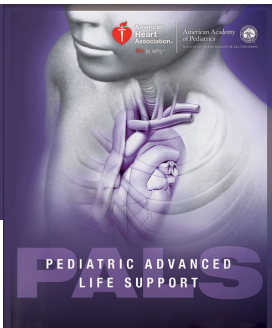


# Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) 2021



**In-person at MAHEC  
all 3 parts of PALS**

**Part 1: Group Instruction  
Part 2: Skills Practice  
Part 3: Testing**

**Thursday, March 11  
Thursday, September 23**

### Pre-requisite

Before the course, complete the **mandatory** Precourse Self-Assessment modules on the student website ([www.heart.org/eccstudent](http://www.heart.org/eccstudent)) and enter code pals15.

### For all dates:

Registration/  
Check-in: 7:30am - 8:00am  
Program: 8:00am - 3:00pm  
Fee: \$225.00 early registration  
\$240.00 if registering within seven days of program  
Fee waived for MAHEC employees; registration required  
Location: Simulation Center  
MAHEC Biltmore Campus

**OR**

**Online on your own:**

**Part 1: Instruction**

**+**

**In-person at MAHEC  
by appointment:**

**Part 2: Skills Practice  
Part 3: Testing**

[www.onlineaha.org](http://www.onlineaha.org) >course catalog >Pediatric Advanced Life Support

Online course takes approximately 6-7 hours.

Fee: \$144.00, payable to AHA  
Print your certificate of completion.

[AHA PALS Provider Manuals are available through the AHA website \(heart.org\) or Amazon.](http://www.heart.org)

Call Ronnie Metcalf at 828-257-4478 to schedule an appointment

Fee: \$95.00

Fee waived for MAHEC employees; registration required

Payable by credit card, cash or check made payable to MAHEC.

Bring your certificate of completion to your appointment.

Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) is a video-based, instructor-led course that uses simulated pediatric emergencies to reinforce the important concepts of a systematic approach to pediatric assessment, basic life support, PALS treatment algorithms, effective resuscitation and team dynamics. The goal of the PALS course is to improve the quality of care provided to seriously ill or injured children, resulting in improved outcomes.

### AUDIENCE

Physicians, PAs, Nurses, NPs, EMT/EMS/Paramedics and others caring for the pediatric population

### AGENDA FOR IN-PERSON PARTS 1, 2, AND 3

1- and 2-rescuer child CPR and AED use

1- and 2-rescuer infant CPR

Cardiac, respiratory and shock case discussions and simulations

Key changes in pediatric advanced life support, reflecting the new science from the American Heart Association Guidelines for Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation and Emergency Cardiovascular Care

Management of respiratory emergencies

Resuscitation team concept

Rhythm disturbances and electrical therapy

Systematic Approach to Pediatric Assessment

Vascular access

### FACULTY

**Ronnie Metcalf, EdD, RN, ONC**  
CE Planner, MAHEC | PALS Instructor  
828-257-4478

*The American Heart Association strongly promotes knowledge and proficiency in all AHA courses and has developed instructional materials for this purpose. Use of these materials in an educational course does not represent course sponsorship by the AHA. Any fees charged for such a course, except for a portion of fees needed for AHA course materials, do not represent income to the AHA.*

### OBJECTIVES

- Identification and treatment of problems that place the child at risk for cardiac arrest
- Application of a systematic approach to pediatric assessments
- Use of PALS algorithms and flowchart
- Demonstration of effective resuscitation team dynamics

### CREDIT

#### CME

Accreditation: The Mountain Area Health Education Center (MAHEC) is accredited by the North Carolina Medical Society to sponsor continuing education for physicians.

Credit: The Mountain Area Health Education Center designates this live activity for a maximum of **7.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Disclosure Statement: MAHEC adheres to the ACCME Standards regarding industry support to continuing medical education. Disclosure of faculty and commercial support relationships, if any, will be made known at the time of the activity.

#### CEU

The Mountain Area Health Education Center designates this continuing education activity as meeting the criteria for **0.7 CEUs** as established by the National Task force on the Continuing Education Unit. You must attend the entire workshop to receive CEUs.

#### Contact Hours

MAHEC designates this live continuing education activity as meeting the criteria for **7.0** contact hours.



Sponsored by:



\*\*\*\*Early registration is encouraged as seating is limited.\*\*\*\*

## REGISTRATION

Early registration fee for in-person, group PALS is \$225.00. If registration is received within seven days of the program, the total fee is \$240.00. The registration fee is waived for MAHEC employees.

MAHEC has a pay-up-front policy for all CE programs. The only exceptions will be for pre-approved programs where an individual payment plan is appropriate. Registrations received without accompanying payment will not be processed and participants who have not paid the course fee will not be admitted into the program.

Unless otherwise noted in course materials, the following cancellation policy applies to all programs:

- Cancellations must be in writing (via fax, email, or mail)
  - Cancellations received more than 2 weeks prior to the event will receive 100% refund
  - Cancellations received between two weeks and two full business days prior to the first day of the event are refunded at 70% of the registration fee subject to a minimum \$25 cancellation fee
  - No refunds or credits will be given for cancellations received less than two full business days prior to the event
  - No vouchers will be issued in lieu of a refund
- Transfers/substitute(s) are welcome (please notify us in advance)

## DIRECTIONS TO MAHEC BILTMORE CAMPUS

119 Hendersonville Rd., Asheville, NC, 28803

From I-40 Eastbound, take Exit 50 and turn left onto Hendersonville Road.

From I-40 Westbound, take Exit 50B and merge onto Hendersonville Road.

At the first light, turn left into the DoubleTree Hotel complex. Turn left (away from the hotel). Before the Hampton Inn, turn right and proceed up the driveway Turn right into the MAHEC Biltmore Campus parking lot.

From 19-23 (I-26) take 240 East to Exit 5B (Charlotte Street). Exit right onto Charlotte Street. At the 4th light, make a left onto Biltmore Avenue. Proceed through 8 traffic lights. At the 9th light turn right into the DoubleTree Hotel complex. Turn left (away from the hotel). Before the Hampton Inn, turn right and proceed up the driveway Turn right into the MAHEC Biltmore Campus parking lot.

## SIMULATION CENTER

To access the Simulation Center, go through the courtyard adjacent to the Education Building and down the steps. The Simulation Center is to the left of the stairwell. Enter through the front doors of the Center.

## PLANNING COMMITTEE

Ronnie Metcalf, EdD, RN, ONC | MAHEC, Asheville NC

Have a question?

Registration Information: 828-257-4475  
registration@mahec.net

AHA Course Director:

Ronnie Metcalf, EdD, RN, ONC  
828-257-4478 | ronnie.metcalf@mahec.net



Want to register?

Fax Registration: 828-257-4768  
Online Registration: www.mahec.net/cpd

**Special Services:**  
828-257-4485

## Registration form only for In-person at MAHEC all 3 parts of PALS

Updated information

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Credentials \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security # **XXX-XX-** \_\_\_\_\_ (last 4 digits required)

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home County \_\_\_\_\_

Home # \_\_\_\_\_ Work # \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Department \_\_\_\_\_

Employer's Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Work County \_\_\_\_\_

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Program announcements will be sent to your email unless you opt out from receiving emails from MAHEC. We never share our mailing lists.

Please remove my name from the MAHEC mailing list.

**PLEASE SELECT A SESSION:** 64455

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Full payment must accompany all registrations unless a payment plan has been approved in advance. Registrations received without accompanying payment will not be processed.

*MAHEC assumes permission to use audio, video and still images from this program for promotional and educational purposes.  
Please speak with a staff member if you have any concerns.*

## PAYMENT METHOD

Check enclosed.

Charge my:  Visa  Mastercard  DISCOVER  Am Ex

Account # \_\_\_\_\_

Exp \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Security code \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Make check payable to MAHEC and send to:  
MAHEC Registration, 121 Hendersonville Rd.  
Asheville, NC 28803 or Fax to 828-257-4768