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**This is a blanket e-mail message to all certified Education Coordinators and ALS Coordinators.**

Dear Educator,

Late this evening, the National Registry released a statement about the re-opening of Pearson VUE Testing centers for NREMT Cognitive testing.

Pearson VUE Test Centers are re-opening strictly for the testing of essential healthcare personnel, including EMS providers.

For more, please see this link: <http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/content/uploads/sites/23/2020/03/NREMT-Update-on-Exams-at-Pearson-VUE.pdf>

Have a good evening, stay safe and wash your hands!

Best,

Chad

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The Office of EMS continues to monitor the ongoing situation regarding the spread of COVID-19. For more information and updates on COVID-19 please visit the link below: <http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/emergency-medical-services/coronavirus-2019-covid-19/>

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## **Pearson VUE Centers Opening for Essential EMS Testing**

Preserving the pipeline of EMS personnel during the pandemic is essential, and vital to public health. Therefore, **on Wednesday, March 25, some Pearson VUE Professional Centers (PPCs) across the nation will re-open for the testing of essential healthcare personnel, including EMS providers.** Appointments at these centers will be available on a first come, first served basis. More appointments and availability will be available as soon as possible. More information about Pearson VUE's testing for EMS personnel during the pandemic is available on [Pearson VUE's website](#).

### **Information for Candidates**

Candidates with an Authorization to Test (ATT) and candidates that had an examination canceled are encouraged to log into the [Pearson VUE site](#) to reschedule your examination. [\(<https://home.pearsonvue.com/nremt>\)](https://home.pearsonvue.com/nremt) These centers are strictly for the testing of essential healthcare personnel, including EMS providers.

### **What if I can't find a test center near me?**

If you are not able to locate a Pearson VUE testing center today, we encourage to check back in a few days. Conditions vary greatly across the United States and the testing network availability is expected to change daily. We are working with state and local officials to re-open testing centers across the United States, while adhering to public health guidance on social distancing and Stay at Home Orders.

The National Registry established a dedicated webpage where updates on the COVID-19 response will be published as information is available.

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