



STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN RESOURCES

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**MEMORANDUM**

DATE: July 12, 2010  
TO: All Licensed EMS Agencies  
All Certified EMS Personnel  
FROM: March Tucker, Jr. *MAT*  
RE: Electronic EMS Personnel Application

Effective August 1, 2010, the WVOEMS will implement a new online application for Initial, Recertification and Legal Recognition applicants. Directions for filling out and filing the application will be available online July 15, 2010. These directions will detail how to complete the application, create a CIS profile, pay fees, and detail how to file and submit fingerprints for the purpose of a background investigation.

After completing the application, a printable receipt with an authorization number will be generated. This authorization number will allow the applicant to be fingerprinted at any of the electronic fingerprint stations across the State. A listing of these participating sites will be available on our website. Please note that the procedures for completing a background check and submitting fingerprints is controlled by the West Virginia State Police and not OEMS.

Paper applications and fingerprinting will still be accepted during this transitional period. The application will be available for access via a link on our website: [www.wvoems.org](http://www.wvoems.org). Please see the attached forms, which show how the application procedure will appear on the WVOEMS webpage. If you have any questions, please contact me at (304) 558-3956 or [march.a.tucker@wv.gov](mailto:march.a.tucker@wv.gov).

MAT/rm

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## WV EMS Personnel Application

The following series of screens will help you apply for certification as an Emergency Medical Services personnel in the West Virginia EMS System.

The West Virginia EMS System utilizes a computer database, the Credentialing Information System (also known as **CIS**) to maintain information for EMS personnel in the State.

In order to apply for West Virginia certification, you must first *self-register* in the CIS database system.

If you have registered in CIS, please click *Next* to continue, otherwise, please [create a CIS account](#) and then come back to complete your certification application.

Use the navigation button below to begin this process.

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The following items are *required* to match your CIS personnel record with your certification application.

• **Social Security Number:**

(format: xxx-xx-xxxx)

• **Date of Birth**

(format: MM/DD/YYYY)

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## WV EMS Personnel Application

Please verify that the following information correctly identifies you:

Name:

← Your name should appear here.

WV Number:

← Your WV NUMBER should appear here.

\* Is the information correct?  Yes  No ← Verify that your name and WV Number are correct.

If the above information is not correct, please discontinue the use of this form and contact the OEMS Certification Unit at (304) 558-3956.

Only use the navigation buttons, 'Next', and 'Back', as provided to navigate between application steps. Failure to follow directions may result in loss of applicant information.

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