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Wilderness First Aid

Sponsored by Mountain Rescue Institute & NOLS Wilderness Medicine

Dates: *November 15th- 16th 2025*

Location: *Burlington, VT*

Cost: *\$340 (Tuition only)*

Classroom Location

The course will be held at [C.P. Smith Elementary School](#)

The entrance is located on the side of the building facing the parking lot. Class will be held in the cafe/gym area. The gym is located to the left once you enter the building,

Please plan on arriving by 7:45 AM. Course days run from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM with an hour-long break for lunch at noon.

The class format involves lectures integrated with practical scenarios, case studies, and skills practice sessions. Attendance is required at all classes.

Scenarios and practice sessions will take place both inside and outside. Bring outdoor clothing appropriate for lying on the potentially wet, snowy, or cold ground while playing the role of both rescuer and patient. Stage (moulage) blood and make-up are used to enhance the realism of a scenario. The classroom environment generally lends itself to a pair of indoor comfy shoes.

Check out the Course Outline [HERE](#) for a more detailed schedule.

Travel, Meals, and Lodging

Airport Shuttle: <https://www.btv.aero/at-btv/service-providers/vermont-shuttle>

Pay Camping: <https://enjoyburlington.com/place/north-beach-campground/>

Hostel: <https://www.mycousinsplace.com/>

No kitchen facilities, no fridge or microwave, many restaurants and cafes within walking distance for lunch.

Refund, Transfer, and Cancellation Policy

MRI charges a \$75 non-refundable application fee, which will be applied to the course tuition. Refunds and transfer requests will be provided based on course type. Deposits are required to secure a space on your course.

Wilderness First Responder - Within 30 days of the course start date, the \$300 course deposit is non-transferable and non-refundable. The full tuition balance is due 15 days prior to the course start date. No refunds or transfers will be awarded within 15 days of the course start date. **Failure to pay in full for a course by the deadline will result in the cancelation of your registration, and retention of all**

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monies paid. Outside of 30 days, refunds will be processed upon request minus the \$75 application fee. Transfers will be subject to a \$75 transfer fee. No refunds will be awarded once the course has begun.

Wilderness First Responder Recertification/Wilderness First Aid - Full tuition is due at the time of registration to secure a space on these course types. Within 30 days of the course start date, all tuitions are non-transferable and non-refundable. Outside of 30 days, transfer or refund will be subject to the \$75 application fee. Transfers will be subject to a \$75 transfer fee. No refunds will be awarded once the course has begun.

Course Cancellation - In the unlikely event of a course cancellation, all tuitions will be refunded minus the \$75 application fee.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Please contact us with any questions or concerns you may have.

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