

Paramedics—AAS

Emergency Medical Services

The EMT/Paramedic program curriculum is designed to meet the educational and training needs of those individuals who strive to meet the goal of obtaining national certification at the EMT and Paramedic levels. New career opportunities exist for the North Central Arkansas EMT and Paramedic. These include augmenting the current hospital shortage as emergency department technicians, as well as opportunities with ambulance services, police and fire departments, medical centers, and industry.

EMT is offered at least twice a year beginning in August and January. The Paramedic portion only begins in August. This program is offered at the Searcy campus. It is also offered on demand at the Heber campus.

Additional Admission Requirements for EMT/Paramedics Program

1. Proof of two MMR inoculations
2. Proof of Arkansas EMT license/certification in EMT-A or EMT-I (Paramedics and Advanced EMT programs only)
3. Proof of Healthcare Provider CPR

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES—PARAMEDICS

Total Program = 60 Credit Hours

The fifth digit in the course number indicates the number of credit hours.

UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENT—1 OR 3 HOURS

University—1 HOUR or 3 HOURS

UNIV 10001 Principles of Academic Success I

UNIV 10003 Principles of Academic Success III

The 3-hour credit course is required for students who must take at least one remedial course. Students who are not required to take a remedial course may take the 3-hour credit course. In both situations, the courses (1-hour or 3-hour) count toward electives.

GENERAL EDUCATION CORE—20 HOURS

Requirements

ENGL 10103 Freshman English I

ENGL 10203 Freshman English II

CPSI 10003 Microcomputer Applications I

BIOL 10004 Biology for General Education **or**

BIOL 10104 Principles of Biology

MATH 10103 Technical Mathematics (or higher)

XXXX XXXX1 Advisor Approved Elective (A Physical Education or an Academic Success are recommended)

Choose one below.

PSYC 11003 Introduction to Psychology

SOCI 10103 Principles of Sociology

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES REQUIREMENTS—40 HOURS

Requirements

EMSC	20107	Introduction to Paramedicine
EMSC	21007	Paramedicine I
EMSC	22007	Paramedicine II
EMSC	23007	Paramedicine III
EMSC	24007	Paramedicine IV
EMSC	25005	Paramedicine V

Paramedics—TC

TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE PARAMEDICS

Total Program = 40 Credit Hours

The fifth digit in the course number indicates the number of credit hours.

Requirements

EMSC	20107	Introduction to Paramedicine
EMSC	21007	Paramedicine I
EMSC	22007	Paramedicine II
EMSC	23007	Paramedicine III
EMSC	24007	Paramedicine IV
EMSC	25005	Paramedicine V

Emergency Medical Technology-TC

TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY

Total Program = 28 Credit Hours

The fifth digit in the course number indicates the number of credit hours.

Requirements

EMSC	10006	EMT I
EMSC	20006	EMT II
EMSC	20007	Advanced EMT
MATH	10103	Technical Mathematics
ENGL	10103	Freshman English I

Choose one below.

ALHE	10503	Medical Terminology
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BIOL	10004	Biology for General Education
BIOL	10104	Principles of Biology
BIOL	23394	Basic Human Anatomy and Physiology

Emergency Medical Technician—CP

CERTIFICATE OF PROFICIENCY EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN

Total Program = 12 Credit Hours

The fifth digit in the course number indicates the number of credit hours.

Requirements—12 HOURS

EMSC	10006	EMT I
EMSC	20006	EMT II

Advanced Emergency Medical Technician—CP

CERTIFICATE OF PROFICIENCY ADVANCED EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN

Total Program = 7 Credit Hours

The fifth digit in the course number indicates the number of credit hours.

Requirements—7 HOURS

EMSC	20007	Advanced EMT
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