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EMS Operational Spotlight:
Environmental Heat Emergencies

Course Description:
Excessive heat can kill by pushing the body beyond its limits. Under normal conditions, the body’s internal mechanisms are able to maintain a normal temperature. However, continued exposure to extreme heat and high humidity may result in a complete failure of the body’s compensatory mechanisms resulting in life-threatening emergencies. Anyone, at any age, can suffer the effects of extreme heat. Those with existing health problems, or those who are frail, might be more easily affected.

Join Jeff Meade, NREMT-P/CIC, Director of Phelps Memorial Hospital Center’s Hoch Center for Emergency Education as he discusses the impact of heat emergencies and focuses on pre-hospital management of heat related illnesses.

This course may be applied toward Poisoning/Environmental/Behavioral or Elective CME hours under the NY State DOH EMS Continuing Education Recertification Program.

Date(s) / Time(s): Wednesday, April 11, 2012, 1900 - 2100

Targeted Audience: NY State Certified Emergency Medical Services Personnel

Program Location: Westchester County Department of Emergency Services Training Center
4 Dana Road, Valhalla, NY 10595

Program Cost: None

Registration: Pre-registration is mandatory. Walk-ins are not permitted. Class size is limited.
Please visit http://emergencyservices.westchestergov.com/training-classes or call (914) 231-1616

All students are to park in the lot adjacent to the Support Services Building at 35 Walker Rd.
(There is a stairway linking the parking lot directly to the training campus.)

Please refer all related questions to Katherine O’Connor, EMS Division
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