

Saturday, May 1, 2010

Time	Topic	Instructor	Sponsor
0700-0800	Registration/Breakfast		
0800-0850	Rule 500 Trivia Bowl	Jeff Force, EMT-P	Penrose-St Francis/PPCC
0855-0945	Assisting ALS	Mark Goldstein, RN, EMT-P	Memorial Health System
0945-1005	BREAK		Kit Carson County Ambulance Service
1005-1055	Neurological Trauma	Dr. John McVicker	Memorial Health System
1100-1150	Complex Delivery/Neo Natal	Dr. Meg Prado	St Francis Medical Center
1150-1300	LUNCH		American Medical Response-El Paso
1300-1330	Airway Skill Station	Fall from Horse, Skill	
1330-1400	Complex Delivery & Neonatal		
1400-1430	Resuscitation Skills	ALS Assist Skills	
1430-1450	BREAK		Limon Ambulance Service
1450-1520	Fall from Horse, Skill	Airway Skill Station	
1520-1550		Complex Delivery & Neonatal	
1550-1620	ALS Assist Skills	Resuscitation Skills	
1625-1715	Crime Scene Preservation	Laura Cochran	Colorado Springs Police Dept

The class sessions from 1300-1620 are hands on, scenario based instruction. Attendees will be divided into groups who will then work together to provide patient care. We will strive to keep agencies and mutual aid partners together to enhance the value of the scenario.

Instructor Presentations

Rule 500 Trivia Bowl: Jeff Force will review the document that governs the Acts Allowed for all EMTs. There are some new skills and pharmaceuticals you need to know about. This lecture will test your knowledge of current and new materials.

Complex Delivery & Neonatal Resuscitation: Is delivering a baby your worst nightmare? Dr. Meg Prado will attempt to mitigate your fears and even make you look forward to this beautiful event. She will look at the issue when things go right and when trouble occurs.

Neurological Trauma: A knock to the head can really make assessment difficult. Review the issues surrounding head trauma with Dr. John McVicker and learn some cutting edge information to help on your next call.

Assisting ALS Providers: Mark Goldstein returns with his unique perspective from both sides of the emergency room door. What does the ALS provider want from you and what can I learn to make my care even better? Mark will lead you through this important aspect of patient care.

Crime Scene Preservation: Every call you respond to could be a crime scene. How can we help our partners in emergency services do their job? They need to preserve potential evidence but does that trump providing patient care? Laura Cochran is a veteran with the Colorado Springs Police Department who understands both sides of this issue.

Hands on Scenarios

Information About Skill Stations: BLS equipment and basic information about the scenario will be provided to each group as they enter the station. Please consider the amount of preparation required to provide these stations and treat them seriously. Our goal is to provide a realistic scene for you to learn ways to react to stressful situations while in a controlled environment. Enjoy the opportunity!

Airway Skills: You can never get too much practice providing quality respirations. Take this opportunity to review equipment and skills to make the next call with airway issues less stressful.

Are we really supposed to ride those things? If we were meant to ride horses, they would come with air bags...right? Your patient is still in the corral and unresponsive. Can I trust this horse? Let's find out together.

Your Worst Nightmare...In a controlled scenario: You say the baby's crowning?...What do mean it's a leg?! Work with your peers to deliver the baby and practice your resuscitation skills.

ALS Assist Skills: Whether you rendezvous with an ALS intercept, a helicopter flight crew, or help out in the emergency room, this skill station will help to make the patient handoff go smoothly.

Breakfast and lunch are provided both days. Drinks offered will include coffee, iced tea, and water. If you require other items, feel free to bring them.

Sunday, May 2, 2010

Time	Topic	Instructor	Sponsor
0700-0800	Registration/Breakfast		
0800-0850	Coordinating Medical Care	Lt Brian Keys, EMT-P	Colorado Springs Fire Dept
0855-0945	Blast Injury/Hemorrhage	Bob Ferris, EMT-P	Memorial Health System
0945-1005	BREAK		Community Ambulance Service
1005-1055	Pediatric Respiratory Issues		Memorial Health System
1100-1150	Bariatric Emergencies	Dr. Roger Nagy	Penrose-St Francis Health Services
1150-1300	LUNCH		
1300-1330	MCI Exercise	De-escalating Skills	
1330-1400		Bariatric Patient Handling	
1400-1430		Skill	
1430-1450	BREAK		Cheyenne County Ambulance Service
1450-1520	De-escalating Skills	MCI Exercise	
1520-1550	Bariatric Patient Handling		
1550-1620	Skills		
1625-1715	De-escalating Conflict		Penrose-St Francis Health Services

The class sessions from 1300-1620 are hands on, scenario based instruction. Attendees will be divided into groups who will then work together to provide patient care. We will strive to keep agencies and mutual aid partners together to enhance the value of the scenario. The MCI Exercise will last for 90 minutes.

Instructor Presentations

Coordinating Medical Care in an MCI: Lt. Brian Keys has participated in numerous MCI events during his career. Coordinating the medical care in an efficient manner can be the difference for a successful outcome.

Blast Injuries & Hemorrhage: Bob Ferris will be presenting information gathered in Iraq about effective treatment and transport for victims of these serious injuries.

Pediatric Respiratory Issues: This lecture will offer methods to make these rare but frightening scenarios more successful for you, the caregiver, and the patient.

Bariatric Emergencies: Our patient population is becoming more vertically challenged every day. Dr. Roger Nagy has extensive experience with this population and will explain some of the special circumstances that can make providing care difficult at best. Take what you learn here and apply it during the afternoon skill stations.

De-escalating Conflict: Domestic violence, drunk or drugged patients, and criminal activity are potential aspects of every request for help you attend. Is there a way to speak to these patients and potential victims that can increase safety for you and them?

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MCI Exercise: You're responding to reports of gun fire! What is my role in this event? How do I provide the best care yet protect myself and my crew? Lt. Brian Keys returns with another exercise to test your skills. Multiple victims, injuries, and responding agencies always make this a unique experience.

Bariatric Patient Handling Skills: Our patients continue to get larger and they aren't homebound any more. This skill station is designed to test your ability to assess, treat, and transport these patients in a variety of situations.

De-escalating Skills: Many emergency situations have the possibility of spiraling out of control. Emotional family members, inexperienced providers, and other situations can arise. Are you able to talk your way through this scene?

Breakfast and lunch will be offered each day. Drinks offered will include coffee, iced tea, and water. If you require other items, feel free to bring them with you.