

Lapsed EMT Reinstatement

More Than 12 Months Expired

In addition to EMT renewal requirements, reinstatement for EMT certificates lapsed more than 1 year includes a Live Scan submission, current NREMT certification, and a total of 48 CE hours. Live Scan background checks must use the County of San Diego EMS Live Scan form.



When you are ready to apply for reinstatement, please go to CoSD LEMSIS at cosd.imagetrendlicense.com to begin submitting your reinstatement application online. There is no in-person certification service available. Please use Google Chrome or Firefox, as the platform does not translate well to Safari/Opera web browsers.

Here are the steps to reinstate your California EMT:

- ☐ Live Scan completed in California
- ☐ Log in to your account on cosd.imagetrendlicense.com
- ☐ Select the *EMT or AEMT Renewal Application - Lapsed More Than 1 Year*
- ☐ Digital copies of the following documents:
 - ☐ Professionally appropriate portrait-style photo for your LEMSIS ID eCard (optional)
 - ☐ Government-issued photo ID (ex. Driver's license)
 - ☐ Current and valid NREMT EMT card
 - ☐ Continuing Education:
 - 48 CE hours
 - OR
 - 24 hour refresher course completion certificate AND 24 CE hours
 - ☐ Current State of California Skills Competency Verification
 - ☐ Current CPR card
- ☐ Complete the application and submit the certification fee

Questions? Can't log into your account?

Email EMSCertifications.HHSA@sdcounty.ca.gov

Reminder: All CE hours must be no more than 2 years old.

There are no hard copy "county cards" or "I numbers" after January 2017 – Instead, log into LEMSIS to print your LEMSIS ID card.