



Clinical – Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic) (EMSP 2262)

Credit: 2 semester credit hours (12 external hours)

Prerequisite/Co-requisite: Texas EMT-Intermediate certification or EMSP 2444, EMS 2348, EMSP 2260, EMSP 2135 Co-requisite: EMSP 2338, EMSP 2430, EMSP 2434, and EMSP 1147

Course Description

A health-related work-based learning experience, which enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts to patients. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Required Textbook and Materials

- a. EMS Program Student Handbook.
- b. Nancy Caroline's Emergency Care in the Streets, 7th edition
- c. EMS Program uniform T-shirt.
- d. EMT / Paramedic Pants (dark blue or black)
- e. Conservative Black leather belt (no designs)
- f. Black leather shoes or boots (not tennis shoes)
- g. Stethoscope, Pen light, BP cuff, Trauma shears

Course Objectives (with applicable SCANS skills after each)

Apply the theory, concepts, and skills involving specialized materials, tools, equipment, procedures, regulations, laws, and interactions within and among political, economic, environmental, social, and legal systems associated with the occupation and business/industry;

Demonstrate the legal and ethical behavior, safety practices, interpersonal and teamwork skills;

Demonstrate appropriate written and verbal communication skills using the terminology of the occupation and the business/industry;

Curriculum based on Department of Transportation National Standard Curriculum

Course Outline

- A. Orientation
 - 1. Review of EMS program policies
- B. Clinical Orientation.
 - 1. Review of Clinical rotation Policies and procedures.
- C. Ambulance field rotations:
 - 1. Student must perform minimum of 144 hours during the semester.
 - 2. Student must have a minimum of 24 patient care reports by the end of the semester.
 - 3. Student must submit their evaluation on all ambulance field rotation.
 - 4. Student must submit their preceptor's evaluation of the student's performance for the entire rotation.

All Clinical documentation must be submitted by the Final Exam date.

Grade Scale

90 – 100	A
80 – 89	B
70 – 79	C
60 – 69	D
0 – 59	F

Course Evaluation

Final grades will be calculated according to the following criteria:

- 1. Completed Patient Care Reports 60%
- 2. Patient professionalism and patient 40%
 care performance

Course Requirements

- 1. Accountability for a minimum of 144 ambulance field rotation hours.
- 2. Maintain a 75% grade average in all EMSP courses.
- 3. Ambulance documentation must be submitted by the final exam date.
- 4. Documentation must consist of all student documented patient care reports, preceptor evaluation of student's performance, and student's evaluation of ambulance rotation.

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Course Policies

1. Attendance Policy. Texas Department of State Health Services Bureau of EMS requires the student accountable for all rotation requirements. If you miss a rotation then it is the student's responsibility to contact the clinical coordinator to have the rotation can be rescheduled.
2. If you wish to drop a course, the student is responsible for initiating and completing the drop process. If you stop coming to class and fail to drop the course, you will earn an 'F' in the course.
3. Additional class policies as defined by the EMS Program Student handbook.
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Disabilities Statement

The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1992 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 are federal anti-discrimination statutes that provide comprehensive civil rights for persons with disabilities. Among other things, these statutes require that all students with documented disabilities be guaranteed a learning environment that provides for reasonable accommodations for their disabilities. If you believe you have a disability requiring an accommodation, please contact the Special Populations Coordinator at (409) 880-1737 or visit the office in Student Services, Cecil Beeson Building.

Course Schedule

Week	Topic	Reference
Week 1	Clinical Orientation	Program Student Handbook, Textbook
Week 2	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 3	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 4	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 5	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 6	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 7	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 8	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 9	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 10	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 11	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 12	Ambulance Rotations	

Week 13	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 14	Ambulance Rotations	
Week 15	Ambulance Rotations	