

**RESTRICTED DELIVERY CERTIFIED MAIL
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Before the Iowa Department of Public Health

IN THE MATTER OF: Chris Tool 10128 Rifle Street Monroe, IA 50170 Certification: EMT-17-301-33	Case Number: M 18-04-03 NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION REVOCACTION
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Pursuant to the provisions of Iowa Code Sections 17A.18, 147A.7, and Iowa Administrative Code (I.A.C.) 641—131.7, the Iowa Department of Public Health is proposing to **REVOKE** your EMS certification identified above.

The Department may revoke an EMS certification when it finds that the certificate holder has committed any of the following acts or offenses:

Failure to comply with the terms of a department order or the terms of a settlement agreement or consent order. IAC 641-131.7(3)i.

Representing oneself as an emergency medical care provider when one's certification has been suspended or revoked or when one's certification is lapsed or has been placed on an inactive status. IAC 641-131.7(3)l.

Willful or repeated violations of Iowa Code chapter 147A or these rules. IAC 641-131.7(3)s.

Practicing emergency medical services or using a designation of certification or otherwise holding oneself out as practicing emergency medical services at a certain level of certification when the emergency medical care provider is not certified at such level. IAC 641-131.7(3)aa.

The following incident(s) resulted in issuance of this proposed action:

On November 3, 2017 the Department issued you a notice of proposed action, suspension (case # 17-10-03). This action became the Department's final action on November 23, 2017 as a result your Iowa EMS certification was suspended. Your certification was suspended until the Department received, reviewed, and approved documentation of 24 hours of continuing education completed between April 1, 2015 and March 31, 2017 and at least 12 hours of those hours were designated as formal education. Additionally, you were to submit a current course completion card in cardiopulmonary resuscitation, AED and airway obstruction for all age groups in accordance with national standards. As of the date of this notice the aforementioned requirements have not been met.

You have on at least one occasion provided direct emergency medical care to a patient as a member of an authorized nontransport service program between January 1, 2018 and March 31, 2018 while your Iowa EMS certification is suspended.

You may apply to the department for reinstatement after one year from the effective date of this notice. When submitting an application for reinstatement, you must allege facts which, if established, will be sufficient to enable the department to determine that the basis for the revocation of your certification no longer exists and that it will be in the public interest for the certification to be reinstated (IAC 641—131.9).

You have the right to request a hearing concerning this notice of disciplinary action. A request for a hearing must be submitted in writing to the Department by certified mail, return receipt requested, within twenty (20) days of receipt of this Notice of Proposed Action. The written request must be submitted to the Iowa Department of Public Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services, Lucas State Office Building, 321 E 12th St, Des Moines, Iowa 50319. If the request is made within the twenty (20) day time limit, the proposed action is suspended pending the outcome of the hearing. Prior to or at the hearing, the Department may rescind the notice upon satisfaction that the reason for the action has been or will be removed.

If no request for a hearing is received within the twenty (20) day time period, the disciplinary action proposed herein shall become effective and shall be final agency action.



Rebecca Curtiss, Chief
Iowa Department of Public Health
Bureau of Emergency and Trauma Services

5-4-2018

Date