

1 10A NCAC 13P .0513 is proposed for adoption as follows:

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3 **10A NCAC 13P .0513 REFRESHER COURSES**

4 (a) Approved EMS educational institutions as set forth in Rule .0601 and .0602 of this Subchapter may develop  
5 refresher courses for the renewal or reinstatement of EMS credentials.

6 (b) The application for approval of a refresher course shall include:

7 (1) course objectives, content outline and time allocation;

8 (2) teaching methodologies for measuring the student's abilities to perform at his or her level of  
9 application;

10 (3) the method to be used to conduct a technical scope of practice evaluation for students seeking  
11 reinstatement of a lapsed EMS credential for their level of application.

12 (c) EMR, EMT, AEMT and paramedic refresher courses developed for the renewal of an EMS credential or  
13 reinstatement of an EMS credential as set forth in Rule .0512 of this Section must meet the following criteria:

14 (1) an application for approval of a refresher course shall be completed at least 30 days prior to the  
15 expected date of enrollment and shall include evidence of complying with the rules for refresher  
16 courses.

17 (A) Refresher course approval shall be for a period not to exceed two years; and

18 (B) Any changes in curriculum shall be approved by the OEMS prior to implementation.

19 (2) course curricula shall:

20 (A) meet the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians' recertification  
21 requirements including subsequent amendments and additions. This document is  
22 available from the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians, Rocco V.  
23 Morando Building, 6610 Busch Blvd., P.O. Box 29233, Columbus, Ohio 43229, at no  
24 cost; and

25 (B) demonstrate the ability to assess student knowledge and competency in the skills and  
26 medications as defined by the North Carolina Medical Board pursuant to G.S. 143-514  
27 for the proposed level of EMS credential application.

28 (3) The administrative responsibility for developing and implementing the refresher course shall be  
29 vested in the EMS educational institution's credentialed Level II EMS instructor.

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31 *History Note: Authority G.S. 143-508(d)(3); 143B-952;*

32 *Eff. January 1, 2017.*