

Oklahoma Center for Poison & Drug Information Announces Free AHLS “Provider” Course *Premier Hazmat Training for the Healthcare Professional*

Target Audience

- ◆ Pharmacists
- ◆ Physicians
- ◆ Paramedics/Firefighters
- ◆ Nurse Practitioners
- ◆ PA’s
- ◆ RN’s
- ◆ Respiratory Therapists
- ◆ Hazmat Techs
- ◆ Military Medics
- ◆ Toxicologists
- ◆ Industrial Hygienists

This internationally recognized Advanced Hazmat Life Support Provider program is a course developed by the Arizona Emergency Medicine Research Center (AEMRC) at the University of Arizona Health Sciences Center and the American Academy of Clinical Toxicology. Verified instructors and toxicologists with the Oklahoma Center for Poison & Drug Information, in cooperation with the Oklahoma State Department of Health, will be providing this course **June 21-22, 2018 on the OU Health Sciences Center Campus in Oklahoma City.**

The Advanced Hazmat Life Support (AHLS) Provider Course is the premier, international course that teaches healthcare professionals to medically manage patients exposed to hazardous materials, including chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear agents. The 16-hour, 2-day AHLS Provider Course covers hazardous materials including insecticides, corrosives, irritant gases, asphyxiants, hydrocarbons and substituted hydrocarbons. Specific antidotes and their indications, contraindications, dosing and route are also included.

Join the worldwide community of more than 18,000 healthcare professionals from around the world, to become a Verified AHLS Provider, prepared to face the clinical challenges of hazmat incidents.

Qualified medical personnel will receive 16 hours of free CME credits and free Verification as trained Providers. Only Advanced EMT’s and Paramedics qualify to receive AHLS Verification. Basics are eligible to attend the course only if seating is available, but will not receive Verification (unless enrolled in a Paramedic program and graduating within 3 months of the course); however, Basics do receive continuing education credits (if applicable) provided solely by AHLS.

Tuition has been generously paid through a grant from the Oklahoma State Department of Health, available to Oklahoma healthcare professionals only. Course offered on a first-come, first-served basis. Space is limited.

Register on the AHLS website at www.ahls.org: Click on ‘Take a Course,’ then on the ‘Oklahoma City Provider Course.’ If you have not registered in the past, you will first be asked to complete the ‘Profile’ section. Preference is given to first time attendees. (Previous attendees who need to re-verify will be allowed to attend, if seating is available, but the option to re-verify online at the www.ahls.org website is available for a cost of \$58).

IMPORTANT: When registering, please provide the best email address to be contacted throughout the course. Make a note of your username and password; you will need both beyond the end of the course!

For problems on the AHLS website only, contact Jennifer at 520-626-2305 or jronnebaum@aemrc.arizona.edu.
For all other questions, contact Shirley Christie/Oklahoma Center for Poison & Drug Information/405-271-5062.

You will receive initial registration confirmation from AHLS. The Poison Center will then contact you with acceptance into the class, as well as keep you updated via the email address provided during registration.

June 21-22, 2018: OU Health Sciences Center/College of Pharmacy/1110 N. Stonewall/Oklahoma City 73117
9:00a – 5:00p first day; 8-5 second day
Coffee & breakfast provided in the a.m.; lunch is on your own

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Please call Shirley at the number below if you have questions

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