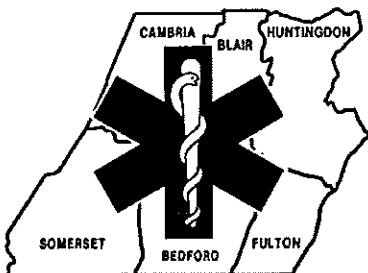


2009.2010 EMS Training Schedule



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Course Information

Course Fees*

	First Responder	EMT Bridge
Community College Lab & Tuition fees	\$32.00	\$50.00
Book Cost	\$86.00	\$91.00**
BLS Protocols & Skills Sheets	\$6.50	\$6.50
Total Course Cost	\$124.50	\$147.50

**Assistance with EMT Bridge book fees will be offered with funding through the Bureau of EMS, Emergency Operating Funds (EMSOF) as available.

Scholarships

Scholarships to assist with course fees are available by contacting the Central PA Community Foundation at (814) 944-6102.

*Course fees are subject to change.

First Responder & EMT Bridge FAQ

? How do you become an EMT?

Answer: The first step is successful completion of the First Responder (EMT Part I) course. Second step is successful completion of the EMT Bridge (EMT Part II) course.

? How long is the First Responder Course (Part I)?

Answer: The First Responder Course is 48 hours.

? How many hours of class can you miss in a First Responder course?

Answer: No more than 4.5 hours.

? How long is the Bridge Course (Part II)?

Answer: The Bridge Course is 78 hours.

? How many hours of class can you miss in a Bridge course?

Answer: No more than 8 hours.

The First Responder and the Bridge follow a semester schedule.

The EMT Bridge may be taken at anytime after successful completion of the First Responder course.

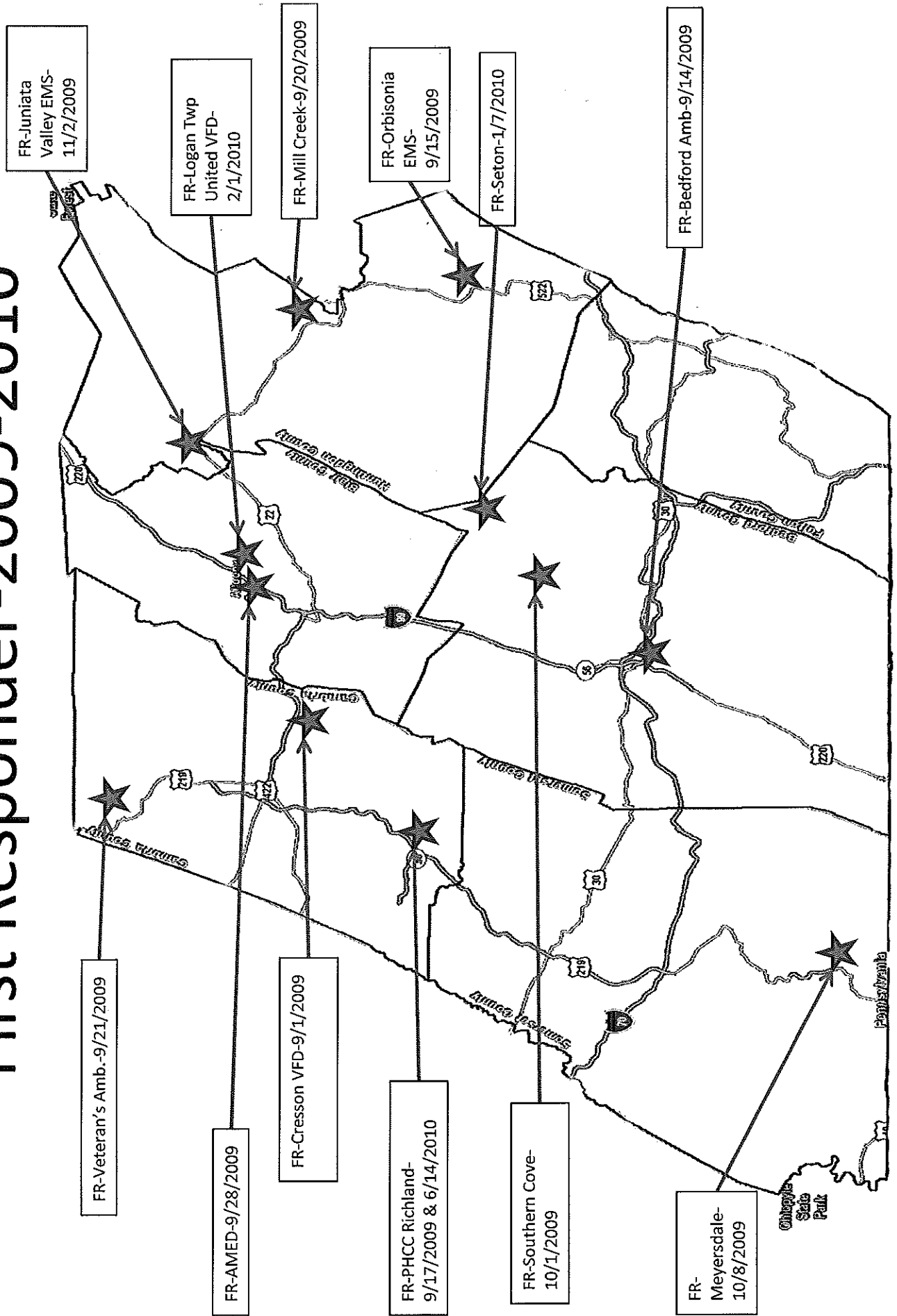
? What is taught in the First Responder (EMT Part I) Course?

Answer: This course is an introduction to emergency care training covering subjects of human systems, cardiac arrest, soft tissue injuries, musculoskeletal care, emergency childbirth, lifting and moving patients, and ambulance operations. Successful completion of the First Responder enables students to take the PA written and practical exams for First Responder.

? What is taught in the Bridge (EMT Part II) Course?

Answer: This course builds upon the knowledge and skills learned in the First Responder (Part I) course as well as covering additional information in the subject areas of medical emergencies and pharmacology. The First Responder will also learn to assist the patient taking the following drugs: glucose for diabetics, fast acting inhaler for asthmatics, Nitroglycerin for cardiac patients and epi auto-injector for severe allergic reactions. Successful completion of the Bridge enables students to take the PA written and practical exams required for EMT certification.

First Responder-2009-2010



First Responder (EMT Part I)

Juniata Valley Ambulance, RR 1 SR 305, Alexandria

November 2 – January 28, 2010

Mondays & Thursdays from 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Logan United FD, RR 4 Box 509A, Altoona

March 11 – May 24, 2009

Mondays & Thursdays from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Meyersdale Ambulance, 615 Salisbury Street, Meyersdale

October 8 – January 18, 2010

Mondays & Thursdays from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Penn Highland Community College, Richland Campus,

101 Community College Way

November 7, 2009 – February 6, 2010

Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

June 14, 2010 – July 8, 2010

Mondays, Tuesdays, & Thursdays from 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Portage VFC, 721 Main Street, Portage, 15946.

January 25 – March 8, 2010

Mondays, Thursdays, & Saturdays from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. (M/TH) –
8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (Sat)

Replogle Building, Southern Cove FD, 312 Chestnut Street, New Enterprise

October 1 – December 15, 2009

Tuesdays & Thursdays from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Seton Company, 135 Horton Drive, Saxton

January 7 – March 25, 2010

Mondays & Thursdays from 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Seven Springs Resort (Ski Patrol Bldg) , 777 Waterwheel Drive, Seven Springs.

March 16 – May 25, 2010

Tuesdays & Thursdays from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

EMT Bridge (EMT Part II)

Bedford Ambulance, 130 Vondersmith Avenue, Bedford

January 13 – May 12, 2010

Wednesdays & Sundays from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. (W)

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. (S)

Cresson VFD, 221 Ashcroft Avenue, Cresson

January 5 – April 27, 2010

Tuesdays & Thursdays from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Kantner United Methodist Church, 629 Forbes Road, Stoystown

January 16 – May 15, 2010

Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Orbisonia EMS, 620 Water Street, Orbisonia

February 9 – June 3, 2010

Tuesdays & Thursdays from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

Penn Highland Community College, Richland Campus,

101 Commage Way

January 19 – May 13, 2010

Tuesdays & Thursdays from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

February 20 – June 19, 2010

Saturdays from 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

July 12 – August 19, 2010

Mondays, Tuesdays, & Thursdays from 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Portage VFD, 721 Main Street, Portage, 15946

March 15 – May 17, 2010

Mondays, Thursdays, Saturdays from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. (M/Th)

8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (Sat)

Practical Testing Dates

If you are testing on a date other than the one assigned to your class, you must first contact our office at (814) 696-3200 to register.

Location	Date	Starting Time
Cresson VFD	11/5/09	6:30 p.m.
Geeseytown VFD	11/14/09	6:30 p.m.
Orbisonia EMS	11/17/09	6:30 p.m.
Bedford Ambulance	11/18/09	9:00 a.m.
Millcreek VFD	11/22/09	8:00 a.m.
AMED	12/7/09	6:30 p.m.
Replogle Building, Southern Cove VFD	12/8/09	6:30 p.m.
Meyersdale Ambulance	1/11/10	6:30 p.m.
St. David's Lutheran Church	1/16/10	8:00 a.m.
Juniata Valley Ambulance	1/21/10	7:00 p.m.
PHCC Richland	1/30/10	8:00 a.m.
Portage VFD	3/1/10	6:30 p.m.
Seton, Saxton	3/18/10	7:00 p.m.
Cresson VFD	4/20/10	6:30 p.m.
Bedford Ambulance	4/28/10	6:30 p.m.
PHCC Richland	5/4/10	6:30 p.m.
Kantner United Methodist	5/8/10	8:00 a.m.
Portage VFD	5/10/10	6:30 p.m.
Logan United FD	5/17/09	6:30 p.m.

Seven Springs	5/18/10	6:30 p.m.
Orbisonia EMS	5/27/10	6:30 p.m.
PHCC Richland	6/19/10	8:00 a.m.
PHCC Richland	7/6/10	8:00 a.m.
PHCC Richland	8/17/10	8:00 a.m.

Written Testing Dates

If you are testing on a date other than the one assigned to your class, you must first contact our office at (814) 696-3200 to register.

Location	Date	Starting Time
Comfort Inn, Duncansville	10/13/09	6:00 p.m.
Comfort Inn, Duncansville	10/23/09	10:00 a.m.
Cresson VFD	11/12/09	6:30 p.m.
Geeseytown VFD	11/19/09	6:30 p.m.
Orbisonia EMS	11/24/09	6:30 p.m.
Bedford Ambulance	11/25/09	9:00 a.m.
Millcreek VFD	12/6/09	8:00 a.m.
Comfort Inn, Duncansville	12/11/09	10:00 a.m.
AMED	12/14/09	6:30 p.m.
Replogle Building, Southern Cove VFD	12/15/09	6:30 p.m.
Meyersdale Ambulance	1/18/10	6:30 p.m.
PHCC, Richland	1/23/10	8:00 a.m.
Juniata Valley Ambulance	1/28/10	7:00 p.m.
PHCC Richland	2/6/10	10 a.m.
Comfort Inn, Duncansville	3/3/10	6:00 p.m.
Portage VFD	3/8/10	6:30 p.m.
Comfort Inn, Duncansville	3/17/10	10:00 a.m.
Seton, Saxton	3/25/10	7:00 p.m.
Cresson VFD	4/27/10	6:30 p.m.
Bedford Ambulance	5/12/10	6:30 p.m.
PHCC Richland	5/13/10	6:30 p.m.
Kantner United Methodist Church	5/15/10	11 a.m.
Portage VFD	5/17/10	6:30 p.m.

Logan United FD	5/24/09	6:30 p.m.
Seven Springs	5/25/10	6:30 p.m.
Orbisonia EMS	6/3/10	6:30 p.m.
Comfort Inn, Duncansville	6/10/10	6:00 p.m.
PHCC Richland	6/19/10	10 a.m.
Comfort Inn, Duncansville	6/25/10	10:00 a.m.
PHCC Richland	7/8/10	11:00 a.m.
PHCC Richland	8/19/10	11:00 a.m.