PROTOCOL TESTING

All applicants for licensure will be required to take a protocol exam prior to issuance of an attendant license. The passing score is 80% at all levels. Prior to scheduling to take the exam, the applicant must apply through the EMS Portal and upload all required documentation. The applicant will be scheduled to test after receipt of a letter of intent to hire from a Clark County permitted agency.

The applicant will be tested on the *Clark County EMS System Emergency Medical Care Protocols* at the level of licensure for which they are being hired. For example, if the applicant is certified as an AEMT, but being hired as an EMT, the applicant will be taking the EMT protocol exam.

The applicant will be tested on the following information contained in the *Clark County EMS System Emergency Medical Care Protocols*:

- Foreword
- Adult Treatment Protocols/Pearls
- Pediatric Treatment Protocols/Pearls
- Operations Protocols
- Procedures Protocols
- Formulary
- Alternate Formulary
- Appendices

The applicant will be allowed three attempts to pass the protocol exam. If the applicant scores below an 80% after the third attempt, the sponsoring agency must send a letter to the OEMSTS stating that the applicant has successfully completed remedial training prior to being eligible for a fourth attempt. The remedial training must be conducted by a Clark County endorsed EMS Instructor. If the applicant fails after the sixth attempt, the applicant may not take the licensure exam for at least one year from the date of the last failed attempt.