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**Provider Courses:**

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Office of Paramedic Education and  
Department of Pediatrics



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**ST. JOHN'S MERCY**  
**MEDICAL CENTER**

## Accreditation

St. John's Mercy Medical Center is accredited by the Missouri State Medical Association to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

St. John's Mercy Medical Center designates the two day provider course educational activity for a maximum of 9 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*<sup>TM</sup>. St. John's Mercy Medical Center designates the renewal course educational activity for a maximum of 5.5 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*<sup>TM</sup>. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

The St. John's Mercy Medical Center Department of Paramedic Education, under the auspices of the Bureau of EMS, awards a total of 16 CEU's for the two day Provider Course and 8 CEU's for the one day Renewal Course. These CEU's can be used toward relicensure.

St. John's Mercy Medical Center is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Missouri Nurses's Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

Please note, the two day Provider Course is eligible for CNE certificate of completion.

Certificates of attendance will be given at the completion of the course.

## Learning Objectives

*After completion of the courses, participants should be better able to:*

- Review Basic Life Support
- Demonstrate appropriate interventions for cardiopulmonary arrest in infants and children
- Demonstrate the appropriate use of airway adjuncts
- Practice advanced airway management
- Discuss and demonstrate central and peripheral venous access
- Perform intraosseous access in the pediatric patient
- Recognize and intervene during unstable pediatric cardiac dysrhythmias
- Perform skills during simulated pediatric resuscitation
- Enhance post-resuscitation intervention skills.

## Pediatric Advanced Life Support Provider Courses

### DAY ONE

7:30 a.m. Registration  
8:00 Course Begins  
12:30 p.m. Lunch  
3:30 Adjourn

### DAY TWO

7:45 a.m. Registration  
8:00 Course Begins  
11:00 Lunch  
1:00 p.m. Adjourn

## Pediatric Advanced Life Support Renewal Courses

7:30 a.m. Registration  
8:00 Course Begins  
Noon Lunch  
3:30 p.m. Adjourn

### Location

All courses will be held in von Gontard Conference Center at St. John's Mercy Medical Center, 615 S. New Ballas Road.

### Prerequisites

Current BLS status is required for PALS Provider and Renewal Courses. **Please submit a copy of your BLS card with the registration form for all courses.** Current PALS status is also required for PALS Renewal. **Please submit a copy of your current PALS card and BLS card with the registration form for renewal courses.**

**Participants must also complete a pre-test that must be turned in at the beginning of class.**

### Cancellations

Written notice of cancellation must be received two weeks prior to the course date. A \$50 processing fee will be deducted from all cancellation requests. No refunds can be made less than two weeks prior to the course date.

### Suggested Audience

The PALS program is recommended for medical personnel who care for infants and children who are ill or injured. This may include physicians, RNs, PAs, PNP's, paramedics, respiratory therapists and others.

The American Heart Association PALS provider program emphasizes early recognition and treatment for high-risk pediatric patients. The skills and lecture content of this program will help better prepare the participant to intervene effectively for the critically ill or injured infant or child.

The American Heart Association PALS Renewal Course allows participants to review key pediatric resuscitation skills and knowledge. PALS is valid for two years.

The American Heart Association strongly promotes knowledge and proficiency in CPR 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 and any fees charged for such a course do not represent income to the association.

### Registration Information

The registration fee includes required study materials, course syllabus, and certificate of attendance upon course completion. Make checks payable to St. John's Mercy Medical Center.

**The fee must accompany registration.** Registration must be received no later than six weeks prior to the start of the class for which you are enrolling. However, **PALS courses are in high demand and often fill up well before the deadline. Please send in your registration as soon as possible to help ensure enrollment.**

All registrants will receive a confirmation letter and study materials if registration, fee and prerequisite cards are received by the deadline date, approximately six weeks prior to the course date. **If you do not receive a confirmation letter and study materials, please check with your institution. If any questions remain or for additional information, call 314-251-4961.**

### Registration Fees

#### PROVIDER Course

\$260	Nurse and EMT-P
\$360	Physician/PA/NP
\$175	St. John's Mercy Nurse and EMT-P Affiliates
\$235	St. John's Mercy Affiliate Physician

#### RENEWAL Course

\$160	Nurse and EMT-P
\$210	Physician/PA/NP
\$ 95	St. John's Mercy Nurse and EMT-P Affiliates
\$135	St. John's Mercy Affiliate Physician

## 2010 PALS Provider and Renewal Courses Registration Form

*Please type or print legibly, and use one form per registrant.*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Profession \_\_\_\_\_

Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_

Department/Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Address to mail confirmation letter and study materials to:  
\_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_

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**RETURN TO:** St. John's Mercy Medical Center  
Public Relations - Judy Brandes  
PALS Registration  
615 S. New Ballas Road  
St. Louis, MO 63141-8277

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#### Credit Card Payment Information

Cardholder Name \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

You may fax credit card payments to 314-251-4168.