



# CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES AUTHORITY



## Ambulance Strike Team Leader / Medical Task Force Course *UPDATED TRAINING MATERIAL*

This essential course provides students with the knowledge and leadership skills to function as an ASTL, leading an Ambulance Strike Team (AST) or Medical Task Force (MTF) during deployments. Upon completion, students will be prepared to begin the credentialing process with their Local EMS Agency (LEMSA) and EMSA and may deploy as an ASTL trainee under an accredited ASTL.

The AST Program has been completely revised so even if you have taken this training in the past, we encourage you to attend and see what's changed and new.

***NEW for 2025:*** Current ASTL Red Card Holders that attend this updated ASTL Training (After October 2023) will be able apply this as an event in their PTB needed for recertification. This is optional and not a requirement for recertification.

**Join us in strengthening California's disaster response capabilities!**

**Date: September 10th, 2025**

**Time: 0800 - 1700**

**Location: Kern County Public Health  
1800 Mt. Vernon Ave  
Bakersfield, CA 93306**



8 Hours of CE's available upon completion of course

*Questions related to this class or the ASTL training program should be sent to [ASTtraining@emsa.ca.gov](mailto:ASTtraining@emsa.ca.gov)*



**Link for Registration:**

<https://emsa.ca.gov/disaster-training/>

*Search for open classes on the calendar, once a class is full, it will be noted.*