

Viristar Wilderness First Responder

Course Schedule

Topics

Day 1 Welcome, registration
Introduction
General Principles
Patient Assessment System (PAS) I
Infection Control
PAS II & Basic Life Support (BLS) skills

BLS/ALS
Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)

Day 2 PAS III Circulatory System

> Respiratory System Nervous System

Day 3 Spine Anatomy
Lifting/Moving/Extrication
Spine Splinting & Litter Carries
Improvised Litters

Spine Injury Evaluation—Wilderness Improvised Patient Carries

Day 4 Musculoskeletal Injuries Extremities Splinting Dislocations

Simulation

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Day 5 Allergy & Anaphylaxis Asthma

Wounds & Burns Thermoregulation Cold Injuries

Day 6 Toxins, Arthropod Disease Vectors

Hypoglycemia

Electricity/Lightning Injuries

Submersion Injury

Simulation

Day 7 Backcountry Medicine

Simulation

Day 8 Altitude Illness

Avalanche

Medical-Legal Issues

First Aid Kits

Final/Elective Topics

Testing Cleanup Paperwork Graduation