

Emergency Medical Technician

EMT 112 7.0 Units
Emergency Medical Technician (Basic)

Prerequisite: EMT 128 with a minimum grade of C. *Course Advisory:* Eligibility for ENGL 001 and SCC minimum Math standard. Based on state Emergency Medical Services Association regulations, the goal of the EMT (Basic) course is to acquire essential assessment & treatment skills for the delivery of prompt, efficient & safe pre-hospital emergency patient care. Application of these emergency care skills can minimize the risk of permanent disability to an individual. The course has lecture/discussion sessions & skills practice time. Students will attend a combined minimum of twenty-four (24) hours of observation time with an emergency department and an ambulance service. This clinical experience must include a minimum of ten (10) documented patient contacts wherein a patient assessment and other EMT skills are performed. Students successfully completing the course are eligible to take the National Registry Emergency Medical Technician (Basic) Exam as required by the state of California for certification. Certification enables students to qualify for employment with ambulance services, fire, or rescue services, search & rescue crews, ski patrol or related pre-hospital emergency care positions. NOTE: By law, applicants for certification must be at least 18 years of age. Students must present current Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers course completion card at the mandatory information session in order to enroll in the course. Can be repeated every 2 years. *Five hours lecture, six hours activity.*

EMT 128 3.0 Units
Emergency Medical Responder

Course Advisory: SCC minimum English and Math standards. Provides the student with the basic emergency care procedures for sick and injured victims as a first responder including but not limited to: cuts, abrasions, broken bones, trauma injuries, burns and respiratory / cardiovascular emergencies. *Five hours lecture, three hours lab (8-week course).*

EMT 213 1.0 Units
Emergency Medical Technician (Basic) Refresher

Prerequisite: EMT 112 or previous EMT 213. *Course Advisory:* SCC minimum English and Math standards. Consists of review and update of EMT 112 course content and focuses on hands-on practice of all pre-hospital emergency skills, meeting the education requirements for EMT renewal. Topics and skills include: legal issues (including HIPAA), trauma, triage, use of airway/ventilation equipment with CPR, automated external defibrillation (AED), patient exam (medical & trauma), assessments and treatments for breathing, cardiovascular, neurologic, musculoskeletal, soft tissue injury, childbirth & environmental emergencies. Students apply assessments and treatments during pre-planned patient care skills scenarios to meet EMSA requirements for skills verification. May repeat every 1-2 years, ad infinitum (as stipulated by EMSA regulations for EMT I refresher and renewal). *Four and one-half hours lecture, four and one-half hours activity (3-week course).*

Emergency Medical Technician I **Job - Direct Certificate**

The required courses must be completed with a grade of C or better.

REQUIRED COURSES	Units
EMT 112 Emergency Medical Technician (Basic)	7
Total Units	7