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## Ambulance Operator Course

This course provides participants with knowledge and skills in the use of safety-related equipment and procedures during emergency situations. Participants learn how to assess, manage and transport patients in stabilized conditions.

## What you will gain

This is an extensive course taught through lecturers, discussions and demonstrations. On completion, participants will have gained requisite knowledge on safe handling of the ambulance and the patient during the emergency and pre-hospital stage.

## Who should attend

The course targets all school leavers, drivers and ambulance operators including those already working or intending to work in the pre-hospital care setting.

## Topics covered

- Medical Legal aspect of Ambulance Operations
- Anatomy and Physiology
- Patient Assessment
- Airway management
- Medical emergencies;
- Trauma emergencies;
- Emergency Child birth
- Behavioral emergencies
- Skills practice-Lifting and Moving
- Gaining access and Extrication
- Ambulance Standards
- Ambulance Types and Operations
- Communication and Reporting Roles and Responsibilities
- Ambulance Inspection, Maintenance, Repair.
- Skills practice-check listing
- Navigation and Route Planning Theory
- Basic Maneuvers and Normal Operating Situations
- Safety and Special Considerations
- Skills practice
- Navigation and Route Planning Skills practice
- Disaster Planning and management
- Hazardous materials
- Mass Casualty Incident Management

## Duration

2 weeks

## Certification:

Successful participants will receive a certificate of attendance

**For more information regarding our courses and how to apply, get in touch with us through;**

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