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## Statewide EMT Conference

FALLON--A two-day conference for EMTs, paramedics and other emergency care professionals will be held May 6-7 at the Fallon Convention Center.

Emergency medical professionals, many of them volunteers, are providing more and more of the front-line health care for rural Nevada communities. This conference, organized by the University of Nevada School of Medicine Northeastern Area Health Education Center, gives, paramedics and other emergency care professionals a forum to learn about and discuss the latest issues in emergency medicine.

The conference, *Emergency Care in the 90s: Rolling Out to the Future*, includes EMT team competitions, the latest information on caring for pediatric and adult patients in trauma situations, extrication demonstrations, NAS Fallon's Search and Rescue Team Display, and sessions on effective communication. Over 200 are expected to attend this fourth annual conference.

Conference sponsors include the Washoe Medical Center and Nevada Emergency Medical Association. NAS Fallon SAR Team and the Washoe County Sheriff's HASTY Team have donated their time and equipment to the event.

To register, call the Northeastern AHEC, in Elko, at 738-3828.

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