

CORE REQUIREMENTS FOR EMT-PARAMEDIC
For Initial and Renewal Licenses issued after February 2003

Relicensing Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic applicants must acquire 144 hours of Continuing Education every 5 years. This includes 96 hours of Core Requirements. Core requirements can be obtained by attending 2-48 hour EMT-P refresher programs or attending continuing education programs containing the topical content of the refresher.

Previous versions of core requirements cannot be used. These changes reflect the 1999 DOT EMT-P curriculum.

For a 5 year license period those hours are:

<u>Division or Module</u>	<u>Mandatory Hours</u>
Preparatory EMS Systems/Roles and Responsibilities, Medical/Legal Ethics	12
Airway Management & Ventilation	12
Trauma	20
Medical (Including cardiology and behavioral)	36
Special Considerations Infants, OB/GYN, Geriatrics, Abuse and Special Needs	12
Operations Incident Command, Rescue, HAZMAT, Ambulance ops etc.	4
Total	96 Hours

The remaining 48 hours must be EMS related programs.

These relicensure guidelines are for the State of Missouri only. If you are nationally registered or have questions regarding national registry re-certification, call 614-888-4484

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