

2019 PARAMEDIC ACADEMY

This class will equip students with all the education needed to be a high-performing paramedic and a desirable candidate for employment.

Four semesters (16 months) starting Jan 3, 2019
Monday (9 a.m. - 5 p.m.) and Thursday (7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.)

Prerequisites:

- High school diploma or GED.
- NIMS IS-100 and IS-700.
- Currently certified in Professional Rescuer CPR.
- Currently licensed and undisciplined Missouri Emergency Medical Technician.
- Work experience as ambulance EMT (one year full-time, two years part-time/PRN/volunteer, or recommendation by employer and an EMS professional reference.
- Ability to pass background check without felony, violence, or drug convictions.
- Ability to pass drug screen.

Certifications gained after successful completion:

- Prepared and eligible to test for Missouri Licensed Paramedic.
- Prepared and eligible to test for Nationally Registered Paramedic.
- Eight college-credit hours in Anatomy and Physiology, Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Psychological Trauma in EMS Patients, Pediatric Advanced Life Support, Geriatric Education for EMS, NIMS IS-200, All Hazards Disaster Response, Hazmat Medic, Tactical Emergency Casualty Care.
- Course credit may be transferred to several colleges and universities to be applied towards an Associate's Degree in Paramedicine.

Coursework, classroom activities, and in-class testing will focus on personal safety, teamwork, and exceptional, compassionate patient care. Curriculum is evidence-based and utilizes state-of-the-art equipment and online resources. Extensive use of simulation and scenario education will be included. Additionally, personal work habits and fitness activities will be included to prepare students for a life-long career in EMS. Students will have access to a fully-stocked ambulance and high fidelity manikin.

Tuition of \$7,500 includes two semesters of anatomy and physiology, textbooks, online access codes, uniforms, all course fees, and your first round of National Registry testing fees (both computer-based test and psychomotor tests). Payment plans are available. CMH employees may apply for Medical Excellence Scholarships and work contract. This course is approved by the US Department of Veterans Affairs to certify enrollment for eligible veterans for education assistance programs such as the Post-9/11 or GI Bill.

Application deadline is November 15th. A non-refundable application fee of \$100 will be required at the time of application. After entrance exams and background checks are completed, enrolled students will be announced on December 1st, 2018.



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To register:

www.ozarksems.com/education-application.php

