

Credentialing Requirements

	ATCEMS (EMS)	Austin Fire Dept. (AFD)	Corporate FRO (FRO)
EMD: ATCEMS Communications Only			
IET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IAED Certification: EMD • ATCEMS Academy • EMD Written Test (EMS) • Successful completion of all department required training • Successful completion of all department required testing • Successfully obtain AHA CPR certification 	N/A	N/A
MOC	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete all OCMO Designated CE within 180 days of assignment 2. EMD Testing (every 2 years) (IAED) 3. Maintain AHA CPR Certification 4. 12 hours per month on 911 phones 5. 12 hours per month at dispatch position (if cleared) 	N/A	N/A
PL1: ECA or Communications			
IET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: ECA • ATCEMS Academy incl. PL1 skill testing (EMS) • COG written test (OCMO) 	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: ECA • Entry training (DPS/FRO) including online learning modules set forth by the (OCMO) • PL1 skill testing (DPS/FRO) • COG written test (OCMO)
MOC	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete all OCMO Designated CE within 180 days of assignment 2. OCMO Designated Scenarios incl. all necessary Medication and Skill Competencies on an annual cycle (every 2 years) (EMS) 3. COG Testing (every 2 years) (OCMO) 	N/A	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete all OCMO Designated CE within 180 days of assignment 2. OCMO Designated Scenarios incl. all necessary Medication and Skill Competencies on an annual cycle (every 2 years) (DPS/FRO) 3. COG Testing (every 2 years) (OCMO)
PL2: EMT 1			
IET	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: EMT • AFD Academy incl. PL2 skill testing (AFD) • COG written test (OCMO) • 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: EMT • Entry training (DPS/FRO) including online learning modules set forth by the OCMO • PL2 skill testing • COG written test (OCMO)

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PL3: EMT 2			
IET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: EMT • ATCEMS Academy incl. PL3 skill testing (EMS) & ATCEMS field training • COG written test (OCMO) • Medical Director Interview 	N/A	N/A
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PL4: ILS Provider			
IET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: AEMT 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: AEMT 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: AEMT

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entry training (ATCEMS) including learning modules set forth by the OCMO • PL4 skill testing (ATCEMS) • Scenario-based testing (OCMO) • COG written test (OCMO) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entry training (AFD) including online learning modules set forth by the (OCMO) • PL4 skill testing (AFD) • Scenario-based testing (OCMO) • COG written test (OCMO) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entry training (DPS/FRO) including online learning modules set forth by the (OCMO) • PL4 skill testing (ESD) • Scenario-based testing (OCMO) • COG written test (OCMO)
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PL5: Paramedic Clinician			
IET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: Paramedic • EMS PL3 Academy • PL5 skills testing (EMS) • EMS/OCMO PL5 Academy • Medical Director Interview 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: Paramedic • Entry training as set forth by the (AFD) & PL4 Academy (EMS/AFD) • PL5 skills testing (EMS/AFD) • EMS/OCMO PL5 Academy or substantially equivalent OCMO-approved academy • Medical Director Interview 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: Paramedic • Entry training as set forth by the (DPS/FRO) & PL4 Academy (OCMO) • PL5 skills testing (OCMO) • OCMO PL5 Academy or substantially equivalent OCMO approved academy • Medical Director Interview
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PL6: Extended Scope Paramedic			
IET	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: Paramedic • EMS/OCMO PL5 & PL-6 Academies • Critical Care Paramedic (CCP), Flight Paramedic (FP), or Critical Care EMT-Paramedic (CCEMTP) certification • Medical Director Interview 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: Paramedic • EMS/OCMO PL5 & PL-6 Academies • Critical Care Paramedic (CCP), Flight Paramedic (FP), or Critical Care EMT-Paramedic (CCEMTP) certification • Medical Director Interview 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum DSHS certification: Paramedic • EMS/OCMO PL5 & PL-6 Academies • Critical Care Paramedic (CCP), Flight Paramedic (FP), or Critical Care EMT-Paramedic (CCEMTP) certification • Medical Director Interview
MOC	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete all OCMO Designated CE within 180 days of assignment 2. Attend 75% of PL-6 case reviews, may attend 1 per year virtually 3. Portfolio Review with OCMO Designated Target Events and Levels (every 2 years). 4. If unable to reach targeted competencies within the portfolio; OCMO Designated Scenarios incl. all necessary Medication and Skill Competencies to complete the portfolio. 5. COG Testing (every 2 years) (OCMO) 6. Maintain Qualifying "Critical Care" Certificate. (EMS) 7. Complete an average of 24 hours of field time every quarter (measured by calendar year) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete all OCMO Designated CE within 180 days of assignment 2. Attend 75% of PL-6 case reviews, may attend 1 per year virtually 3. Portfolio Review with OCMO Designated Target Events and Levels (every 2 years). 4. If unable to reach targeted competencies within the portfolio; OCMO Designated Scenarios incl. all necessary Medication and Skill Competencies to complete the portfolio 5. COG Testing (every 2 years) (OCMO) 6. Maintain Qualifying "Critical Care" Certificate. (EMS/AFD) 7. Complete an average of 24 hours of field time every quarter (measured by calendar year) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete all OCMO Designated CE within 180 days of assignment 2. Attend 75% of PL-6 case reviews, may attend 1 per year virtually 3. Portfolio Review with OCMO Designated Target Events and Levels (every 2 years) 4. If unable to reach targeted competencies within the portfolio; OCMO Designated Scenarios incl. all necessary Medication and Skill Competencies to complete the portfolio. 5. COG Testing (every 2 years) (OCMO) 6. Maintain Qualifying "Critical Care" Certificate. (EMS/DPS) 7. Complete an average of 24 hours of field time every quarter (measured by calendar year)

IET: Initial Entry Training. **MOC:** Maintenance of Credentialing.

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Designated Target Events:

Target events will be assessed off documentation in the preceding 2-year MOC cycle. While target events will initially be focused on interventions, they will eventually consist of a combination of 1) patient outcomes, 2) interventions, 3) provider's experiences 4) simulated events. Every provider level is responsible for the target events of their credential level and those of every preceding credential level (e.g. a PL-5 must complete the target events for a PL-1, PL-2, PL-3, PL-4 and PL-5 in order to not have to complete OCMO designated scenarios for MOC). However, completing a group of competencies may exempt a provider from a specific MOC scenario section.

2025 Target Event Portfolio:

Intervention	Provider Level	Amount per cycle	Success rate (if applicable)
TRAUMA			
Tourniquet Application	PL-1	4	
Wound Packing	PL-1	2	
Simple Thoracostomy	PL-5	8	
Pelvic Binder	PL-1	4	
CHILDBIRTH			
Newborn Delivery	PL-1	2	
Neonatal Resuscitation	PL-2	2	
AIRWAY			
BVM Ventilation	PL-1	6	
CPAP Application	PL-2	6	
BIAD Insertion	PL-2	4	75
Video Laryngoscopy	PL-5	10	90
Direct Laryngoscopy	PL-5	40	90
Nasal Intubation	PL-5	10	100
Cricothyrotomy	PL-5	2	100
Ventilator Application	PL-6	8	
CARDIAC			
CPR	PL-1	1	
Defibrillation (AED)	PL-1 (Does not apply to ≥PL5)	1	
Manual Defibrillation	PL-5	1	
Valsalva Maneuver	PL-5	2	
Cardioversion	PL-5	2	
Pacing	PL-5	2	
General			
IV Pump Usage	PL-5	4	
Blood Product Administration	PL-5	2	