

**ADVANCED CARDIAC
LIFE SUPPORT (ACLS)
PROVIDER
2012**

**JAN 25th & 26th
OR
APRIL 26th & 27th
OR
SEPT 10th & 11th
OR
DEC 12th & 13th**

8:00am to 4:00pm

**MAPLE & OAK LOWER LEVEL
CONFERENCE ROOMS**

**SPENCER HOSPITAL
SPENCER, IA**

PURPOSE:

This course is designed for healthcare providers who care for individuals in situations when advanced cardiac life support is required. Participants discuss and demonstrate advanced cardiac life support skills in accordance with criteria established by the American Heart Association.

INTENDED AUDIENCE:

RT's, RN's, EMT-P's & Physicians.

PRE REQUISITE:

A basic ECG interpretation class, including emergency cardiac drugs, airway/ventilation management, IV therapy & defibrillation principles is necessary prior to taking this class.

OBJECTIVES:

Upon completion of this program, the participant will be able to:

1. **DEMONSTRATE** recognition and therapeutic intervention for the major ACLS emergency conditions;
2. **DESCRIBE** their role in intravenous and invasive therapeutic and monitoring techniques;
3. **DEMONSTRATE** use of an AED;
4. **DISCUSS** indications for & equipment needed for cardioversion & emergency pacing;
5. **FUNCTION** as a team leader in a mega code;
6. **EXPLAIN** the management of a stroke victim;
7. **USING AN ACLS SCENARIO APPROACH:**
 - A. **PERFORM CPR;**
 - B. **GIVE** appropriate drugs;
 - C. **MANAGE** the airway;
 - D. **OPERATE** the defibrillation & monitors;
 - E. **MANAGE** a megacode

FACULTY:

Teaching responsibilities for this program will be shared between these AHA trained instructors:

John Hill, EMT-CCP
Neal Eisenbacher, EMT-P
Lisa Carter, RN
Jeff Messerole, EMT-PS
Bill Knoer, RN
Carolyn Hicks, RN

REGISTRATION:

Participants must pre-register one week prior to class. Spencer Hospital employees register via Healthstream. Non employees register by calling 264-6142, or send form to Human Resource Development dept at Spencer Hospital. Pre-course reading/preparation is mandatory for this course, no drop-in registration is permitted.

FEES:

No registration fee for employees of Spencer Hospital who have director approval to attend. \$200 for non-employees & Spencer Hospital employees without director approval to attend - (fee includes ACLS manual). Fee does not include an optional text: Handbook of Emergency Cardio-vascular Care (2010 Edition) which can be purchased for \$25

CANCELLATION:

A full refund (minus a \$50 handling fee) is given if cancellation notice is received less than one week prior to class. No refund if less than 24 hours notice is given. Spencer Hospital reserves the right to cancel this program if there is insufficient enrollment. In this event, every attempt will be made to notify enrollees prior to the event.

CEU'S:

Nurses: 1.32 CEU's will be awarded by IBON provider #14 – Spencer Hospital.

EMT's: CEH's will be offered through CECBEMS (Continuing Education Coordinating Board for Emergency Medical Services)

Participants must attend the entire program to receive continuing education credit. An exception may be made if an "EXTREME EMERGENCY" situation can be documented." In this instance, partial credit (based on the actual amount of time attended) may be granted.

We encourage participation by all individuals. If you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation in order to participate in this program; please notify HRD (712) 264-6623 at least two weeks prior to the program.

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REGISTRATION FORM

(NAME)

(HOME ADDRESS)

(CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE)

(IOWA LICENSE NUMBER)

(TELEPHONE NUMBER)

(EMAIL ADDRESS)

JOB TITLE Please circle RN LPN EMT

Other-please specify: _____

Date will attend: _____

Payment to: Spencer Hospital
Send to: Human Resources Development
Spencer Hospital
1200 First Ave. East
Spencer, IA 51301
Registration Phone # - 712-264-6142
Fax # - 712-264-8529
E-mail – dstumbo@spencerhospital.org

The American Heart Association strongly promotes knowledge and proficiency in BLS, ACLS, and PALS and has developed instructional materials for this purpose. Use of these materials in an educational course does not represent course sponsorship by the American Heart Association. Any fees charged for such a course, except for a portion of fees needed for AHA course material, do not represent income to the Association.

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