



Welcome Letter

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to the Verde Valley Emergency Medical System. Our Pre-Hospital Care Team consists of, your Medical Director, Dale Curtis MD, Pre-Hospital Program Manager, Debbie Verkyk, RN, and Pre-Hospital Care Assistant, Dave Guth, CEP.

Required pre-course work and the process to obtain a badge (if applicable) can be found on the Verde Valley EMS Website: <http://www.verdevalleyems.org/>

The goal of this web site is to orient all Verde Valley pre-hospital care providers with the Emergency Medical Services System, and utilizing Verde Valley Medical Center as the base station.

The information included in this website is a combination of policies from Arizona Department Health Services (ADHS), VVMC Offline Guidelines and our required training and quizzes. To practice in the field it is necessary to know and to follow these policies and training requirements. The Prehospital Care Department with many of the organized committees has taken pride in bringing the most current standards and equipment into EMS in the Verde Valley.

All ALS providers are required to schedule an orientation with the pre-hospital office. This orientation is scheduled once a month or as needed for new providers. Each new provider is also required to view any power point presentations/ tests quizzes as assigned based on their certification level. These can be found in the training link on this website. We have also provided a check off list to help you meet the requirements. Please view the power points, complete the quizzes, print the quiz with the check off sheet and bring it with you to your orientation.

If you have any questions, please contact either of us by calling the Pre-Hospital Care office at (928)639-6178 or by emailing, Debbie Verkyk at Deborah.verkyk@nahealth.com or David Guth at david.guth@nahealth.com.

Thank you and welcome to VVEMS.

Debbie and Dave