Applying for the National Registry of Emergency Technicians

Requirements for Applying for the Emergency Medical Technician National Certification

- Successful completion of a state-approved Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) course that meets or exceeds the National Emergency Medical Services Education Standards for the Emergency Medical Technician
    - Candidates must have completed the course within the past two years and the course Program Director must verify successful course completion on the National Registry website
- Current CPR-BLS for "Healthcare Provider" or equivalent credential
- Successful completion of the National Registry cognitive (knowledge) and a state approved psychomotor (skills) exams
    - Passed portions of the cognitive and psychomotor exam remain valid for 24 months
    - For candidates with a course completion date prior to November 1, 2018, passed portions of each examination are valid for 12 months, provided all other entry requirements are met
    - Upon completion of the EMT course at Medic One ACE, all students will be registered to take the psychomotor examination as a group by the Program Director or Primary Instructor

Application Process for NREMT

- Create an account/login profile on the NREMT website
- Submit a National Registry application and answer all questions truthfully
- The National Registry may deny certification or take other appropriate actions regarding applicants for certification or recertification when a criminal conviction has occurred
- Pay the application fee of $80 (US)
    - The application fee is non-transferable and non-refundable
    - This fee is charged for each attempt of the cognitive examination
- Candidates will receive an electronic Authorization to Test (ATT) once they are eligible for the exam
    - The electronic ATT contains scheduling instructions and important details concerning proper identification required at testing centers
    - Students can find the ATT in the 'Check Application Status' page

For more information students may go to NREMT.ORG.

Persons convicted of a crime may not be eligible to take the National Registry of EMT's certification Exam to become an EMT. A state criminal background check is required of individuals seeking initial certification, and a federal criminal background check is required for those students who have not resided in Missouri.

Applying for Missouri State EMT License

In order to obtain a Missouri EMT license, students must first pass all program requirements, obtain an NREMT certification, and provide a fingerprint background check.

Background Checks

To apply for your initial EMS license in Missouri, visit the websites below for instructions on how to find an IDENTOGO location and transmit your fingerprint check to the Bureau of EMS prior to submitting your application to the state.

https://health.mo.gov/safety/ems

https://missouri.imagetrendlicense.com/lms/public/portal#/login