



## ABA Advanced Burn Life Support Course (ABLS)

**MONDAY, JANUARY 16, 2023**

**7:00 am-4:00 pm**

Presented by the American Burn Association (ABA) and supported by the EAST Burn Surgery Committee  
For additional information, visit the ABA website, <https://ameriburn.org/education/advanced-burn-life-support-abls/>

**Audience:** Medical professionals and trauma providers whose practice includes a potential need to perform initial triage, assessment and management of patients with burn injuries.

**Overview:** The Advanced Burn Life Support course is designed to provide medical professionals with the ability to assess and stabilize burn-injured patients during the first critical hours post-injury. ABLS programs also support emergency preparedness needs for disaster management. Live, didactic lectures and hands-on simulation experiences are offered to reinforce learning. There will be opportunities to work with a simulated burn patient to reinforce the assessment, stabilization and transfer of the patient to an ABA burn center. Following a final written and practical assessment, a certificate of completion is provided (good for 4 years).

### Learner Objectives:

At the conclusion of this course, the participant should be better able to:

1. Describe the magnitude and severity of the burn injury to identify and establish priorities of treatment.
2. Assess and stabilize patients with burn injuries during the first critical hours post-injury.
3. Manage the airway and support ventilation, initiate, and monitor fluid resuscitation.

Registrants will be expected to read the ABLS Provider Manual, prior to the course.

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**Course Size:** 20      **Course Price:** \$375

### Schedule:

7:00 am-7:15 am	Registration
7:15 am-7:45 am	Initial Assessment & Management
7:45 am-8:15 am	Airway Management & Smoke Inhalation
8:15 am-8:30 am	Break
8:30 am-9:00 am	Shock & Fluid Resuscitation
9:00 am-9:30 am	Wound Management
9:30 am-10:00 am	Electrical Injuries
10:00 am-10:15 am	Break
10:15 am-10:45 am	Chemical Burns
10:45 am-11:15 am	Pediatric Burns
11:15 am-11:30 am	Transfer & Transport
11:30 am-12:00 pm	Disaster Management
12:00 pm-12:30 pm	Lunch Break (Lunch on own)
12:30 pm-1:30 pm	Case Studies
1:30 pm-2:30 pm	Patient Assessments
2:30 pm-4:00 pm	Patient Assessment & Written Testing

Registration fee covers the tuition, ABLS manual, assessment and continuing education credits/certificate (7.0 hours). Course completion and CME will be managed by the American Burn Association.