

Geriatric Education for EMS – Certification Course

By NAEMT

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Date: Friday, April 26, 2019

Time: 0800-1700

Location: Stratford EMS, 2712 Main Street, Stratford,

CT 06615

Lecturer: Mike Loiz / Eileen Brophy, NAEMT Instructor,

Paramedic, EMS-I

CME: 8.0 (SHCGB) - NCCR

COST: \$125.00

COURSE TYPE

NAEMT Certification course

AUDIENCE

All levels of EMS, First Responder,

COST

\$125.00

LOCATION

Stratford EMS Headquarters

2712 Main Street

Stratford, CT 06615 USA

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Stratford EMS Visit us @ Stratfordems.org **Description:** GEMS provides EMS practitioners at all levels with the skills and knowledge to address the unique medical, social, environmental and communications challenges of older adults. Developed by NAEMT, in partnership with the American Geriatrics Society, GEMS empowers EMS practitioners to help improve medical outcomes and quality of life for geriatric patients.

GEMS features case-based lectures, live action video, hands-on skill stations, simulation and small group scenarios to fully engage students in the learning experience. GEMS covers the following topics:

- Changes with age, Assessment of older adults
- Pharmacology and medication toxicity, Psycho-social emergencies
- Elder abuse, End-of-life care issues
- Cardiovascular and respiratory emergencies, Trauma, Skin and wound care
- Neurological emergencies and altered mental status
- Mobile integrated healthcare
- Special considerations for older adults in disaster response
- Medical devices frequently used by older adults

Target Audience: EMTs, paramedics, emergency medical responders, nurses, physician assistants and physicians. GEMS is accredited by CAPCE and recognized by NREMT. Upon successful completion of the course, students receive a certificate of completion, a wallet card recognizing them as GEMS core providers for 4 years, and 8 hours of CAPCE credit.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Friday, April 26, 2019 @ SEMS Headquarters

0800-1700

SEMS EMPLOYEE

NON-EMPLOYEE

