

# Content within IDPH Con-Ed Subject Categories

## **Preparatory:**

- EMS Safety
- Well Being of EMS Personnel
- EMS Roles and Responsibilities
- Illness and Injury Prevention
- Legal and Regulatory Issues
- Ethics
- Medical Terminology
- Human Body, Anatomy and Physiology
- Pathophysiology
- Life Span Development
- Public Health and EMS

## **Airway Management and Ventilation:**

- Airway Management
- Ventilation

## **Patient Assessment:**

- Therapeutic Communications
- History Taking
- Patient Assessment
- Assessment Based Management
- Clinical Decision Making
- Communications
- Documentation

## **Trauma:**

- Trauma Systems and Mechanism of Injury
- Bleeding
- Soft Tissue Trauma
- Burn Injuries
- Head and Face Trauma
- Spinal Trauma
- Thoracic Trauma
- Abdominal Trauma
- Musculoskeletal Trauma
- Environmental Conditions
- Farm Response

**Cardiology:**

- Cardiovascular Disorders

**Medical:**

- HEENT Disorders
- Pulmonology
- Nervous System Disorders
- Endocrine Emergencies and Nutritional Disorders
- Immune System Disorders
- GI Disorders
- Renal and Urological Disorders
- Musculoskeletal Disorders
- Integumentary Disorders
- Toxicology
- Pharmacology
- Medication Administration
- Infectious and Communicable Diseases
- Psychiatric Disorders
- Substance Abuse
- Hematologic Disorders
- Shock

**Special Considerations:**

- Obstetrics and Gynecology
- Neonatology
- Pediatrics
- Abuse and Assault
- Patients with Special Challenges
- Social Issues
- Care of Patients with Chronic Illnesses

**Geriatrics:**

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**Operations:**

- EMS Deployment and System Status Management
- NIMS
- Crime Scene Awareness
- Dispatch Activities
- Emergency Vehicle Operations
- EMS Operations
- Vehicle Rescue
- Rescue Awareness
- Hazardous Materials
- Tactical EMS
- Disaster Preparedness and Response
- Air Transport