

**Tactical Casualty Care Personnel in California
2014**

	Course Title	Target Audience	Hours of Training	Training Topics	Scope of Practice
1	Tactical First Aid Provider**	Law Enforcement Officer Fire Service or EMS provider	4-8 (8 hours recommended)	“Care Under Fire” Principles Basic Hemorrhage Control Basic Airway Management Extraction and Movement of Patients “Active Shooter” Procedures	Tourniquet Emerg Trauma Dressing Extraction Basic Airway Treat for Shock
2	Tactical Life-Saver Provider**	SWAT team member or other specialty team member (non-EMT) Specialized Fire Service or EMS	16-24	As above <u>plus</u> , Tactical Casualty Care Model Basic “Tactical Field Care” Principles --Naso-Pharyngeal Airway (NPA) --Sucking Chest Wound Medical Threat Assessment and Planning Basic Team Movement Scenarios	As above <u>plus</u> , Tactical Casualty Assessment Airway plus NPA Occlusive Dressings
3	Tactical EMT** (Basic Life Support)	Medical Component as part of SWAT team at BLS level, -Cert. EMT	80, or 40 hours if EMT <u>and</u> prior SWAT Basic school	As indicated in POST and EMSA approved <i>Tactical Medicine Guidelines.</i>	As indicated in <i>Guidelines</i> , plus; <u>Current EMT certification</u>
4	Tactical Paramedic or Tactical Physician (Advanced Life Support)	Medical Component as part of SWAT team at ALS level, -Lic. Paramedic -Lic. MD	80, or 40 hours <u>and</u> prior SWAT Basic school	As indicated in POST and EMSA approved <i>Tactical Medicine Guidelines.</i>	As indicated in <i>Guidelines</i> , plus; <u>Current Paramedic, Approved EMS provider, and local accreditation OR Physician licensure</u>

**No ALS procedures allowed (i.e. Hemostatic Agents for Hemorrhage Control, Needle Decompression for Tension Pneumothorax, Needle Cricothyrotomy for Airway, etc.) pursuant to Health and Safety Code 1797.178.