



**WMI**  
WILDERNESS MEDICINE INSTITUTE

THE LEADER IN WILDERNESS MEDICINE

## WILDERNESS ADVANCED FIRST AID

**DATES: February 13-15 & 20-22, 2009 (40 hours instruction on 2 weekends)**

**COST: \$350**

**LOCATION: BSA Camp Wisdom, 6400 Redbird Ln., Dallas TX**

This program trains participants to respond to emergencies in remote settings. The 40-hour curriculum focuses on stabilization, treatment and evacuation guidelines of patients in backcountry environments. Special topics include: wound management and infection, realigning fractures and dislocations, improvised splinting techniques, head and spine injury management, CPR, long-term patient care and up-to-date information on all environmental emergencies. Emphasis is placed on prevention and decision-making, not memorization of lists.

Class will be held from 6-10 p.m. on the two Fridays, February 13 & 20. The four other days (Feb. 14, 15, 21, 22), class runs from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. Format is classroom lecture integrated with practical and realistic scenarios, skills practice sessions, case studies, role playing and simulated rescues. **Attendance required for all scheduled classes.**

Minimum age for participants is 16, and class size is limited to 30. After the class is filled, additional registrants will be placed on a waiting list. A \$100 deposit, along with the registration form below, is needed to secure your reservation. Balance of payment of \$250 is due by January 13, 2009, with check payable to Venturing Crew 890. If there are still spaces available after January 13th, \$350 is payable in full upon reservation. Your registration and status will be confirmed by e-mail. Please mail all payments to Venturing Crew 890, 12429 Wharton, Dallas, TX 75243. For more information, please contact Robert Squyres, phone 972-699-0339, fax 972-699-0058, or e-mail [rtsquyres@sbcglobal.net](mailto:rtsquyres@sbcglobal.net). You can access the course web site at <http://wmi.nols.edu>.

You will need: a large day pack with multiple layers, water bottle, waterproof tops and bottoms, sturdy boots, head lamp or flashlight and a watch with a second hand. Meals are included. Please bring outdoor clothing appropriate for lying on the potentially wet, muddy or snowy, cold ground playing the role of either rescuer or patient. Free campsites (with a hot shower) are available if you wish to camp overnight and bring your own tent, sleeping bag and camping gear.

### Registration Form -WMI Wilderness Advanced First Aid Course Feb. 13-15 & 20-22, 2009

Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Hm. Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Wk. Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**To register, mail this form with a \$100 deposit check, payable to Venturing Crew 890, to:  
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