

**PUBLIC SAFETY MEMO PS25-07**

**TO:** Chief Academic Officers, Senior Continuing Education Officers, EMS Program School Directors

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**SUBJECT:** Change of Deadline for Advanced EMT Programs

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**This memo provides information related to a change by the NC Office of Emergency Medical Services (NCOEMS) in the deadline for colleges to obtain accreditation for their Advanced EMT (AEMT) courses/programs.**

NCOEMS has notified the System Office that they have delayed accreditation requirements for AEMT programs/courses **from June 30, 2025, until June 30, 2026**. This change also aligns with the deadline for the expenditure of High-Cost Health Care grants received by colleges to assist in the AEMT accreditation process.

- Approved Institutions wishing to offer **AEMT courses that begin on or after July 1, 2026**, will be required to provide one (1) of the following forms or documentation to the NCOEMS:
  - 1) CoAEMSP letter of Accreditation for AEMT;
  - 2) A CoAEMSP issued letter of review for AEMT;
  - 3) A paid receipt for AEMT Accreditation services.

For questions:

- Contact NCOEMS for accreditation specific questions
- Contact Tonya Clark at [clarkt@nccommunitycolleges.edu](mailto:clarkt@nccommunitycolleges.edu) for college EMS questions