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CHEROKEE REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER TO PROVIDE AHA CERTIFIED CPR COURSES

Effective January 1, 2018, Cherokee Regional Medical Center (CRMC) started providing *Heartsaver*® and Basic Life Support (BLS) Online Courses. All online courses are American Heart Association (AHA) certified and follow the AHA's standards for Basic Life Support.

The online courses will consist of *HeartCode*® BLS, *Heartsaver*® First Aid, *Heartsaver*® CPR and AED, *Heartsaver*® First Aid, CPR and AED, and *Heartsaver*® Pediatric First Aid, CPR and AED.

The courses are beneficial to those serving in a variety of professional or volunteer roles including daycare providers, foster parents, teachers, coaches, youth leaders, managers/supervisors; or anyone interested in learning CPR.

The online platform will allow participants to conveniently take an online course at www.ahaonline.org. Once the online course is completed, class participants must schedule a hands-on skills test at Cherokee Regional Medical Center and bring their AHA certified online printed certification.

Successful completion of the hands-on skills test is mandatory for certification. There is a \$45.00 fee for skills testing. Participants will receive their AHA certification card in the mail within three weeks of successfully completing the hands-on testing. Test out dates are scheduled monthly in the CRMC Education Room.

To schedule your hands on skills testing, please call Jami Crum at Cherokee Regional Medical Center at 712.225.3368 ext. 357.