



TO: All EMTs, EMT Candidates, and EMT Employers
FROM: Karen Petrilla, EMS Specialist *KP*
RE: Method of payment
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Up until now, the EMS Agency has stated that anyone applying for EMT certification or recertification would be required to make separate payments to the State and to REMSA, for their separate fees. Additionally, State fees had to be paid via money order or cashier's check *only*. This is no longer the case.

While state and local fees still must be paid separately, both fees may now be paid either with cash or by cashiers' check (CC) or money order (MO).

If using a CC or MO, be sure the State fee portion is made out to *EMT Certification Fund*. The Riverside County portion can be made payable to Riverside County EMS Agency, or "REMSA". (A reminder to County Fire personnel: fee waivers do NOT cover State fees or any late charges.)

Any questions on this matter may be addressed to our certification staff at (951) 358 – 5029.