## PEMBERTON TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT GENERAL ORDER Number: 16-001

Cross Reference: 37.2.3.2

## Subject: New EMT Evaluation Procedures

**Effective Date: Immediately Updated 03/19/2018** 

By Order of: Pemberton Township Fire Chief Craig L. Augustoni

All newly certified Emergency Medical Technicians shall not provide patient care, in an ambulance operated by the Pemberton Township Volunteer Fire Department without the presence of another non-probationary Emergency Medical Technician. This general order shall not prevent a Newly Certified Emergency Medical Technician from providing life saving measures if an emergency arises in their presence and they shall request assistance as needed.

After a newly certified Emergency Medical Technician has completed 96 hours of duty, in the presence of another Emergency Medical Technician to oversee them, they shall be challenged with the attached Psycho-motor skills tests. The 96 Hours shall be completed while the Probationary EMT is enrolled in a Training Course, and should be complete prior to being administered the "State Test." The 96 Hours is to be served as a third crew member, assisting the Primary Treating EMT.

The 96 Hours requirement may be waived for the following situations, Trainees enrolled in an "Accelerated Course", Current Certified EMT's, EMT's that had an expired EMT and successfully renew their certification via state regulations or if a EMT Trainee can demonstrate proficiency in their duties.

Upon successful completion of the Test's Administered by the EMS Captain or their designee, the probationary EMT shall be released from their training and allowed to operate on their own."

## Attachments:

- o Airway Test
- o BP Test
- o Trauma Assessment
- o Medical Assessment
- o BVM Ventilation
- Oxygen Administration
- Spinal Immobilization Seated
- Spinal Immobilization Supine
- o Cardiac Arrest AED
- o Joint Immobilization
- Scoop stretcher test
- Shock test
- o Stretcher test
- PTFD EMS Checklist