

## SECTION .0600 – EMS EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

### 10A NCAC 13P .0601 CONTINUING EDUCATION EMS EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION REQUIREMENTS

- (a) Continuing Education EMS Educational Institutions shall be credentialed by the OEMS to provide EMS continuing education programs.
- (b) Continuing Education EMS Educational Institutions shall have:
- (1) at least a Level I EMS Instructor as program coordinator. The program coordinator shall hold a Level I EMS Instructor credential at a level equal to or greater than the highest level of continuing education program offered in the EMS System or Specialty Care Transport Program;
  - (2) a continuing education program consistent with the EMS System or Specialty Care Transport Program continuing education plan for EMS personnel:
    - (A) In an EMS System, the continuing education programs for EMD, EMT-I, and EMT-P shall be reviewed and approved by the medical director of the EMS System.
    - (B) In a Model EMS System, the continuing education program shall be reviewed and approved by the system continuing education coordinator and medical director.
    - (C) In a Specialty Care Transport Program, the continuing education program shall be reviewed and approved by Specialty Care Transport Program Continuing Education Coordinator and the medical director;
  - (3) access to instructional supplies and equipment necessary for students to complete educational programs as defined in Rule .0501(c) of this Subchapter;
  - (4) educational programs offered in accordance with Rule .0501(c) of this Subchapter;
  - (5) an Educational Medical Advisor if offering educational programs that have not been reviewed and approved by a medical director of an EMS System or Specialty Care Transport Program. The Educational Medical Advisor shall meet the criteria as defined in the "North Carolina College of Emergency Physicians: Standards for Medical Oversight and Data Collection," incorporated by reference in accordance with G.S. 150B-21.6, including subsequent amendments and editions. This document is available from the OEMS, 2707 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-2707, at no cost; and
  - (6) written educational policies and procedures describing the delivery of educational programs, the record-keeping system detailing student attendance and performance, and the selection and monitoring of EMS instructors.
- (c) An application for credentialing as a Continuing Education EMS Educational Institution shall be submitted to the OEMS for review. The application shall demonstrate that the applicant meets the requirements in Paragraph (b) of this Rule.
- (d) Continuing Education EMS Educational Institution credentials are valid for a period of four years.

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