

Regulatory Compliance and Training Standards

Program Alignment

American Trauma Event Management (ATEM) programs conform to national standards based on the scientific guidelines and treatment recommendations used by the **American Heart Association (AHA)** and the **International Liaison Committee on Resuscitation (ILCOR)**. Our curriculum is current with the comprehensive **October 2025** guideline updates.

The information in this book is based on the following authorities and organizations:

Clinical and Scientific Authorities

American Heart Association (AHA)

- Guidelines for Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) and Emergency Cardiovascular Care (ECC) Science.
- Fully compliant with the updated standards released **October 22, 2025**.
- *Reference:* <https://www.ahajournals.org>

International Liaison Committee on Resuscitation (ILCOR)

- Represents the eight international resuscitation organizations: AHA (USA), ERC (Europe), HSFC (Canada), RCA (Asia), RCSA (Southern Africa), ANZCOR (Australia/New Zealand), IAHF (InterAmerican), and ILCOR (India).
 - Compliant with the 2025 International Consensus on Science with Treatment Recommendations (CoSTR).
 - *Reference:* <http://www.ilcor.org>
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Federal and Regulatory Standards

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)

- **First Aid Standards:** 29 CFR 1910.151.
- **Bloodborne Pathogens:** 29 CFR 1910.1030.
- *Resources:* OSHA Publication 3317 (First Aid) and OSHA Publication 3186 (Bloodborne Pathogens).

Food and Drug Administration (FDA)

- Guidelines for Medical Gases and Emergency Oxygen.
- *Reference:* 21 CFR 201.161 (Revised/Effective Dec 18, 2025).

Department of Homeland Security (DHS)

- "Stop the Bleed" National Preparedness Initiative.
- *Reference:* <https://www.dhs.gov/stopthebleed>

Department of Transportation (DOT)

- Emergency medical and oxygen transport regulations.
- *Reference:* DOT Emergency Search

State Legislation

- State-specific mandates regarding Automated External Defibrillator (AED) requirements.
- *Reference:* NCSL Legislative Database