

# Pediatric Advanced Life Support

American Academy of Pediatrics & American Heart Association

Precourse  
Preparation  
Checklist

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This checklist gives you information on what you need to do to prepare for this course.

Your success in this course depends on completing this Precourse Preparation Checklist.

Bring this checklist with you to the course.

You must do these to prepare for the course:

- Complete a BLS for Healthcare Provider Course or be able to perform high-quality CPR and use an AED according to 2005 guidelines
- Review the 12 Learning Station Competency Checklists in the *PALS Course Guide*
- Become familiar with the Practice Cases on the Student CD
- Understand the PALS algorithms and flowcharts for the Core Cases in the *PALS Course Guide* and *Provider Manual*
- Complete the PALS Self-assessment Tests on PALS ECGs, Pharmacology, and Practical Applications (on the PALS student CD)

Check what you have accomplished for your precourse preparation:

- CPR Competency
- 12 Core Cases
- Algorithms and Flowcharts for 12 Core Cases
- PALS Self-assessment tests

Bring this checklist along with your PALS Self-assessment Tests scores to your course.

I understand the need for significant precourse preparation, and I understand that without adequate precourse preparation I may not successfully complete the PALS Course.

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Signature

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