



MEMORANDUM

To: EMS Services and Educational Institutions

From: Michael Poynter
Executive Director

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Date: April 14, 2020

Re: COVID-19 Education and Related Certification/License Impacts

In accordance with the Governor's Executive Order 2020-243 and delegation of emergency orders specified in SB150 as approved by the Board on April 6, 2020 delegating authority to the KBEMS Executive Director to waive or modify administrative regulations promulgated by the Board and state statutes related to the EMS profession necessary to protect public health and safety. The Kentucky Board of EMS will endorse any COVID-19 policy changes made by the below listed entities that are directly associated with the Kentucky EMS system through education, certification, and licensure:

American Heart Association ([AHA](#))

National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians ([NREMT](#))

Pearson [VUE](#)

The Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Professions ([CoAEMSP](#))

The endorsement applies to any policy changes related to COVID-19 that do not conflict with KBEMS statutes and/or administrative regulations.

Should you have any questions, please contact KBEMS through the [KBEMS support portal](#) at [KBEMS.COM](#).

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