

CMH PARAMEDIC ACADEMY

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

Class meets every Monday and Thursday (class times are 8:30-5:30)

Prerequisites:

- High school diploma or GED.
- NIMS IS-100 and IS-700.
- Currently certified in AHA Basic Life Support CPR.
- Currently licensed and undisciplined Missouri Emergency Medical Technician.
- Work experience as an ambulance-based EMT (one year full-time, two years part-time/PRN/volunteer, or recommendation by your employer and a professional reference).
- Ability to pass a background check without felony, violence, or drug convictions.
- Ability to pass a drug screen.
- Eight college-credit hours of Anatomy and Physiology.

Certifications gained after successful completion:

- Prepared and eligible to test for Missouri Licensed and Nationally Registered Paramedic.
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Advanced Medical 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.

Typical student progression (take at your own pace or get it done in 16 months):

Start Date	Courses	Tuition
Only included if A&P not already obtained	Anatomy and Physiology I	One payment of \$1,000 (or take on your own)
	Anatomy and Physiology II	One payment of \$1,000 (or take on your own)
First week of January	Paramedicine I	Four monthly payments of \$350
	Paramedicine Clinical Experience I	One payment of \$350
First week of May	Paramedicine II	Four monthly payments of \$350
	Paramedicine Clinical Experience II	One payment of \$350
First week of September	Paramedicine III	Four monthly payments of \$350
	Paramedicine Field Experience	One payment of \$350
varies	Paramedicine Field Internship	One payment of \$350

Tuition includes textbooks, online access codes, uniforms, all course fees, and the first round of National Registry testing fees (both computer-based test and psychomotor test). CMH employees may apply for Medical Excellence Scholarships. 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.

Coursework, classroom activities, and in-class testing will focus on personal safety, teamwork, and exceptional, compassionate patient care. The curriculum is evidence-based and utilizes state-of-the-art equipment and online resources. Extensive use of simulation and scenario education is included. Students will have access to a fully-stocked ambulance, high fidelity manikin, and simulation equipment.

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- Application: <http://ozarksems.com/education-application.php>
- Student Manual: <http://ozarksems.com/edman-2-000.php>
- Syllabus: <http://ozarksems.com/edman-3-490.php>

