

EMS Update

IDPH Fee Updates

Effective Feb. 1, 2025, and in accordance with the updates in the Administrative Code for EMS the following fee changes will occur:

- Reciprocity application fees will increase from \$50 to \$75.
- License renewal late fees will increase from \$50 to \$100.
- Extension request fee of \$10.

Region 3 Non-Transport Inspections

All Region 3 non-transport vehicles must complete self-inspection and submit to the EMS System. IDPH has the deadline of March 15, 2025, for these. Forms are attached.

Protocol

The Spring protocol update for this year is scheduled to go into effect on March 10, 2025. There will be a brief Protocol Committee meeting on Feb. 7 at 1400. Each agency is welcome to have one representative attend. That person must be available to attend via Teams call at this scheduled time. Those interested can email me at krueger.zachariah@mhsil.com. As always, feel free to email me protocol ideas, needed corrections and noted discrepancies at any time.

Education

Wed., Feb. 19 at 1100 EMS: 2025 Monthly Protocol Review CE Lecture - Sepsis (live virtual format)

Thurs., Feb. 20 at 1500 EMS: 2025 EMS Journal Club "Airway Management in Cardiac Arrest" (live in-person or live virtual format). MEMS providers should sign up for the participation option of their choice through [HealthStream](#) to access this month's articles or contact Nancy @ likes.nancy@mhsil.com to receive them via email.

Tues., Feb. 25 and **Wed., Feb. 26** at 0800-1630

PHTLS Class-Initial Course-16hr

Location: Pana Fire Department, 400 East 1st St. Pana, IL

Must attend both days for certificate.

Free to Memorial EMS Region 3 and 6 Providers

Thurs., March 20 at 1500

Airway Skills Lab (open to all level providers)

Location: MLC room 414

