

## CHAPTER 85

## ( SB 92 )

AN ACT relating to sexual violence training.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

➔Section 1. KRS 311A.120 is amended to read as follows:

- (1) As a condition of being issued a certificate or license as an emergency medical technician or first responder, the applicant shall have completed a Kentucky Board of Emergency Medical Services approved educational course on the transmission, control, treatment, and prevention of the human immunodeficiency virus and acquired immunodeficiency syndrome with an emphasis on appropriate behavior and attitude change.
- (2) The board shall ***promulgate administrative regulations to*** require continuing education for emergency medical technicians or first responders that includes the completion of one ***(1) hour***~~{and one half (1.5) hours}~~ of board approved continuing education covering the recognition and prevention of pediatric abusive head trauma, as defined in KRS 620.020, at least one (1) time every ***two (2) year renewal cycle***~~{five (5) years}~~. The one ***(1) hour***~~{and one half (1.5) hours}~~ required under this section shall be included in the current number of required continuing education hours.
- (3) ***The board shall promulgate administrative regulations to require continuing education for emergency medical technicians or first responders which includes the completion of a training course of at least one (1) hour covering awareness of sexual violence, including reporting options, care options, pre-hospital treatment considerations, knowledge of regional rape crisis centers, and how to access the SANE-ready list, at least one (1) time every two (2) year renewal cycle. The one (1) hour of continuing education required under this subsection shall be included in the current number of required continuing education hours.***

Signed by Governor March 25, 2019.