Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation

Board for Barbers and Cosmetology
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Guidance Document: Approved Health Education Certifying Agencies

The following health education (as referred to in 18 VAC 41-50, including limited term tattooers, and 18 VAC 41-60) is deemed acceptable to the Board. Documentation verifying course completion shall bear the name of the individual as it appears on the application or license as well as the name of the Board approved certifying agency.

Content delivery requirements:
Adult CPR – no more than ½ the content delivered online; ½ in person/classroom
First Aid – no more than ½ the content delivered online; ½ in person/classroom
Bloodborne Pathogens – may be in person or online

Board approved courses are listed below:

American Heart Association
Adult CPR
First Aid
Bloodborne Pathogens
http://www.heart.org/HEARTORG/

American Safety and Health Institute (ASHI)
Bloodborne Pathogens
Adult CPR
First Aid
http://www.hsi.com/cprtraining/

American Red Cross
First Aid
Adult CPR
Bloodborne Pathogens
http://www.redcross.org/

Pro Trainings (Pro CPR)
Adult CPR
Bloodborne Pathogens
http://www.procpr.org/en/

Emergency Care and Safety Institute
Adult CPR
First Aid
Bloodborne Pathogens
http://www.ecsinstitute.org/

Medic First Aid
Bloodborne Pathogens
Adult CPR
First Aid
www.hsi.com/medicfirstaid/

National Safety Council
First Aid
Adult CPR
Bloodborne Pathogens
http://www.nsc.org/pages/home.aspx

Emergency First Response
First Aid
Adult CPR
http://emergencyfirstresponse.com/

Currently Certified Virginia Emergency Medical Technician (VDH)
First Aid

*Other courses not currently listed, may be submitted to the Board for consideration as an approved provider, but will not necessarily be approved to qualify towards licensure requirements.