



2026 STUDENT LOGISTICS

HYBRID WILDERNESS FIRST RESPONDER RECERTIFICATION

Sponsored by the [Flagstaff Field Institute](#) and NOLS Wilderness Medicine

DATES	LOCATION	TUITION
May 31-June 1	Flagstaff, Arizona	\$425

COURSE LOCATION

The course will be held at the Colton Research Center. [Here's a link](#) to the course locations on the FFI website where you can find directions and a map to the facility. Please arrive at the course location by 7:45 AM on the first day of the course. Arizona is on Mountain Standard Time.

LODGING

Flagstaff is completely surrounded by national forest, and camping is available in various campgrounds around town. For more information on campgrounds and dispersed camping, please visit the [Coconino National Forest website](#).

As the gateway to the Grand Canyon, Flagstaff also has many options for hotels and Airbnb's. Please visit the [Flagstaff Chamber of Commerce website](#) for popular lodging options.

RECREATION

Only 80 miles from the Grand Canyon, Flagstaff has long been recognized for its outstanding recreational opportunities. *Rock & Ice*, a climbing magazine, named Flagstaff one of the "10 Climbing Towns to Live For", and Flagstaff is surrounded by hundreds of miles of trails for running and mountain biking. The Arizona Nordic Village and Arizona Snowbowl provide cross-country and downhill skiing opportunities during the winter. Flagstaff also boasts a vibrant arts and entertainment scene and lots of great coffee shops. Bring your climbing shoes, hiking boots, running shoes, mountain bike, skis, and snowshoes – the recreational opportunities are amazing!



REGISTRATION

Tuition in full is required to reserve a spot in the course. The tuition fee covers instruction, textbooks, equipment, and certification cards. [Enroll via the NOLS website.](#)

CANCELLATION POLICY, PAYMENT POLICY, AND TUITION PROTECTION

NOLS Wilderness Medicine provides the registration service for this course so students are subject to the NOLS Wilderness Medicine policies regarding cancellation, payment, and tuition protection:

- *15 days or greater prior to the start of the course – students may cancel from the course and receive a refund less a \$50 fee.
- *Less than 15 days prior to the course start date – the course is non-refundable or transferable. Tuitions in full is due at 15 days.

In alignment with the cancellation policy, refund or transfers will not be provided for students who are unable to attend the course within the cancellation deadline due to last-minute personal or medical issues. NOLS and FFI strongly recommend the purchase of tuition insurance, and the NOLS preferred provider is [MDM Group Associates, Inc.](#) Policies vary greatly so be sure to read each policy carefully, discuss questions with the provider, and ensure that the policy has appropriate coverage.

Additional information is available on the [NOLS Wilderness Medicine policies page](#) on the NOLS website.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Please don't hesitate to contact the office with any questions. I look forward to having you in the course!

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