



CME Opportunity	Description	Mandatory	Weight/Points
Teaching	<p>Paramedics will receive CME points a maximum of 2 times per subject matter taught.</p> <p><b>Teach Symptom Relief, defibrillation etc. for Base Hospital</b>      <b>1 point</b>  <b>Teach ACLS, PHTLS etc.</b>      <b>3 points</b>  <b>Teaching Paramedic Students at College</b>      <b>1 point per workshop/lecture</b></p>	No	Max 10/year
Self Development	<p>ACLS, PALS, NALS, APALS, PHTLS, ACP Program etc. (See list of preapproved courses)</p> <p>Paramedics will receive the appropriate points for self-development based on 1/hr <b>(Course content should be reviewed for courses unfamiliar to the Medical Director in order for CME points to be assigned)</b>. CECBEMS (Continuing Education Coordinating Board for Emergency Medical Services) points can be used as a basis for point per Medical Director approval.</p>	No	<p>1/hour</p> <p>Max 16/course</p>
Journal Study	<p>Paramedics will be required to submit documentation on each article as to: Title, text/journal, author, date of publication before points will be given. A brief synopsis of the article should be provided.</p> <p>Each article will be credited as follows, with a maximum of 3 CME points for any calendar year.</p> <p><b>Prehospital care journal articles</b>  <b>Emergency Medicine journal articles</b>  <b>Critical Care Journal article</b>  <b>Landmark EMS/Emergency Medicine / Ressuscitation article</b></p>	No	<p>Varies depending on content</p> <p>Max 3/year</p>
Lecture Review/Study	<p>Must be applicable to the practice of paramedicine at the level of the paramedic.</p> <p>If not a previously approved electronic lecture/podcast, supporting documentation including a copy of the lecture, source, lecture length, and learning objectives/outcomes will be submitted.</p> <p><b>1 hour = 1 point</b></p>	No	Max 4/year
Conference/Workshop/Course Work/Presentation	<p><b>Conference/Workshop/Course Work/Presentation</b> must be applicable to the practice of paramedicine at the level of the paramedic.</p> <p><b>Paramedics must apply via the Registry for consideration of CME points for attendance or participation in any conference, workshop, course work, or presentation at least 2 weeks in advance of participation.</b> Courses attended without prior approval can be submitted for individual consideration, but may not be awarded CME points based on content. Consideration will be given to the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Topic of presentation or agenda of workshops</li> <li>• Description of how this activity will fit in with professional development in paramedicine</li> </ul> <p>CME points for this type of activity will be at the discretion of the Medical Director and assigned on an individual application basis. A report of material covered and points learned may be required.</p>	No	<p>Varies depending on content</p> <p>Max 16</p>

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<p align="center"><b>Committee Participation</b></p>	<p><b>Paramedics must apply via the Registry for consideration of CME points for committee work, at least 2 weeks in advance of participation.</b></p> <p>Application for CME point consideration will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Goals of the committee, agenda/topic of discussion</li> <li>• Description of how this activity will fit in with professional development in paramedicine</li> </ul> <p>CME points for this type of activity will be at the discretion of the Medical Director and assigned on an individual application basis.</p>	<p align="center">No</p>	<p align="center"><b>Varies depending on content/committee</b></p> <p align="center"><b>Max 8/year</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>Clinical Settings</b></p>	<p>Paramedics may attend a variety of clinical settings: Emergency Department (in the presence of a BHP where possible), operating room (intubation skills), respiratory therapy, ICU, day surgery (IV skills). <b>Rotations should be completed by November 30th.</b> Specific goals and outcomes of the clinical experience (skills retention, disease A&amp;P) as well as supervisor signature should be submitted to the registry.</p>	<p align="center">No</p>	<p align="center"><b>1/hour</b></p> <p align="center"><b>Max 6/year/ clinical setting</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>Research</b></p>	<p><b>Paramedics must apply via the Registry for consideration of research work.</b> Paramedics may do so in advance or concurrently with research work. Research material must be ongoing and relevant to Paramedicine and published or translated into English.</p> <p>Application for CME point consideration will include specific research techniques to be utilized, goals and expected outcomes of the research experience.</p> <p><b>CME points for this type of activity will be at the discretion of the Medical Director and assigned on an individual application basis.</b> <i>Note:</i> Presentation of this information at Rounds/Webinar will receive additional points.</p>	<p align="center">No</p>	<p align="center"><b>Per Case</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>Publication</b></p>	<p><b>Paramedics must apply via the Registry in advance of the publication.</b> Work must be published in a recognized, professionally related Paramedicine/Prehospital Care journal.</p> <p>Application for CME point consideration will include specifics of journal article as well as information on the publication that article is being submitted to.</p> <p><b>CME points for this type of activity will be at the discretion of the Medical Director and assigned on an individual application basis.</b> <i>Note:</i> Presentation of this information at Rounds/Webinar will receive additional points.</p>	<p align="center">No</p>	<p align="center"><b>Per Case</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>Presentation</b></p>	<p>Paramedics may choose to get together and present topics of relevance to one another. This activity will be self-organized. Paramedics must apply via the registry, at least 4 weeks in advance.</p> <p>Presentations must be relevant to Paramedicine/Prehospital Care. In order for this activity to be approved, the session(s) must be attended by a Base Hospital Physician or delegate.</p>	<p align="center">No</p>	<p align="center"><b>Per Event</b></p>

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<p><b>Community Paramedicine</b></p>	<p><b>Medics must apply via the Registry for consideration of CME credits for attendance or participation in any conference, workshop, course work, or presentation related to community paramedicine at least 2 weeks in advance of participation.</b> Courses attended without prior approval can be submitted for individual consideration, but may not be awarded CME credits based on content. Consideration will be given to the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Topic of presentation or agenda of workshops</li> <li>• Description of how this activity will fit in with professional development in paramedicine</li> </ul> <p>CME credits for this type of activity will be at the discretion of the Medical Director and assigned on an individual application basis. A report of material covered and points learned may be required</p>	<p>No</p>	<p><b>Per Case Max 2/year</b></p>
<p><b>Professional Self Development</b></p>	<p>Courses, lectures or events aimed at professional self-development that have an impact on improving patient medical care. Sessions must be directed towards the field of prehospital care and taught by qualified personnel.</p> <p><b>Medics must apply via the Registry for consideration of CME credits for attendance or participation in any event related to professional self-development at least 2 weeks in advance of participation.</b></p> <p>This includes courses surrounding the psychosocial aspects of prehospital care (i.e. mental health, PTSD, communication skills, ethics). This must be preapproved prior to granting points.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p><b>Per Case Max 8/year</b></p>
<p><b>Other</b></p>	<p>Paramedics may apply via the Registry at least 2 weeks in advance for approval of a potential CME event. Applications should include the objectives of the event and how it will <b>enhance the clinical practice of paramedicine at the certification level of the paramedic.</b></p>	<p>No</p>	<p><b>Per Case</b></p>