

HEALTH & SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS AT THE TEST SITE

At the test site, it is important to maintain a safe and healthful environment for all participants and staff.

You will not be allowed to test if you have any **communicable diseases, medical restrictions, physical limitations, health conditions, or injuries** that would:

- 1) Prevent you from receiving an unrestricted medical clearance to deliver **hands-on** patient care
- 2) Prevent you from fully demonstrating any of the twenty-four (24) skills
- 3) Create a hazard to yourself or others

If any of the above applies to you, it is **mandatory** that you follow the instructions below:

1. *Obtain a Medical Clearance from a Medical Authority or Specialist, including the following:*

- Wording that states you are able to deliver hands-on patient care without any restrictions or limitations.
- Medical Authority or Specialist: Printed Name, Title, Professional License Number, and Signature/Date

2. *Email Medical Clearance to:* Mark Prill, Manager at mark.prill@redcross.org

The American Red Cross Competency Evaluation Program will consider all requests on a case by case basis.

Once your Medical Clearance has been received, it can take up to 2 weeks for a final decision.

You will not be tested without prior approval.

ABOUT ACCOMMODATIONS

The American Red Cross complies with the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), providing reasonable and appropriate accommodations to individuals with documented disabilities.

If you have a documented disability that requires accommodations, you must:

1. *Obtain documentation from a Medical Authority or Specialist, including the following:*

- Description of the disability as it falls under the Americans with Disabilities Act
- Accommodations you were afforded during training
- Accommodations you are requesting from the American Red Cross
- Medical Authority or Specialist: Printed Name, Title, Professional License Number, and Signature/Date

2. *Email documentation to:* Mark Prill, Manager at mark.prill@redcross.org

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