

## **EMS Information Bulletin 2013-009**

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SUBJECT:

**Cognitive Examination Acknowledgement Form** 

TO:

**EMS Agency Directors EMS** Education Institutes

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As part of assuring high-quality education and measureable national level competency, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has adopted the National EMS Education Standards and the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT) Examination process effective as of January 1, 2013. That decision includes the planned implementation of cognitive (knowledge) computer based testing (CBT) for all EMS Provider Certification Examinations effective January 1, 2014.

Attached please find the Cognitive Examination Acknowledgment Form for utilization during all EMS Provider Certification Courses currently being offered and/or planned for completion during the 2013 calendar year, throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. All forms must be completed and filed within the Regional EMS Council Office.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Regional Council in the event of any questions.