

*** Note #1:**

All EMS Course candidates must be able to sign an NYSDOH application for Emergency Medical Services Certification (DOH-65), which states the following:

“I affirm that in accordance with the requirements of 10 NYCRR 800, I have NOT been convicted of any misdemeanors or felonies. I understand that if I have a conviction it will be individually reviewed and that any such conviction may not be an automatic bar to certification. The Department of Health will determine if the conviction is applicable under the provisions of Part 800.”

Individuals who are not able to sign the above affirmation, may enroll in a NYS sponsored EMS course, but will not be allowed to take the NYS Written Certification exam until such time as the Department of Health determines the impact of the individual’s criminal record on that individual’s suitability to practice. As such, the course sponsor (Mobile Life Support Services) can not voucher the Health Department for the course tuition costs associated with the individual until the individual has been cleared by the Department and then takes (and passes) the Written certification exam.

Experience with this process has shown us that in such cases we must require that such candidates pay the tuition for the course or have their sponsoring EMS agency pay the tuition on their behalf. If the latter is done, the sponsoring EMS agency can then voucher the Health Department for tuition reimbursement when the individual has been cleared by the Department and has passed the certification exam.

**** Note #2:**

To be eligible for NYSDOH funding, the applicant must be an active member of an agency with a valid NYSDOH EMS Agency Code. *All others must paid tuition, in-full; to Mobile Life support Services EMS Education Fund, prior to acceptance in the course.*

*****Note #3:**

EMT-I Candidates will need to meet the following conditions to be eligible to participate in this course:

- Mobile Life Support Staff will be offered seats prior to outside agencies.
- Applications will be accepted on a first come – first serve basis.
- All Non-MLSS Candidates must be affiliated with an Agency that currently practices at the EMT-I, EMT-CC or EMT-P level within the Hudson Valley Region (no exceptions).
- Course enrollment will be limited to minimum of 18 and maximum of 30 students.
- All Candidates will be required to pass an EMT-Basic proficiency exam with 80% or greater before access to the course is permitted. Evaluation exam is scheduled for January 7, 2012 @ 09:00.
- All Candidates will be required to place a “Deposit fee” which shall be returned upon issuance of EMT-I certificate by the NYSDOHBEMS. Failure to successfully complete the course will forfeit your deposit.
 - MLSS Staff Deposit - \$125.00
 - Non-MLSS Staff Deposit - \$250.00
- All Candidates must have up-to-date Physicals and Immunization records and will be required to purchase Personal Liability Insurance through the MLSS Training Center.
- In addition to classroom sessions EMT-I students will be required to complete 120-Hours of Clinical Internship before you are eligible to take the NYSDOHBEMS practical and written exams.
- All Candidates must possess a valid EMT-B card throughout the entire course.