

## PUBLIC NOTICE #8

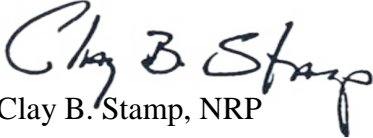
This notice is given by Clay Stamp, Chairman of the Emergency Medical Services Board and Dr. Theodore Delbridge, Executive Director of the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems (MIEMSS), acting pursuant to the Proclamation of Governor Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr. (the "Governor") dated March 5, 2020 proclaiming a state of emergency and a catastrophic health emergency related to COVID-19, as it may be amended or renewed from time to time, and the Order of the Governor dated March 19, 2020 entitled "Augmenting the Emergency Medical Services Workforce", as it may be amended from time to time, after finding that the action(s) described herein will not endanger the public health, welfare, or safety, and further that these actions will augment the emergency medical services workforce; and improve the response to the state of emergency and catastrophic health emergency. Further, this Notice is consistent with the Governor's Executive Order NO. 21-03-09-03 Amending and Restating the Order of June 19, 2020, Extending Certain Licenses, Permits, Registrations, and Other Governmental Authorizations, and Authorizing Suspension of Legal Time Requirements which was issued March 9, 2021, and which provides that an agency may opt to exclude any otherwise covered authorization provided that there is reasonable public notice of the exclusion.


- 1) Extension of Licenses and Certificates for EMS Clinicians, other than those with a provisional license or certificate: COMAR 30.02.02.06 is modified to provide for extended license and certificate terms. Specifically:
  - a) COMAR 30.02.02.06H is modified to the extent that any non-provisional Emergency Medical Responder or Emergency Medical Technician certificate that would otherwise expire prior to December 30, 2021 is extended to December 30, 2021.
  - b) COMAR 30.02.02.06I is modified to the extent that any non-provisional Cardiac Rescue Technician license that would have otherwise expired prior to October 30, 2021 is extended to October 30, 2021.
  - c) COMAR 30.02.02.06J is modified to the extent that any non-provisional Paramedic license that would have otherwise expired prior to October 30, 2021 is extended to October 30, 2021.
  - d) COMAR 30.02.02.06K is modified to the extent that any non-provisional Emergency Medical Dispatcher license that would have otherwise expired prior to December 30, 2021 is extended to December 30, 2021.

Any effect of Education Article Section 13-516 and the implementing regulations in COMAR 30.02 that is inconsistent with the foregoing is temporarily suspended.

This Notice is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until the state of emergency has been terminated and the proclamation of the catastrophic health emergency has been rescinded.

Date: March 20, 2020

  
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