

DEGREES & CERTIFICATES

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES EMT-PARAMEDIC ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE (AS)

About the Program

This program is designed to prepare students to take and pass the National Registry Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic (NREMT) examination so they can become Licensed Paramedics in the state of California. It also prepares students to transfer and earn a BA in Paramedics. Students that complete the Associate of Science in Emergency Medical Services EMT-Paramedic degree are able to gain employment as paramedic firefighters, paramedics on ambulances that serve the community as Advanced Life Support 9-1-1 providers, and in certain limited situations work in the hospital setting.

Program Goals and Objectives

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Career Opportunities

Students that earn this degree can find employment as a firefighter, paramedic with an ambulance company, and in specific and limited cases, work in a hospital.

Program Outcomes

- Upon completion of the AS in Emergency Medical Services EMT-Paramedic, students are prepared as a competent entry-level Paramedics in the affective (behavior) learning domain with or without exit points at the Advanced Emergency Medical Technician and/or Emergency Medical Technician, and/or Emergency Medical Responder levels.
- Upon completion of the AS in Emergency Medical Services EMT-Paramedic, students are prepared as a competent entry-level Paramedics in the cognitive (knowledge) learning domain with or without exit points at the Advanced Emergency Medical Technician and/or Emergency Medical Technician, and/or Emergency Medical Responder levels.
- Upon completion of the AS in Emergency Medical Services EMT-Paramedic, students are prepared as a competent entry-level Paramedics in the psychomotor (skills) learning domain with or without exit points at the Advanced Emergency Medical Technician and/or Emergency Medical Technician, and/or Emergency Medical Responder levels.
- Upon completion of the AS in Emergency Medical Services EMT-Paramedic, students are prepared to become a Nationally Registered Paramedic (NRP).

Required Core: (51 Units)

BIO 50 Anatomy and Physiology.....	4
EMS 10 Paramedic Theory 1.....	6
EMS 11 Paramedic Theory 2.....	6
EMS 12 Paramedic Laboratory 1.....	4
EMS 13 Paramedic Laboratory 2.....	4
EMS 16 Paramedic Clinical Occupational Work Experience.....	3 - 4
EMS 17 Paramedic Capstone Occupational Work Experience.....	1 - 8
EMS 20 Emergency Medical Technician.....	7
EMS 30 Emergency Medical Responder.....	3
EMS 62 Basic Medical Terminology.....	3

Total Units in the Major.....51

Program-Based GE: (3 Units)

CMST 1 Fundamentals of Public Speaking.....	3
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Additional General Education Units.....13