

# BLS

## *BLS New Provider*

- Initial Certification - Attend to obtain Basic Life Support Certification
- Classroom Course - 8th Floor of Central Building, Classroom 1
- Offered primarily for - New Hires
- Scheduled - from 0800-1230
- Who should attend this class?
  - First Time Certifications
  - BLS certification that has expired greater than 90 days
- Certification Requires Successful completion of the following:
  - Written Exam
    - Score of 84% or higher
  - Skills Check including:
    - Adult/Child 1 & 2 Rescuer CPR
    - Infant 1 & 2 Rescuer CPR
    - Use of an AED
    - Bagging

## *BLS Online*

- Recertification - **Current** BLS Providers can recertify their BLS using an online learning module with skills check session
- Online Course - Can be completed at work or home, 24/7
- Complete - [Online Request Form](#) (**MUST** supply your BLS expiration date to obtain online BLS key)
- Course Details:
  - You will receive the AHA Online Key invitation email.
- There are 3 components to Online Course Completion:
  1. Online Program (**MUST** print certificate and bring to the Skills Check Session)
  2. Skills Practice (Offered at the Skills Check Stations)
  3. Skills Check-Off (Offered once a month in Staff Education; offered at other times and locations as posted on other units)
- **MUST** complete all required modules & **eSims** in the program. Optional informational modules and videos are available and encouraged in the online program
- After completing the modules, you are **required** to take the online **Test**. If you do not pass the test (Test A) with **84%**, you will be required to repeat the test (Test B). If you do not pass either of the online written exams, please contact a **current** BLS AHA Instructor for remediation. If you have any questions please *contact* [jpstephens@uams.edu](mailto:jpstephens@uams.edu). For technical issues, please contact AHA Technical Support at (888) 242-8883.
- You have **30 days** to **activate** the **key** or it will be recalled for another user to activate

- You have **60 days** from the **online program completion** date to **complete** the **required skills check** or your certificate expires. ***If your certificate expires, you must retake the BLS program at your own expense!***
- BLS, ACLS & PALS Online Skills Check Sessions:
  - To view the schedule of skills check-off sessions, click the following link: [BLS, ACLS & PALS Online Skills Check-Off Sessions.](#)
  - **No Pre-Registration Required** for the skills check-off sessions.
- Skills Check Includes:
  - Adult 1 & 2 Rescuer CPR
  - Infant 1 & 2 Rescuer CPR
  - Use of an AED
  - Bagging
  - Respiratory Management (Intubation)
  - Team Dynamics Scenario
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