

## **ADHS EMCT Education Funding Guidelines**

The Arizona Department of Health Services has allocated \$100,000.00 to the NAEMS (Northern Arizona Emergency Medical Services) region to distribute for EMCT certifications. This will assist with Paramedic training for current, recently completed and future classes. These funds will be used for programs completed within the year, with a start date before June 30, 2023 or proof of enrollment in a program beginning after June 30, 2023. NAEMS has outlined criteria to follow when applying for and utilizing the funds.

The applicant must apply through a sponsoring NAEMS agency. Students applying without a NAEMS-member sponsoring them may go through a NAEMS-member community college. Reimbursement will go to the agency or individual payor- based upon whomever is applying for reimbursement.

Each applicant must have a letter of support from the sponsoring NAEMS agency that states they:

- Agree to remain within that area for two years after finishing the class and becoming AZ State Certified.
- Disclose all (if any) other financial assistance.
- If applicant cannot yet provide proof of payment for a class beginning after June 30, they must produce proof of commitment to the class.

Applications must be filled out completely and forwarded to the NAEMS Secretary (<a href="mailto:info@naems.org">info@naems.org</a>) by May 19, 2023 by close of business. Determinations will be made within the week and communicated to applicants the following week.

Questions? Please email Emily Ross at <u>info@naems.org</u> or call 928-284-2689.