liability insurance Included

*** Inquire about loan assistance availability ***

Fast Response Training/Tuition fees do not include associated fees for: Certification w/EMSA, stethoscope, boots, uniform pants or National Registry Certification Testing

EMT-1 CERTIFICATION

Emergency Medical Technician certification by the local Emergency Medical Services Agency (EMSA) requires the following in order to receive your EMT-1 Certification

- Have a valid EMT-B course completion record or other documented proof of successful completion of an approved EMT-B course.
- Passing all National Registry examinations
- Apply for certification within two years of the date of course completion.
- Be eighteen years of age or older.
- Complete an application form.
- Live scan or criminal background check from the California Department of Justice.
- Pay the established fee.
- Provide a current Photo ID (Ca Drivers License, Passport etc.)
- Provide a copy of your current CPR Card
- Pay local EMS established fees

TOPICS COVERED IN CLASS:

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| ➤ History of EMS | ➤ Cardiac Emergencies |
| ➤ Components of the EMS System | ➤ Diabetic Emergencies and Altered Mental Status |
| ➤ The Well-Being of the EMT-1 | ➤ Acute Abdominal Emergencies |
| ➤ Medical, Legal and Ethical Issues | ➤ Allergic Reactions |
| ➤ Scope of Practice | ➤ Poisoning and Overdose |
| ➤ Lifting and Moving Patients | ➤ Environmental Emergencies |
| ➤ Airway Management | ➤ Behavioral Emergencies |
| ➤ Scene Size-up | ➤ Obstetrics and Gynecological Emergencies |
| ➤ Primary Assessment | ➤ Bleeding and Shock |
| ➤ Vital Signs/SAMPLE History | ➤ Infants and Children |
| ➤ Assessment of the Trauma Patient | ➤ Geriatric Patients |
| ➤ Assessment of the Medical Patient | ➤ Soft Tissue Injuries |
| ➤ Communication | ➤ Musculoskeletal Injuries |
| ➤ Documentation | ➤ Ambulance Operations |
| ➤ General Pharmacology | ➤ Special Operations |
| ➤ Respiratory Emergencies | |

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Fast Response School of Health Care Education has combined with Mechanics bank to offer a loan to assist our EMT-1 students pay for the \$1,500 training fee.

It is an unsecured loan at 14.25% interest and takes about 2 days to process. To qualify:

- ➡ **You must have good credit**
- ➡ **You must have a monthly income that is 3 times higher than your monthly expenses.**
 - Income may include but is not limited to: wages, child support, spousal support, welfare payment, spouse's income and other forms of documented income.
 - Monthly expenses include but are not limited to: credit card payments, rent or mortgage payments and other debt payments.
- ➡ **You must fill out a 2-page application and allow Mechanics Bank to verify your credit rating and income.**
- ➡ **Upon loan approval, funds will be transferred directly to Fast Response School of Health Care Education**
- ➡ **If you are unable to complete the program, the remaining pro-rated funds will be returned to Mechanics Bank.**

Ask for a loan application and more information when you visit us!

This institution has received a temporary approval to operate from the Bureau for Private Postsecondary and Vocational Education ("Bureau"). A temporary approval is merely an interim designation the Bureau can authorize pending a qualitative review and assessment of the institution. At the time it is issued, the Bureau has not yet conducted a site visit. It is issued if the Bureau determines the institution's operational plan satisfies the minimum standards listed in Education Code Sections 94900(a) or 94915(a) and (b), whichever is applicable. The temporary approval will remain in effect for at least 90 days, but not more than 360 days in order to enable the Bureau to conduct the site visit and inspection of the institution. After that visit, the Bureau will then determine whether the institution should be approved on a permanent basis.