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RECIPROCITY INSTRUCTIONS

The Nevada State Division of Public and Behavioral Health Emergency Medical Systems (EMS) Program has reciprocal process with all 50 states, as well as the National Registry of EMTs (NREMT). What this means is if you are currently certified as an Emergency Medical Responder (EMR), Emergency Medical Technician (EMT), Advanced Emergency Medical Technician (AEMT), or Paramedic with one of those entities, your certification may be transferable to Nevada, providing you meet the requirements as set forth in NAC 450B.363:

The applicant:

1. Is a resident of Nevada.
2. Will be a resident of Nevada within 6 months after applying for certification.
3. Is a resident of another state and is employed by a permitted service in Nevada; or
4. Is attending a course of training held in this State and approved by the Division.

If you meet the requirements as listed above, complete the Reciprocal Certification Application located on our State Online Application Portal: <https://nevada.imagetrendlicense.com/portal#/login>. After completing the application in its entirety, complete a Verification of Out of State EMS Certification/License Form for each state where you have held or currently hold an EMS certification/license.

The following documents must be uploaded in your online application:

1. All Providers must upload copies of all valid EMS Certification/Licenses. (You must have at least 3 months left on your certification)
2. All Providers must upload a copy of their Healthcare Provider CPR Card.
3. For Paramedic Certifications, copies of valid ACLS, PALS, and ITLS or PHTLS cards are required.

Fee's Due:

1. Eighty dollars (\$80.00) for Paramedic Certification.
2. Sixty-Five dollars (\$65.00) for AEMT Certification.
3. Forty-Five dollars (\$45.00) for EMT Certification.

If you are currently certified in other states without a NREMT certification:

Upon receipt of your completed application and receipt of verification that your out of state certification(s) are in good standing, the Nevada EMS Program will send you a letter with instructions to enroll for the NREMT cognitive exam. You will be required to take the NREMT cognitive exam. After providing proof you have successfully completed the NREMT cognitive exam to the Nevada EMS office will issue to you within 30-days.

If you are currently certified with the National Registry of EMTs:

Upon receipt of your completed application, we will verify your certification via the NREMT Web page. Upon verification that your certification is in good standing, your Nevada certification will be issued to you within 30 days.

Please note if you are attempting reciprocity for Clark County (Las Vegas, Laughlin, etc.) you will need to contact Southern Nevada Health District. <http://www.southernnevadahealthdistrict.org/> Phone number (702) 759-1050.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact the EMS program at: HealthEMS@health.nv.gov or 775-687-7590.