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State Examinations available

EMR Initial, EMR Recertification EMT Initial, EMT Recertification Paramedic Recertification, CCT, C3 IFT

Examinations and failures

Applies to all EMTs-EMRs-Initial or recertifying and those who need to take an examination seeking Legal Recognition and Credential Transfer

Referring to 2009 policies of Examinations.

Establishing failure consequences; EMTs EMR Initial or recertifying are as follows;

After 3 failures (scores of <70%) a candidate will be required to take a recertification class which now includes practical skills. This means new skills must be performed. This class must be verified in CIS before a candidate can attempt for the fourth time.

If a candidate fails on the fourth time whether recertifying or doing initial certification they must complete the entire course over again.

National Registry of EMTs

Only Option for Paramedic and Advanced Care Technician EMT Initial Examination still available

Paramedic Recertification Examinations

No more examinations for Paramedics. If you have taken and passed after February 1, 2013

If you have not passed since after February 1, 2013 you must continue to attempt to pass at least once every certification period..

Doesn't prevent paramedic from getting recertified if no passing score.

Forms and Policies newly revised 8-1-16

Available at http://www.wvoems.org/ems-programs/policies-and-memos

Forms for initially certifying and recertifying candidates applicable to;

EMVOs, EMRs, EMTs, Advanced Care Technicians, Paramedics, and Legal Recognition and Credential Transfer

RN to Medic, MCCN, MCCP, Recertifying or Initial still the same and no forms.

All Forms must be completed, with all dates, courses numbers if needed, and dates of training and dates. Printed and or signatures of proper persons must be on all appropriate places on forms.

Who signs?

Only RESA Program Directors and Their designated assistants can sign for RESA not RESA Instructors

TSN Signs for themselves

Educational Institute Representatives may not necessarily be the instructors. Must be official reps of the Education Institutions.

Only Forms on policies are necessary to submit to us unless using NREMT Option then we need NREMT card.

Initial ACTs need Official ACT- 199 NREMT Psychomotor skills results and Cognitive results. We usually get those.

EMVOs need to submit copy of valid driver's license.

Records of Education;

An effective way to store education is by taking advantage of Credential Information System (CIS)

Can or can't send copies of education, certificates, or cards.

Agencies, STO's or individuals must keep records for at least three years back.

Because we haven't developed forms for MCCP, MCCN, RN to Paramedic, C3 IFT, whether initial or recertification we still need all necessary documents to certify.