Emergency Medical Technician - Basic

Technical Diploma: 30-531-3

Campus: Beaver Dam, Fond du Lac and West Bend

Description

Moraine Park Technical College's Emergency Medical Technician - Basic program prepares students for licensure as entry-level ambulance attendants in Wisconsin. Patients' lives often depend on the quick reactions and competent care provided by emergency medical technicians. EMTs respond to emergencies as varied as vehicle crashes, heart attacks, drownings, childbirths, gunshot wounds, strokes, falls, diabetic emergencies and environmental exposures. As an EMT, you will be trained to assess a scene for hazards, assess both sick and injured patients, apply needed care and transport patients to appropriate facilities. Major topics covered in this program include: patient assessment, airway management, medical emergencies, trauma and EMS operations.

Classes will meet two nights per week during the semester.

Students must possess current certification in Basic Life Support to the American Heart Association's Health Care Provider level, or equivalent approved by the Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services.

Students must be 18 years of age at the conclusion of the course to qualify for licensure.

Program Outcomes

- Assess and treat sick and injured patients.
- Administer limited medications.
- Perform Basic Life Support (CPR).
- Transport sick and injured patients to appropriate medical care facilities.

Career Opportunities

- Private ambulance companies
- Volunteer community EMS providers
- Municipal fire departments
- Hospital emergency departments
- Industrial safety positions

Statewide Yearly Salary Range for Recent Graduates

$3,120 - $100,000

Admission Process

- Submit the college admission application.
- Submit the $30 one-time fee.

After completing this course, you must successfully pass the State of Wisconsin EMT - Basic practical examination and the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians written examination to qualify for a Wisconsin EMT - Basic license.

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Course Number	Course Title	Year	2009-2010				2010-2011			
Core Courses		Cr.	S	F	W	P	S	F	W	P
531-301	Emergency Medical Technician - Basic	4								
	Total	4								

Schedule a Course

Academic Planner

Semester Codes: S - Summer F - Fall W - Winter P - Spring

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