



Pathfinder Operations LLC



TACTICAL MEDICAL SUPPORT COURSE (BASIC)

COURSE REQUIREMENTS / EQUIPMENT

- All students are **REQUIRED** to stay at the designated housing facilities. Housing is based on double occupancy. The only exception is for students who live within the immediate area. This exception is made on a case by case basis by Chief instructor.
- Students must be in good physical condition, and be able to meet all physical requirements of this training course.
- Students will bring all mandatory equipment as outlined.
- No orange or Black & White BDU's.
- Breakfast, lunch and dinner are provided during this course. *
- The Field Training exercise is designed to test a student's ability to function as a tactical medic in simulated and possibly austere conditions.
- Students will be divided into teams. During the course, the student will be evaluated upon individual as well as team achievements, leadership skills and an overall minimum of 80% on the written exam.
- Students may be exposed to the elements during extended field training operations and should be equipped accordingly. Weather is unpredictable in "upstate, central New York" during this time of year. Expect cold temperatures during hours of darkness and especially in the morning. **
- GPS units are not authorized for use during this training.

MANDATORY EQUIPMENT

- Minimum 4 pair Woodland/Digital/MultiCam/Tiger stripe Camo, , Black, Blue or Green (solid) BDUs/ACUs/ Flight suits.
- Tactical Boots
- Jungle (boonie) hat, Patrol cap
- Gloves
- Two canteens / camelbak type hydration system.
- Belt
- Towels, wash cloth, shower shoes
- Wrap around glasses / goggles (Ballistic safety type).
- Extra socks
- Flashlight with red lens.
- T-shirt s
- Shorts
- Toiletries

OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT

- Lawn chair
- Ice Chest
- Knee/elbow pads
- Gas mask
- Personal tactical equipment

* MRE's will be provided when students are in the field or where needed based on training requirements.

** Appropriate clothing and gear for this region of the US is the **responsibility of the student**

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