

## Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) Certification/Re-Certification Schedule for 2020

**Prerequisite for ACLS Class:**

**Current AHA Healthcare Provider BLS card and a working knowledge of basic arrhythmia interpretation (BART).**

**Employees – to register for class requires a refundable deposit of \$60.00**

**Non-Employees - Full Certification 2 day class class is \$265.00**

**Re-Certification class is \$215.00 (you must present your active ACLS card upon registration for a Re-Cert)**

*\*You will receive 12 CEU's for ACLS Certification*

*\*\*You will receive 5 CEU's for ACLS Re-Certification*

**Before you register, please be sure to call the Education Office to check for seat availability.**

The ACLS Certification classes are two full days – if you need an ACLS Re-Certification you must sign up for one of the Re-Certification classes.

All classes are held in the Weisser Education Pavilion Conference Rooms A & B

Each class (Cert and Re-Cert) are scheduled from 09:00 am to 05:00 pm.

	Class	Date
January	Re-Cert	Thursday, January 9, 2020
February	Re-Cert	Tuesday, February 18, 2020
March	Re-Cert	Wednesday, March 4, 2020
April	Re-Cert	Monday, April 20, 2020
May	Re-Cert	Thursday, May 7, 2020
<b>New</b> →	Re-Cert	<b>Tuesday, May 19, 2020</b>
<b>New</b> →	Re-Cert	<b>Tuesday, May 26, 2020</b>
<b>New</b> →	Re-Cert	<b>Thursday, June 18, 2020</b>
June	<b>Certification Day 1</b>	Tuesday, June 23, 2020
	<b>Certification Day 2</b>	Tuesday, June 30, 2020
July	Re-Cert	Tuesday, July 21, 2020
August	Re-Cert	Wednesday, August 5, 2020
September	Re-Cert	Monday, September 21, 2020
October	Re-Cert	Friday, October 23, 2020
November	Re-Cert	Tuesday, November 24, 2020
December	<b>Certification Day 1</b>	Thursday, December 3, 2020
	<b>Certification Day 2</b>	Thursday, December 10, 2020

**The American Heart Association Resource Text Book is Mandatory for the classes.** If you register for class using the drop box please be sure to stop by the Education Office before your scheduled class to pick up a textbook. The American Heart Association text book is available for loan as part of your deposit.

The goal of the 2-day course is to provide the participant with the knowledge and skills to reduce death and disability for patients who suffer cardiovascular emergencies such as cardiac arrest, myocardial infarction, or stroke. The focus of the course is group interaction and teamwork in combination with written and performance-based exams.

The goal of the Re-Certification class is to refresh the participants knowledge and skills to reduce death and disability for patients who suffer cardiovascular emergencies such as cardiac arrest, myocardial infarction, or stroke. The focus of the course is group interaction and teamwork in combination with written and performance-based exams.

#### **Course Objectives:**

Upon completion of this course the participant will be able to:

1. Perform CPR and FBAO for the adult, to American Heart Association Standards.
2. Understand the pharmacology of the “code” drugs of choice and their appropriate application to a given situation.
3. Recognize potential and actual lethal dysrhythmias and choose the appropriate algorithm of treatment.
4. Demonstrate safe and correct operational skills with the defibrillator.
5. Demonstrate proficiency, to AHA standards, with the airway adjuncts: mouth-to-mask, bag valve-mask and endotracheal intubation, with a manikin.
6. Successfully function as a team leader in a Megacode; which includes dysrhythmia recognition and treatment, patient assessment, supervising the team and problem solving.
7. Pass the written exam with a score of 84% or greater.

#### **➔ Don't Risk Forfeiting Your Deposit!**

- **If you are late to class**
  - **Fail to attend class**
  - **Return the Books in a damaged condition**
  - **If you do not return the book**
- You will forfeit your class deposit.**

**The text book is for sale in the Education Department for \$40.00.**

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