



## Emergency Medical Technician

*To evaluate each competitor's knowledge and skills required for competent practice within the Emergency Medical Service (EMS) field and to recognize outstanding students for clinical excellence and professionalism within the field of EMS.*

<b>On-Site/Off-Site</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● On-Site</li> </ul>
<b>Contest Date</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 5/5/2026</li> </ul>
<b>Contest Location</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Convention Center</li> <li>● A-Hall</li> </ul>
<b>Early/Normal Start Time</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Normal Start Time</li> <li>● Registration will open at 8:00am. Please report to B-Hall Show Office for Registration. Orientation will begin at 10:00am.</li> </ul>
<b>Contest Open/Closed</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Open</li> <li>● Exhibit Halls do not open to observers until 12:00pm.</li> </ul>
<b>Eligibility &amp; Contest Type</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Please refer to the Program Guidelines for eligibility- <a href="https://www.ohioskillsusa.org/resources/">https://www.ohioskillsusa.org/resources/</a></li> <li>● Straight to State Contest (No Regional Qualifier)</li> </ul>
<b>Clothing</b>	<p><b><u>For Competition Day the Dress Code is:</u></b> Class D</p> <p><b><u>For the Awards Ceremony the Dress Code is</u></b> Class A or Class J</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <a href="#">SkillsUSA Ohio Clothing Guide</a></li> </ul>
<b>Safety Equipment Required</b>	<p><b>Personal Protective equipment to include the following:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● One box of disposable medical exam gloves.</li> <li>● Two pair of eye protection.</li> <li>● Four surgical masks.</li> <li>● Pocket mask or another appropriate barrier mask.</li> </ul>
<b>Testing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Students should be prepared to take a written knowledge test.</li> </ul>
<b>Provided by Contestant (Tool List)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Hard copy of a 1-page personal resume</li> <li>● Pencils and pens</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Wristwatch capable of timing in seconds (no smart watches permitted)</li> </ul> <p><b>One medical kit, PER team, containing the items below</b></p> <p><u>Personal protective equipment to include</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● one (1) box of disposable medical exam gloves</li> <li>● two (2) pair of eye protection</li> <li>● four (4) surgical masks, and pocket mask or another appropriate barrier device.</li> <li>● 25 4x4 bandages</li> <li>● Three (3) rolls self-adhering roller bandages</li> <li>● Four (4) triangular bandages</li> <li>● Medical tape</li> <li>● Two (2) Occlusive dressing</li> <li>● Four (4) 5x9 abdominal dressing</li> <li>● One (1) Trauma dressing</li> <li>● Two (2) Flexible (Sam) Splint Trauma shears or medical scissors</li> <li>● Pen Light Stethoscope (one per team)</li> <li>● Blood pressure Cuff (one per team)</li> <li>● Oral and nasal airway (Compete set of each)</li> <li>● Adult Bag Value Mask (BVM) EMS or tactical emergency tourniquet)</li> </ul> <p><b>**NOTE:</b> Any other items brought by the contestant will be subject to the approval of the Technical Committee and must be declared at the time of the on-site check</p> <p><b><u>Clothing requirements:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Navy collar polo shirt</li> <li>● Navy fire/EMS duty pants</li> <li>● Black Belt Black/fire/EMS</li> <li>● Boots/Shoes Black Socks</li> <li>● Navy long sleeve t-shirt or mock turtleneck may be worn under short sleeve polo.</li> <li>● School uniform may be worn, tape shall cover any identifiers.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Contest Notes, Themes, &amp; Deadlines</b></p>	<p><b>To enter the contest area, contestants must show one of the following:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Approved Basic Life Support (BLS) certifications from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● American Red Cross</li> <li>● American Heart Association</li> <li>● American Safety Institute</li> <li>● National Safety Council</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>WIFI Provided?</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● No</li> </ul>
<p><b>Special Notes/Rules for All Contests</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Starting in 2024, all Skilled Trade State Contests (most leadership contests already use scenarios) will begin to add a scenario-based component.</li> <li>● <b><u>Wi-Fi will NOT BE AVAILABLE unless listed above</u></b>. If you need WIFI access, please plan to bring a hotspot.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All safety requirements will be heavily enforced. Competitors are to follow all safety standards and OSHA Regulations</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Contestants <i>MUST HAVE A COPY OF THEIR EMERGENCY MEDICAL FORM IN THEIR NAME BADGE AT ALL TIMES</i></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE PROHIBITED; VIOLATION OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING MAY RESULT IN COMPETITOR DISQUALIFICATION:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Contact with Contest Coordinators is prohibited.</li> <li>- Contact with Contest Coordinators outside of the SkillsUSA Ohio is strictly prohibited.</li> <li>- Possession of smart watches and/or phones during the contest and/or in contest.</li> <li>- Contact with anyone outside of the contest area once the contest begins.</li> <li>- Inappropriate communication between contestants such as verbally degrading another contest.</li> <li>- Cheating on any portion of the contest such as informing another contestant of the skills/test prior to competing.</li> <li>- Lack of Copy Emergency Medical Form in Name Badge.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>National Technical Standards</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Please refer to the <b>2024-2026 National Technical Standards</b> for all contests. All standards included may be tested in any competition.</li> <li>• In conjunction with National Standards, lack of understanding of State Level competition standards (this document) may result in student loss of contest.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Resume/Interview Requirement</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All SkillsUSA Ohio State Championship Contests will require a short interview component. Students should be prepared with basic job interview skills.</li> <li>• All contestants <b><u>must have a hard copy</u></b> of a one (1) page personal resume.</li> </ul>