Pediatric Assessment & Care

Emergency Medical Services providers must possess special knowledge and skills in order to promptly recognize and treat acute illness and injury in the pediatric patient. Although pediatric emergencies are encountered less frequently than those involving adults, they account for some of the more stressful incidents faced by EMS. Join Drew Fried, EMT/CIC, as he discusses some of the top causes of pediatric tragedies and how you can be better prepared to handle them. This course will focus on developmental and anatomical differences, patient assessment pearls, child abuse awareness, dealing with special healthcare needs, and performing basic airway, spinal immobilization, and newborn resuscitation skills.

This course may be applied toward the patient assessment, infants and children or general elective content under the NY State DOH EMS Continuing Education Recertification Program.

Date(s) / Time(s):  Saturday, October 12th 12:30-2:30pm
Targeted Audience:  Emergency Medical Personnel
Program Location:  Westchester County Dept. of Emergency Services
                  4 Dana Rd. Valhalla, NY 10595
Program Cost:  None
Registration:
   -Pre-registration is mandatory. Walk-ins are not permitted. Class size is limited.
   -Sign-up through training.westchestergov.com

-Please refer all related questions for this class to:
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