

COURSE DIRECTOR

Stephen Caselton, MD
Pediatrician
Aurora Health Care

Instructors will include pediatricians from the area, physicians from the region, qualified staff from Bay Area Medical Center and regional faculty.

COURSE COORDINATOR

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COURSE REGISTRATION

Mail Registration and Course Fee to:

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PAST COURSE COMMENTS

- *“I really enjoyed this PALS class – great instruction and information – thanks for offering it.”*
- *“Instructors were very good. It was done in a non-intimidating way.”*

The American Heart Association strongly promotes knowledge and proficiency in BLS, ACLS and PALS and has developed instructional materials for this purpose. Use of these materials in an educational course does not represent course sponsorship by the American Heart Association. Any fees charged for such a course, except for a portion of fees needed for AHA course materials, do not represent income to the Association.

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PEDIATRIC ADVANCED LIFE SUPPORT

*Winter/Spring 2012
Renewal and Provider
Course Schedule*

**BAY AREA
MEDICAL CENTER**

Pediatric Advanced Life Support Courses

The Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) Course is designed to aid the pediatric healthcare provider in developing the knowledge and skills necessary to efficiently evaluate and effectively manage seriously ill infants and children.

In this course, students will learn how to assess for evidence of respiratory and circulatory compromise, establish treatment priorities, and intervene when necessary to stabilize the child. Students will also review treatment of the respiratory and circulatory systems, management of cardiac arrest and arrhythmia, and immediate postresuscitation care.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon successful completion of the PALS course, you will be able to:

- Understand and perform the systematic approach to pediatric assessment of a seriously ill or injured child
- Understand the “assess-categorize-decide-act” approach to management of a seriously ill infant or child
- Recognize and manage a child in respiratory distress or failure and/or compensated or hypotensive shock
- Recognize and manage a child with a life-threatening brady or tachyarrhythmia, or cardiac arrest rhythm
- Describe key elements of resuscitation team behaviors and explain why the foundation of successful resuscitation includes both mastery of basic skills and effective team dynamics
- Prevent further deterioration of the child’s condition during the stabilization and transfer phases of care
- Demonstrate proper technique for intraosseous (IO) access
- Perform as a team leader or team member in simulated cases

DATE & TIME

RENEWAL COURSES

Tuesday, February 14, 2012

8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.*

Tuesday, March 13, 2012

8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.*

Tuesday, April 10, 2012

8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.*

Tuesday, May 8, 2012

8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.*

PROVIDER COURSE

Tuesday-Wednesday, February 28-29, 2012

8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.*

(*Approximate course times)

REGISTRATION

Registration Deadline: One week prior to the course

Renewal participants – please include a copy of your current PALS card.

There will be no tuition reimbursement for participants who are unable to meet the course requirements. No refunds will be given after the course has begun.

Class size is limited to 12 students per class.

Renewal Course Registration Fee \$100

Provider Course Registration Fee \$175

(Includes study materials & breaks)

(Make checks payable to: Bay Area Medical Center)

No Fee for BAMC Employees

PALS WINTER/SPRING 2012 COURSES REGISTRATION FORM

(Check the program you wish to attend)

- Renewal – Tuesday, February 14, 2012
- Renewal – Tuesday, March 13, 2012
- Renewal – Tuesday, April 10, 2012
- Renewal – Tuesday, May 8, 2012
- Provider – Tuesday-Wednesday, February 28-29, 2012

Method of Payment

- No fee for BAMC employees
- Check payable to BAMC
- Charge to: Master Card Visa Discover

Card No.: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Work Affiliation: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____

State & Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____

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(Required to receive EMS credits)