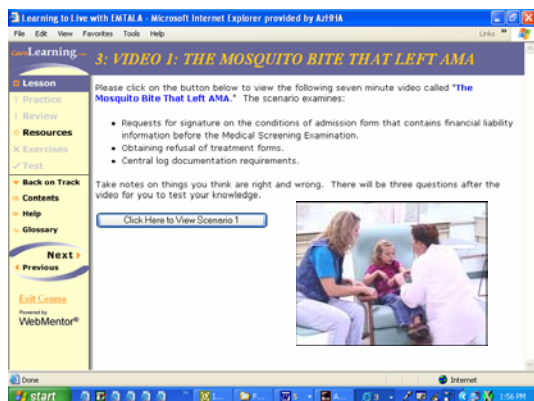


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Learning to Live with EMTALA

A web-based course featuring video scenarios

This comprehensive web-based course examines and illustrates the “do’s and don’ts” of EMTALA compliance. Through the use of streaming video, *Learning to Live with EMTALA* features short scenarios that highlight common cases presented in your emergency room everyday. Three of the scenarios are filled with EMTALA violations...can you identify them? Following each scenario, the course guides you through a series of questions and discussion points designed to help you understand the key requirements of EMTALA law and how they impact hospital operations on a day-to-day basis.

Minimize Your Organizations Risk For An EMTALA Violation!

What is CareLearning?

CareLearning is a non-profit organization formed by over 35 state hospital associations to provide its members with quality, cost effective education and record keeping. The organization launched a website-- www.CareLearning.com-- to provide web-based courses and a learner tracking system for healthcare professionals. While individuals can access most courses on their own, hospitals and healthcare organizations will want to consider participating as an organization and bulk enrolling its employees.

Questions???

For more information, or to take a demo course, go to www.CareLearning.com. You can also contact Laura Cornelson at the Texas Hospital Association at lcornelson@tha.org or (512) 465-1015 to get more information, or to arrange for a CareLearning presentation.

System Requirements

To view the *Learning to Live with EMTALA* course you will need a computer equipped with a sound card; access to the Internet with any connection above a 56K, and Real Player software (free download). The faster your computer and Internet access, and the more current your browser, the more pleasurable your learning experience will be.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This course is designed primarily for those already apprised of the basic requirements of the law, but who need a more detailed understanding of how the law is being interpreted by state and federal officials. Target audience includes healthcare professionals responsible for EMTALA compliance such as Chief Executive Officers, Risk Managers, Emergency Physicians, Compliance Officers, Emergency Department Directors, Hospital Attorneys, Nursing Staff, and Medical Directors.

COST: \$50.00 per user with access to course for one year.

***Learning to Live with EMTALA* focuses on “hot” EMTALA issues:**

- **Registration**
- **On-call requirements**
- **Stabilization issues**
- **Central log**
- **Medical screening exams**
- **Transfers**

To access a course, or view a course description, go to www.CareLearning.com and click on the Course Catalog. Click a course and follow the easy step-by-step instructions to register and pay for the course. If you are interested in purchasing courses for multiple users in your organization, please contact Laura Cornelson at (512) 465-1015.

No membership fees or minimum enrollment!

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