

for EMS practitioners at all levels. Upon successful completion of the course, students receive a certificate of completion, a wallet card recognizing them as an AHDR provider for 4 years, and 8 hours of CAPCE credit.

Online Instructor Orientation: For current AMLS, PHTLS, TECC and TCCC instructors who wish to become an AHDR instructor, this 1-hour online course explains the components of AHDR and teaches instructors how to host an engaging learning experience for participants. The orientation highlights best practices for utilizing course components, including interactive skill stations and case-based lectures. Upon completion of the course, instructors receive an AHDR instructor card. No monitoring is required. Available online in English. May be offered as a classroom course in other languages.

All Hazards Disaster Response (AHDR) teaches EMS practitioners how to respond to the many types of disaster scenarios they may encounter, including natural disasters and infrastructure failings, fires and radiological events,

pandemics, active shooter incidents, and other mass casualty events. AHDR educates participants on how to analyze potential threats in their area, assess available resources, and create a medical response plan that saves lives.

Topics covered include

- Communicating effectively during disasters
- Mutual aid and interoperability
- Managing resources such as supplies, medications and equipment
- Triage and transportation strategies and challenges
- Patient tracking and evacuation

At the start of the course, participants conduct a hazards vulnerability analysis to assess natural and man-made features of their environment that pose risk, along with assessing the needs of vulnerable and special needs populations, such as assisted-living and hospitalized patients. Content is presented in the context of realistic scenarios, culminating with a largescale mass casualty activity.

