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ACLS Student

Dear ACLS Provider Course student:

Welcome to the ACLS Provider Course.

Where the Class Will Be Given

CPR Memphis
8014 Club Center Drive
Suite 8
Cordova, TN 38016

Please plan to arrive on time because it will be difficult for late students to catch up once we start. Students are expected to attend and participate in the entire course.

What We Sent You

We have enclosed your copy of the *ACLS Provider Manual*, which includes access to a Student Website.

How to Get Ready

The ACLS Provider Course is designed to teach you the lifesaving skills required to be both a team member and a team leader in either an in-hospital or an out-of-hospital setting. Because the ACLS Provider Course covers extensive material in a short time, you will need to prepare for the course beforehand.

Precourse Requirements

You should prepare for the course by doing the following:

1. Complete the precourse preparation checklist that came with your *ACLS Provider Manual*. Bring the checklist with you to the course.
2. Review the course agenda.
3. Review and understand the information in your *ACLS Provider Manual*. Pay particular attention to the ACLS cases in Part 5.
4. The resuscitation scenarios require that your BLS skills and knowledge are current. You will be tested on 1-rescuer adult CPR and AED skills at the beginning of the ACLS Provider Course. You must know this in advance, since you will not be taught how to do CPR or how to use an AED.
5. Review, understand, and complete the ECG and Pharmacology Precourse Self-Assessment on the Student Website (www.heart.org/eccstudent). Once on the student website, enter passcode: **ac1s15**.
You will not be taught how to read or interpret ECGs in the course, nor will you be taught details about ACLS pharmacology.
6. Print your scores for the Precourse Self-Assessment and bring them with you to class.



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What This Course *Does Not* Cover

The ACLS Provider Course does not teach algorithms, ECG rhythm recognition, or pharmacology. If you do not learn and understand the ECG and pharmacology information in the Precourse Self-Assessment, it is unlikely that you can successfully complete the ACLS Provider Course.

What to Bring and What to Wear

Bring your *ACLS Provider Manual* class. You will need it during each lesson in the course. Please wear loose, comfortable clothing to class. You will be practicing skills that require you to work on your hands and knees, and the course requires bending, standing, and lifting. If you have any physical condition that might prevent you from engaging in these activities, please tell an instructor. The instructor may be able to adjust the equipment if you have back, knee, or hip problems.

If you have questions before the course, please feel free to call us at **901-438-4200**. You can also email us anytime at **info@TENNcpr.com**.

We look forward to providing you with a fun and stress free ACLS course!
Team CPR Memphis

ACLS Course Preparation Completion Guide Checklist

All of the below information can be found on the AHA student website <http://heart.org/eccstudent> - Password: **acsls15*

****Please initial each line after completion and bring to class with your pre course self- assessment certificate.**

_____ Viewed Airway Management Video

_____ Viewed Stroke Video

_____ Viewed ACS Video

_____ Viewed High-Quality BLS Skills Video

_____ ACLS Precourse Self-Assessment Test (Mandatory, Pass with 70% or better)

_____ Reviewed the ACLS Provider Manual Supplementary Material

_____ Reviewed the ACLS Cases in the ACLS Provider Manual Part 5 Pg. 43-154

_____ Reviewed the Algorithms for each case in the ACLS Provider Manual

_____ Reviewed the Summary Tables on pages 170-174

Students *must also be proficient* in preforming BLS CPR skills, reading/interpreting ECGs, understanding ACLS drugs, and performing the BLS and ACLS surveys.