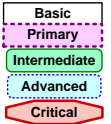


Z04.4: SPECIALTY COURSE REQUIREMENTS FOR DELEGATION

All ages

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EMS personnel must maintain satisfactory knowledge and appropriate psychomotor skills for the safe performance of all delegated medical functions (as per Z04.3 Technician / Attendant Responsibilities and Requirements).

CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION (CPR):

- To receive and maintain standing delegation of the core medical functions, providers must successfully complete an accepted CPR course, and demonstrate ongoing proficiency by successfully completing a *refresher* course each year. The following courses are acceptable.
 - Heart and Stroke Foundation Basic Life Support (HSF-BLS) provider and annual renewal course
 - Canadian Red Cross Level HCP CPR/AED course (must recertify annually)
 - St. John Ambulance CPR Level “C” & AED (must recertify annually)

ADVANCED CARDIAC LIFE SUPPORT (ACLS):

- To receive and maintain *formal delegation of the specialized medical functions* at the intermediate, advanced or critical care levels, providers must successfully complete the HSF ACLS provider course, and demonstrate ongoing proficiency by successfully completing the renewal course every two years.
- Successful completion of the HSF ACLS for Experienced Providers (ACLS-EP) course every two years is an acceptable alternative to the ACLS renewal course.
- The HSF regards American Heart Association (AHA) resuscitation / emergency cardiac care training courses as equivalent to the HSF Resuscitation Program courses.