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EMERGENCY MEDICAL ASSISTANTS REGULATION [or “PARAMEDICS REGULATION”]

Definitions

- 1 In this regulation,
- “**Act**” means the *Health Professions Act*;
- “**emergency medical assisting**” means the performance of emergency medical procedures that are necessary
- (a) to preserve a person’s life or health, or
 - (b) to prepare a person for transportation to a hospital.

Designation

- 2 (1) Emergency medical assisting is designated as a health profession.
- (2) The “College of Emergency Medical Assistants of British Columbia” [or the **College of Paramedics of British Columbia**] is the name of the college established under section 15 (1) of the Act for the health profession of emergency medical assisting.

Reserved title

- 3 No person other than a registrant may use the title ‘emergency medical assistant’, ‘paramedic’ or ‘first responder’.

Scope of practice

- 4 (1) Subject to subsection (2), a registrant may practice emergency medical assisting.
- (2) A registrant in a category described in column 1 of the schedule to this Regulation may only practice emergency medical assisting by providing the services described in column 2 opposite the category.
- (3) Subject to section 14 of the Act, only a registrant may practice emergency medical assisting.

Patient relations program

- 5 The College is designated for the purposes of section 16 (2) (f) of the Act.

Schedule

Column 1 Category of Registrant	Column 2 Authorized Services
EMA FR – First Responder, Level 1 [add definition]	• [Add detailed list of authorized services]
EMA FR – First Responder, Level 2 [add definition]	• [Add detailed list of authorized services]
EMA FR – First Responder, Level 3 [add definition]	• [Add detailed list of authorized services]
EMA FA – Occupational First Aid [add definition]	• [add detailed list of authorized services]
EMA 1 [add definition]	• [Add detailed list of authorized services]
EMA 2 [add definition]	• [Add detailed list of authorized services]
EMA 3 (ALS) [add definition]	• [Add detailed list of authorized services]
EMA 3 (ITT) [add definition]	• [Add detailed list of authorized services]