**Paramedic Recertification Model (proposed 4/2018)**

4 days per week X 2 weeks vs. the present-day 5 days per week X 2 weeks

**Paramedics Require 60 hrs. of Con-Ed to Recertify**

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**Admisable Under The 15 Local & 15 Individual Hours Catagory**

* See Note below re: MA/OEMS AR 2-212 not allowing Distributive Ed to be claimed under the Local Catagory

1) Reduces the Paramedic refresher by 1 day a week, which in some cases reduces OT by 12 Hours, and / or 12 hours of OT if a Department must cover the shift vacancy.

2) Incorporates M&M Rounds as part of the Con-Ed total hrs. With the old model, Depts had to pay this additional expense even though their employees already received the necessary 60 hrs. required for recertification.

3) Allows classes a Department might hold (with OEMS Con Ed approved) to be counted as part of the remaining 12 hrs. needed.

4) Allows an individual to claim con-ed hours received at conferences they might attend.

- Note - Per MA / DPH AR 2-212 (5/31/17), “None of the continuing education course hours to meet the Local requirements may be completed through distributive Education”.

See page 2 for EMT Basic Recertification Model
EMT Basic Recertification Model

Requires 40 hrs. of Con-Education to Recertify

Continue with 5 days per week X 1-week model for a total of 30 hrs. with options for remaining 10 hrs.

CIEMSS EMT - B Recertification Program
One Week / 5 Days a Week (30 hrs.) `Model

30 Hours of Con - Ed Including 20 National Core Competency and 4hrs. CPR Recertification

Option 1
M&M Rounds Two - 2 hrs M&M rounds per year For a Total of 8 Hrs per Recert - Cycle or Greater (Local hrs.)

Option 2
Plus 2 hrs. of CIEMSS Provided Distributive Education (Individual hrs.)

or 10 Hours of Fire Department Sponsored Co-Ed Approved Training and / or Conferences

Admisable Under the 10 Local or 10 Individual Hours Category

10 Hours of CIEMSS Provided Distributive Education (10 hrs maximum under individual hrs.)