## THE REGIONAL EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES COUNCIL OF NEW YORK CITY, INC.



NYC REMAC			
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The Regional Emergency Medical Advisory Committee (REMAC) of New York City is responsible to develop, approve and implement prehospital treatment and transport protocols for use within the five boroughs of the City of New York. The Regional Emergency Medical Advisory Committee (REMAC) of New York City operates under the auspices of Article Thirty of the New York State Public Health Law.

As stated in REMAC Advisory 2020-06, NYC REMAC Paramedic credentials were extended for one (1) year to be consistent with the Governor's Executive Order temporarily suspending rules and regulations due to the State Public Health Disaster. The office of the Regional EMS Council of NYC is working to print and distribute updated credential cards, but will be issuing cards to NEW paramedics first. Other credential cards will continue to be printed, but it may be several months before all paramedics have updated cards.

In the meantime, a list of all NYC REMAC paramedics with current regional expiration dates can be viewed at: <u>https://www.nycremsco.org/remac-approved-als-agencies-line-medical-control-physicians-paramedics/</u>. Additionally, temporary memos identifying NYC and NYS expiration dates can be requested for those paramedics urgently requiring evidence of credentialing. These memos shall be accepted in lieu of REMAC cards until such time as standard cards are printed. Evidence of state certification can be provided by the paramedic's specific agency via the NYS Health Commerce System.

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