

# Southern Illinois Regional EMS System

## H-1 EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN (EMT) CONTINUING EDUCATION

- Continuing education hours will be accrued and accepted as outlined in the EMS Regional Plan.
- At least 8 hours of the yearly requirements must be accrued through System specific training.
- Emergency Medical Technicians must acquire 60 hours of continuing education during a 4 year license period.
- Continuing education will be based on the National Education Standards for EMT, state scope of practice, and the EMS System protocols.
- The EMT will be responsible for submitting written proof of didactic continuing education attendance to the EMS System Coordinator or for license renewal.
- The EMT will be responsible for maintaining copies of all documentation concerning continuing education programs or activities that he/she has completed.
- The EMT is required to maintain a current American Heart Association Healthcare Provider CPR card.
- Non-compliance with any provision of this policy can result in EMS System suspension and an inability to renew your EMS license.