

INSTRUCTIONS FOR EARNING CPR/HEIMLICH CERTIFICATION

As of 7/1/2007, all persons applying for an initial Indiana educator's license (teacher, counselor, and/or administrator), including an Emergency Permit, must document successful training in CPR.

(See details at http://www.doe.state.in.us/dps/cpr_certification.html.)

Per IC 20-28-5-3(c), applicants applying for an initial teaching license must have successfully completed training in:

- cardiopulmonary resuscitation that includes a test demonstration on a mannequin,
- removing a foreign body causing an obstruction in an airway, and the Heimlich Maneuver; and,
- hold a valid certification in each of these procedures from either the American Red Cross or the American Heart Association or other providers as approved by the board.

An initial teaching license is the first license issued to an applicant, regardless of content area or setting; once this license has been established all subsequent licenses will be exempt from the CPR/Heimlich Maneuver certification requirement.

A list of approved providers with links can be found at http://www.doe.in.gov/dps/cpr_certification.html.

American Heart Association – Find A Class Near You
American Heart Association - Course Matrix
American Red Cross Indiana Chapters
American Red Cross Online Training
American Safety and Health Institute
Emergency Care and Safety Institute
First Responder; Heartsaver CPR
Medic First Aid
National Safety Council
Pediatric First Aid; National Safety Council

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