

# EMS and Medical Professionals: Develop Skills to Handle Violent Patients with HACC's Defensive Tactics Courses

Do you know how to safely respond and handle a violent patient? HACC offers two courses that train EMS and medical professionals in defensive tactics.

## Defensive Tactics – Awareness Level

This four-hour awareness level program is designed to provide Emergency Medical Services (EMS) and medical professionals with cognitive and psychomotor skills necessary to recognize a violent patient. Students will understand escalation cycles in both patients and providers and learn how to respond safely to violent patients in a defensive manner.

Awareness Level course fee: \$40 per person

## Defensive Tactics – Operations Level:

This seven-hour program combines all of the elements of the four-hour awareness level program and includes operational scenarios affording students the opportunity to practice the skills learned.

Operations Level course fee: \$75 per person

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