



## Central Shenandoah Emergency Medical Services Council

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# TRAINING NOTICE



Date: April 25, 2007 [Revised June 28, 2007]  
To: Training Officers  
From: Matt Lawler, CSEMS Training Director  
Re: **Enhanced to Intermediate Bridge Program**

*The EMT–Intermediate program is designed to certify technicians to a mid-level of pre-hospital advanced life support care in Virginia. The Enhanced to Intermediate Bridge program builds on advanced skills and subjects presented in the EMT-Enhanced program. The Enhanced to Intermediate Bridge program offers a minimum of 200 hours of classroom and laboratory instruction and a minimum of 80 hours of clinical rotations. These additional clinical rotations include time spent in OR/Recovery Units, Critical Care Units, Labor & Delivery Units, Pediatrics, and Emergency Department. The Intermediate program is designed to educate the technician in the following areas of pre-hospital care: preparatory skills, airway management and ventilation, patient assessment, trauma, medical, special considerations and assessment based management.*

**Location:** Central Shenandoah EMS Council  
2312 W. Beverley St., Staunton, VA 24401

**Dates:** **Course starts:** Tuesday, August 7, 2007  
**NREMT Practical Exam:** Saturday, May 24, 2008 (tentative)  
**NREMT Written Exam:** Self-scheduled by student following course completion

**Times:** 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM  
Tuesdays and Thursdays

**Texts:** Mosby's EMT-Intermediate Textbook, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition  
Mosby's EMT-Intermediate Workbook 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition  
Basic Arrhythmias, Brady, 6<sup>th</sup> Edition

**Program Director:** Matt Lawler, BS, NREMT-P, CSEMS Council

**Prerequisites:** Refer to the [EMT-Intermediate Application Packet](#) for a complete listing of course prerequisites.

**Cost:** \$325<sup>1</sup> CSEMS course fee; \$100<sup>2</sup> NREMT registration fee and testing center cost.

<sup>1</sup> Student or agency can seek reimbursement of \$306 from the Office of EMS after certifying at the EMT-Intermediate level.

<sup>2</sup> Fee charged by the NREMT for registration and computer-based testing. The fee is due at the end of the course.

**Registration:** Entrance examinations will be conducted through July 12, 2007. To register for an entrance examination, obtain the Central Shenandoah EMS Council EMT-Intermediate Application Packet and follow the instructions contained in the packet. Application packets can be downloaded at [www.csems.vaems.org/downloads/](http://www.csems.vaems.org/downloads/).

***Class size limited to 18 students***