

## HOW IS SHIPPENSBURG AREA EMS MEETING THIS CHALLENGE?

We are taking a three phase approach to preparing for the worst:

-We are in the process of purchasing protective equipment so that our providers can enter the danger zone and provide immediate life saving care.

-We are establishing a nationally accredited education program to train not only our providers but also our regional partners

-We are partnering with our mutual aid police, fire and EMS agencies to standardize our equipment, training and procedures to be ready to meet this threat

Your tax-deductible donation will be used exclusively towards support one of these three vital projects for our community.



## LOOKING FOR OTHER WAYS TO HELP?

Shippensburg Area EMS is always looking for dedicated volunteers to help serve our community.

At SAEMS we offer:

-Free First Aid/CPR and Emergency Medical Technician Training for our volunteers

-An incentive program to reward volunteers for serving their community

-Fun, family activities to promote teamwork amongst our volunteers

-One of the most proactive EMS services in the region offering both Basic and Advanced Life Support EMS Care, Fireground Rehab services and Community Event emergency services support

Interested?

Call us today at (717) 532-6069 ext. 123 and ask to speak to the on duty shift commander or email us at [info@sa-ems.org](mailto:info@sa-ems.org)



## ARE YOU PREPARED FOR AN ACTIVE SHOOTER?

In October of last year, after nearly a year of planning, Shippensburg Area EMS helped facilitate one of the most realistic Active Shooter Training events in the region

What did we learn?

- *We need to improve our training*
- *We need to improve our equipment*
- *We need to improve our communities mindset*

And most importantly.....

**We need your help to make sure we are all prepared to meet this threat that has been sweeping the country**

## SAEMS has devoted itself to serving you.

Last year our department renewed our commitment to public safety by:

- Maintained a 99% response coverage for our region.

- Placed in service a new Mobile Intensive Care unit to expedite treatment Emergency Room Level treatment to our region.

- Equipped and trained the Memorial Park Pool staff for water emergencies.

- Certified over 250 people in life saving CPR.

- Maintained state "Master" accreditation for our pediatric care program.

- Hosted the first regional Advanced EMT class with a 100% first time practical pass rate.

- Developed the first Leadership Training Program to provide a path for our future EMS leaders.

## Now we need your help to protect us while we protect you



We are training for the unthinkable. To move into an area of the unknown, with a potential shooter still targeting victims.....

They need your help to protect them. Each responder will be issued a set of emergency bulletproof carriers which will protect them and carry the life saving equipment needed to treat victims immediately, without losing precious minutes waiting for the danger to clear.

Each Rescue Task Force Team will be equipped to treat 10-15 victims on site. Treating life threatening trauma, bleeding and loss of breathing will save lives, maybe the life of yours or your loved ones.

## YOU CAN HELP!

Please help us with a contribution to help support our equipment and training to meet this vital need:

- Developing our Nationally Recognized Tactical Emergency Casualty Care course is nearly \$10,000.

- Personal Protective Equipment for our staff will cost \$22,064.

- Rapid Response Treatment kits for our victims to provide immediate life saving care on the scene will cost \$7800

## Help us protect you or your loved ones in your time of need!

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