

Boston EMS Basic EMT Course



Through our accredited Training Academy, Boston EMS offers this comprehensive, low cost Basic EMT Course led by the same team of trainers who prepare Boston EMS EMTs and Paramedics to respond to any emergency. This 170 hour Basic EMT Course offers exceptional classroom training and an opportunity for clinical observation.

Through hands-on training and classroom work, students will learn to evaluate and treat various medical emergencies including:

- cardiac arrest and stroke;
- fractured bones;
- obstructed airway;
- severe bleeding;
- emergency childbirth

After successfully completing the Basic EMT Course, students receive a Boston EMS Certificate and are eligible for the NREMT / State certification process. While participating in the Basic EMT Course does not guarantee employment at Boston EMS, students will leave the course well prepared to pass the certification and seek employment as an EMT.

“The Boston EMS Basic EMT Course was absolutely terrific . I felt extremely prepared for the State examination. The Boston EMS instructors were engaging, motivating and made the entire experience fun. I am so glad I took this course.”
-Jen



A Leader in the Classroom

Boston EMS Training Captain Kent Scarna has been with the department for 29 years; he currently is a Training Supervisor at the Boston EMS Academy and teaches the Community EMT course. Captain Scarna was recently invited to teach at the Tuscan Emergency Medical Service Initiative (TEMSI) in Italy. Members of the Initiative observed Boston EMS training courses and were impressed with his teaching style. Captain Scarna is an excellent teacher with years of experience working with both EMS professionals and the public.

About Boston EMS

The men and women of Boston EMS serve the City of Boston with pride, skill and compassion, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.



- Boston EMS, a bureau of the Boston Public Health Commission, is the City of Boston’s provider of emergency medical services.
- As one of the busiest services in the country, Boston EMS responds to more than 100,000 emergencies per year.
- As a result of our rigorous training programs and state-of-the-art facilities, Boston EMS boasts a team of highly skilled and specially trained EMTs and Paramedics.
- Our members are at the forefront of every medical emergency, large and small, making life-and-death decisions that impact the lives of thousands every year.
- Boston EMS is a recognized leader in the field of pre-hospital emergency medicine and leverages the latest advances in both medicine and technology to deliver unparalleled service.

Mission Statement: Boston EMS, the provider of emergency medical services for the City of Boston, is committed to compassionately delivering excellent pre-hospital care and to protecting the safety and health of the public.

Course Details

Course size is limited.
On-line registration opens June 18

Dates and Time

Course Start Date: Tuesday, August 18, 2015
Course End Date: Saturday, 1/9/16
Tuesdays and Thursdays: 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM
Alternating Saturdays: 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM
8/22 (CPR), 9/5, 9/19, 10/3, 10/17, 10/31,
11/14, 12/5, 12/19, 1/2/16, 1/9 (Practical Final)

Course Location

Miranda Creamer Bldg, 6th Floor, Room 601
785 Albany Street
Boston, Massachusetts 02118
**(PLEASE ENTER VIA 35 NOTHRAMPTON ST.
GARAGE ENTRANCE)**

Parking

May be available on the street or for a fee in
the adjacent garage.

Tuition and Fees

Total Cost: \$700 (includes textbook)
Full tuition is required at registration

Boston EMS cannot accept cash, personal
checks, or credit cards. **Money orders** must be
made out to "Boston EMS/ EMT Course."
Submit to Kent Scarna, Boston EMS/ RTQI, 785
Albany Street, Boston, MA 02118.

Tuition Refund Policy

Withdrawal Before 1st Class: 100%
Before 2nd Class: 80%
Before 3rd Class: 50%
After 3rd Class: No refunds

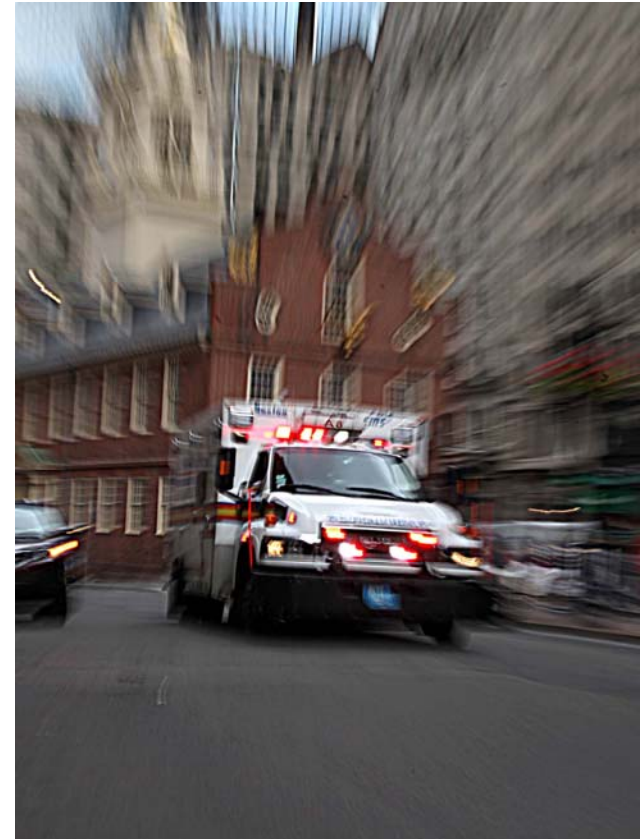
For More Information

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Registration will be online, starting June 18th.
The link will be posted on the Department web-
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and on Facebook:
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