

California Code of Regulations
Title 22. Social Security
Division 9. Pre-Hospital Emergency Medical Services
Chapter 4. Paramedic

ARTICLE 3. PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS FOR PARAMEDIC TRAINING PROGRAMS

§ 100152. Hospital Clinical Education and Training for Paramedic.

(a) An approved paramedic training program shall provide for and monitor a supervised clinical experience at a hospital(s) that is licensed as a general acute care hospital and holds a permit to operate a basic or comprehensive emergency medical service. The clinical setting may be expanded to include areas commensurate with the skills experience needed. Such settings may include surgicenters, clinics, jails or any other areas deemed appropriate by the LEMSA. The maximum number of hours in the expanded clinical setting shall not exceed forty (40) hours of the total clinical hours specified in Section 100159(a)(2).

Note: Authority cited: Sections 1797.107, 1797.172 and 1797.173, Health and Safety Code. Reference: Sections 1797.172, 1797.173 and 1797.208, Health and Safety Code.

§ 100159. Required Course Hours.

(a) The total paramedic training program shall consist of not less than one thousand and ninety (1090) hours. These training hours shall be divided into:

(1) A minimum of four-hundred and fifty (450) hours of didactic instruction and skills laboratories;

(2) The hospital clinical training shall consist of no less than one-hundred and sixty (160) hours and the field internship shall consist of no less than four-hundred and eighty (480) hours.

Note: Authority cited: Sections 1797.107 and 1797.172, Health and Safety Code. Reference: Section 1797.172, Health and Safety Code.