Program Information	Contact Information	Date Updated
Advanced Emergency Medical Technician (AEMT) EMS-4300	Michael Belcher Program Director, Emergency Medical Science mbelcher@forsythtech.edu	June 2025

This document is meant to supplement your research about the educational and certification requirements for working as an Advanced Emergency Medical Technician (AEMT) on a state-by-state basis, encompassing the United States territories as well.

Educational Preparation: Forsyth Tech's AEMT program builds upon EMT-level skills by introducing limited advanced care procedures, including intravenous therapy, medication administration, and advanced airway management. Individuals holding an AEMT certification can practice in a variety of settings, such as 911 emergency response, backup 911 response, convalescent transport, critical care transport, emergency rooms, urgent care centers, and other clinical environments.

Licensure and Certification: Graduates are eligible to take the North Carolina AEMT credentialing exam and the National Registry (NR) AEMT exam. While NR certification is recognized in other states, each state may have specific requirements or endorsement processes. Students planning to practice outside North Carolina should consult the appropriate state EMS agency for guidance.

Forsyth Tech Website   **Additional Resource - 1**   **Additional Resource - 2**

Disclaimer: It is crucial to acknowledge that laws and regulations in the field of Advanced Emergency Medical Technician (AEMT) are subject to constant change. For the most current information and requirements, we strongly advise you to consult the specific state board or agency responsible for Advanced Emergency Medical Technician (AEMT) licensure/certification.

State	Meets State Educational Requirements	Does Not Meet State Educational Requirements
Alabama		✗
Alaska		✗
American Samoa		✗
Arizona		✗
Arkansas		✗
California		✗
Colorado		✗

State	Meets State Educational Requirements	Does Not Meet State Educational Requirements
Connecticut		✗
Delaware		✗
District of Columbia		✗
Florida		✗
Georgia		✗
Guam		✗
Hawaii		✗
Idaho		✗
Illinois		✗
Indiana		✗
Iowa		✗
Kansas		✗
Kentucky		✗
Louisiana		✗
Maine		✗
Maryland		✗
Massachusetts		✗
Michigan		✗
Minnesota		✗
Mississippi		✗
Missouri		✗
Montana		✗
Nebraska		✗

State	Meets State Educational Requirements	Does Not Meet State Educational Requirements
Nevada		✗
New Hampshire		✗
New Jersey		✗
New Mexico		✗
New York		✗
North Carolina	✓	
North Dakota		✗
Northern Mariana Islands		✗
Ohio		✗
Oklahoma		✗
Oregon		✗
Pennsylvania		✗
Puerto Rico		✗
Rhode Island		✗
South Carolina		✗
South Dakota		✗
Tennessee		✗
Texas		✗
US Virgin Islands		✗
Utah		✗
Vermont		✗
Virginia		✗
Washington		✗

State	Meets State Educational Requirements	Does Not Meet State Educational Requirements
West Virginia		X
Wisconsin		X
Wyoming		X