

Pediatric Preconference

November 5, 0800 - 1700
Jefferson County EMS
Contact Hours: 8

Stroke Dinner and Learn

November 5, 1830 - 2000
UT Medical Center
Contact Hours: 1.5

Chaplains Conference

Suicide Intervention Class

November 6 & 7, 0800 - 1700
Contact Hours: 16

Conference Location

The Park Vista
705 Cherokee Orchard Road
Gatlinburg, Tennessee 37738
www.parkvista.com

Conference Hotel

On-Line Booking Code: EMS
Reservation Deadline October 15
Hilton Reservations: 1-800-421-7275



Region II EMS Directors Association
P.O. Box 75
Gatlinburg, TN 37738



31st Annual Fall Conference

November 6 & 7, 2025
The Park Vista
Gatlinburg, TN

Pediatric Preconference: November 5
Chaplains Conference: November 6 & 7

November 5 **Registration**
 November 6 1600 - 1800
 0700 - 0800

Thursday, November 6

0800 - 0815 Welcome/Announcements

0815 - 0915 Bicycles, Bats, Balls, & Trauma Calls: Children's Sports Injuries
 Ken Bouvier, EMT-P
 NOLA EMS (Retired)

0915 - 1015 Pediatric to Adult: What Our Toughest Cases Teach Us About Patient Safety in EMS
 Eric Clauss, RN, EMT-P
 & Lee Blair, RN, EMT-P
 Vanderbilt University
 Medical Center

1015 - 1045 Break—Visit with Vendors

1045 - 1145 EMS Role in Recognizing & Reporting Child Abuse
 Debbie Harrell, MSN, RN
 Shriner's Children's International
 Headquarters

1145 - 1300 Lunch (on your own)

1300 - 1400 Emergency Assessment of Pediatric Neuro Nightmares
 Scott DeBoer, RN, EMT-P
 Pedi-Ed-Trics

1400 - 1430 Break—Visit with Vendors

1430 - 1530 Burn Patient Stabilization
 Debbie Harrell, MSN, RN
 Shriner's Children's International
 Headquarters

1530 - 1630 Window to the Brain: Ocular Clues in Neurological Disease
 Rocco Cannistaro, MD
 Covenant Health

1830-2030 Awards Banquet

2100-0000 Hospitality Night
 Drink Tickets, Cash Bar, & DJ

November 7 **Registration**
 0730 - 0830

Friday, November 7

0830 - 0845 Welcome/Announcements

0845 - 0915 State Update
 Brandon Ward, EMT-P
 Tennessee State EMS Director

0915 - 1015 Catch, Clamp, & Don't: What You Really Need to Know About Emergency Newborn Care
 Scott DeBoer, RN, EMT-P
 Pedi-Ed-Trics

1015 - 1100 Break—Visit with Vendors

1100 - 1200 How the U.S. Border Crisis is Impacting Homelessness, Panhandlers, & Transients
 Ken Bouvier, EMT-P
 NOLA EMS (Retired)

1200 - 1315 Lunch (on your own)

1315 - 1415 Blood, Sweat, & Beers
 Ed Racht, MD
 Global Medical Response

1415 - 1430 Break—Visit with Vendors

1430 - 1530 Consent Issues with Pediatric Patients
 Alex Brinson, Attorney
 East TN Children's Hospital

1530 - 1630 Sepsis: Do You Really Know What It Is?
 Chad Sims, RN
 UT Medical Center

Contact Hours Awarded for Attending

Cardiac, Medical, Trauma: 7
 Pediatrics: 3
 Preparatory: 2

One Registration Form Per Attendee
Registration Deadline October 15

Name: _____
 Agency: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Phone: (____) _____
 Email: _____

Register On-Line or Mail Registration to:
 Region II EMS Directors Association
 P.O. Box 75
 Gatlinburg, TN 37738

For additional information, please call 865-978-1224

Check Box For:

- ☐ **Two-Day Annual Conference** \$150
- ☐ **EMS/Nursing Students** \$80

Students MUST register and pay at the conference.
 Must show current EMT/AEMT/Paramedic or
 Nursing School Student ID

Online payments and registration may be made through PayPal via the website.

Requests for refunds must be received in writing by
October 15 to
r2emswebmaster@gmail.com
 (service charges may apply)

- ☐ **Pediatric Preconference**
 November 5 \$80
- ☐ **Stroke Dinner and Learn**
 November 5 No Cost
Must RSVP to Katie Hall khall1@utmck.edu
Registration Deadline October 27
- ☐ **Chaplains Conference**
 November 6 & 7 \$225

Thursday Night Awards Banquet
 (No charge for conference attendees)
 \$15 for additional tickets
 _____ additional banquet tickets