



11020 Mueller Road
St. Louis, MO 63123
314-894-0420
www.mehlvillefire.com

PRESS RELEASE

For Immediate Release
May 2, 2024

Mehlville Fire Protection District Hosts Critical Care Transport Class on Neonatal and Pediatric Airway Interventions

St. Louis, MO – Today, the Mehlville Fire Protection District conducted a specialized Critical Care Transport Class focusing on Neonatal and Pediatric Airway Interventions. Led by Battalion Chief EMS Training Officer Darick Day, alongside instructors from SSM Health Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital including Paramedic Rita West, the training session aimed to enhance emergency medical responders' skills in managing critical airway situations involving infants and children.

The session provided a comprehensive overview of neonatal and pediatric airway anatomy, assessment techniques, and advanced interventions tailored to this vulnerable patient population. Participants engaged in hands-on simulations and interactive discussions to reinforce learning and practical application.

The collaboration with SSM Health Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital underscores Mehlville Fire Protection District's commitment to forging strong partnerships with leading healthcare institutions to advance pre-hospital care standards.

The Critical Care Transport Class not only benefited Mehlville Fire Protection District personnel but also welcomed external healthcare professionals seeking to enhance their expertise in neonatal and pediatric critical care transport.

For more information about future training sessions or to inquire about opportunities for professional development with the Mehlville Fire Protection District, please contact Darick Day at dday@mehlvillefire.com or 314-894-0420 x1708.

About Mehlville Fire Protection District:

The Mehlville Fire Protection District serves the community of Mehlville, MO, with a steadfast commitment to public safety and emergency response excellence. The District's highly skilled personnel undergo rigorous training and continuous education to deliver prompt, effective, and compassionate care to residents.

#####

For media inquiries, please contact Bern Aniceto, Public Information Officer, at 314-565-1713 or (baniceto@mehlvillefire.com).