

AED LEGISLATION: STATE REQUIREMENTS

STATE	PHYSICIAN REQUIREMENTS	TRAINING REQUIREMENTS	PROGRAM REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS	STATUTE
Louisiana	A licensed physician or advanced practice registered nurse who is authorized to prescribe is involved in the possessor's program to ensure compliance with the requirements for training, emergency medical service (EMS) notification, and maintenance.	Expected AED users regularly, on the premises of a particular entity, such as a work site, receive appropriate training in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and in the use of an AED by the American Heart Association or by any other nationally recognized course in CPR and AED use.	Notification to the Department of Health and Hospitals Office of Public Health, Bureau of EMS, and location of each AED device is required. Notification of the local EMS agency of AED Location is required. Devices must be maintained in a safe and functional manner according to the manufacturer's guidelines.	RS 40:1236.14 Senate bill 100 (dup. of HB 245)
Mississippi	Mississippi Physician	Receive appropriate training in CPR and in the use of an AED by the American Heart Association, American Red Cross, National Safety Council or other nationally recognized course in CPR and AED use.	No registration requirements.	Section 41-60-31 Mississippi Code; Section 41-60-33 Mississippi Code.
Tennessee	Elements of medical supervision to be determined by Department of Health; Contact you local EMS office for further information.	Anyone purchasing an AED needs to have appropriate training in an approved course by the Health Department for AED use.	All commercial AEDs must be registered with the local 911 agency. For PAD programs there must be notice to all employees where the unit is located. There must be someone on duty at all times that has had approved training and that list easily accessible. There must be someone assigned to do proper maintenance checks on the unit.	SB 1158; HB 1218 Section 63-6-218(b)