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Volunteer Weekend at the Ohio Fire Academy

Join your fellow firefighters at the Ohio Fire Academy on **April 5-6, 2014**. Dorm rooms and the following courses are free to firefighters serving communities of less than 15,000 in population. Paperwork will be completed at the Ohio Fire Academy on the day of training. Just go online to the Ohio Fire Academy website to sign up:

[https://www.comapps.ohio.gov/sfm/fire\\_apps/fmac/course\\_reg/CourseList.aspx](https://www.comapps.ohio.gov/sfm/fire_apps/fmac/course_reg/CourseList.aspx)

## FIRE COURSES:

### Structural Fire Attack 101

Course: 1063-2014-003

Course Description: This two day program puts students through intense scenario-based live fire training. Students will have the opportunity to experience the Mobile Fire Behavior Lab (flashover unit). Participants will walk away with the hands-on experience needed to create confidence in intense situations.

### Basic Rope Rescue

Course: 1837-2014-001

Course Description: This 16-hour course is for firefighters and rescue personnel responsible for rope rescue.

### Auto Extrication

Course: 1849-2014-001

Course Description: This intensive course was developed by the Ohio Fire Academy and is a must for all rescue personnel. Extrication of victims from vehicle accidents is the type of rescue work most frequently performed today. The skills and techniques used to extricate victims from motor vehicles should be acquired by all rescue personnel. These skills are used in industrial and farm operations.

### Building Construction for the Fire Service

Course: 3020-2014-001 April 5, 2014 only

Course Description: This Building Construction for the Fire Service course covers a variety of both modern and older construction features that firefighters will encounter during fire incidents. The course will also review several hazards encountered by the fire service such as lighting protection and flexible gas piping. This course is a must for both the veteran and newer firefighters.

### Fundamentals of Pump Operations

Course: 1211-2014-001 April 6, 2014 only

Course Description: This 6-hour course developed by the Ohio Fire Academy was designed to provide the pump operator or individuals who maintain pumps with an overview of the operation of the pump, including drafting.

Course Content: Pump principles and plumbing; ratings; problem areas and practical operations.

## **EMS Courses:**

### **EMS: Scenes Gone Bad: Self Protection Techniques**

Course: 1892-2014-001 April 5, 2014 only

Course Description:

Nothing has changed: you are still Number 1 and your safety and well-being remain the number one priority as an EMS provider. Portions of this class will focus on Behavioral Emergencies, Domestic Violence Scenes, Abuse, Traffic Scenes; and Violent Patients. Techniques to increase your safety and the safety of your crew will be reviewed and taught through a variety of scenarios designed to depict realistic on the job patient/situation encounters. Students must successfully complete both a written and practical evaluation to receive 6 continuing education credits for this course.

### **Mass Casualty Incidents**

Course: 1923-2014-001 April 6, 2014 (1/2 day-Morning) only

Course Description: This class is designed for all levels of EMS certification. Combining classroom and hands on practical training, students are taught how to use the S.T.A.R.T. (Simple Triage And Rapid Transport) triage method. This class will help students develop the skills for making a rapid assessment of the patient, determine which category the patient should be in, and visibly identifying the patient for treatment. This class is co-hosted by the Port Columbus International Airport Fire & EMS.

### **EMS CEU: Sick Not Sick**

Course: 1936-2014-001 April 6, 2014 (1/2 day-Afternoon) only

Course Description: This course is designed to help EMS personnel develop rapid patient assessment skills. This program distills years of field experience into a workable formula that both inexperienced and experienced providers can use in the field. Sick Not Sick teaches EMS personnel how to quickly collect information and discriminate the important from the unimportant to offer immediate initial care based upon his or her observations. After all, in EMS it comes down to whether the patient is sick or not sick.

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