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EMT RENEWAL-Currently Certified in Ventura County

If your current EMT Certification was obtained in another county, please refer to the *EMT Renewal (Currently Certified in Another County)* Instructions.

ALL SERVICES ARE BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

- 1. EMS Personnel Application and Eligibility Statement:** Print out and sign both forms for submission.
- 2. Continuing Education:** 24 Hour Refresher Course or 24 Hours of instructor based or online coursework; must provide **printed** CE course completion certificate(s). **Course rosters will not be accepted**. Courses under 1 hour **will not** be accepted. Course over 1 hour must be at least 1.50 hours. Approved CE providers are listed on the California EMS Authority's website: [Approved CE Providers](#)
- 3. Skills: EMT Skills Competency Verification Form** must be signed by an **approved skills signer** as defined on the EMSA – SCV (01/17) form. Incomplete forms **will not** be accepted.

NOTE: All EMT applicants certifying/renewing on or after July 1, 2019, shall submit documentation of successful completion of the following training by an approved EMT training program or approved CE provider (If this has already been submitted to VCEMS, then you do not need to repeat this requirement):

- **The use of a glucometer**
- **The use and administration of naloxone or other opioid antagonist**
- **The use and administration of epinephrine by auto-injector**

- 4. CPR Card:** Provide **a printed** copy of a valid CPR Card. Completion of both the cognitive and skills testing from a Professional Rescuer or Healthcare Provider level CPR course which is consistent with the current American Heart Association Guidelines for CPR and Emergency Cardiovascular Care (ECC) are required. Online courses without skills **will not** be accepted.

Examples of CPR cards that will be accepted:

- **American Heart Association – BLS Provider**
- **American Red Cross – BLS For Healthcare Providers, CPR/AED for Professional Rescuers (CPRO)**
- **American Safety and Health Institute (ASHI)**
- **EMS Safety**
- **Ventura County approved Cardiac Arrest Management (CAM)**

- 5. ID:** Provide an original of a government issued Driver's License or Identification Card.
- 6. Recertification Fee (Fees are subject to change):** \$97.00 - The EMS Agency **only** accepts Visa, MasterCard, or checks (**Cash, American Express, and Discover are not accepted**). Checks should be made payable to VCEMS.