

# Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic

Technical Diploma: 31-531-1  
Campus: West Bend

## Description

Moraine Park Technical College's Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic program prepares students to perform pre-hospital medical procedures. People's lives often depend on the quick reaction and competent care of emergency medical technicians (EMTs) and paramedics. Paramedics with additional advanced training can perform more difficult and demanding pre-hospital medical procedures. Incidents as varied as automobile accidents, heart attacks, drowning, childbirth and gunshot wounds all require immediate, professional medical attention. As a paramedic, you will provide this vital attention as you care for and transport the sick or injured. Major topics to be covered include Patient Assessment, Pharmacology, Pediatrics, Ambulance/System Operations, Trauma, Respiratory Emergencies and Medical Emergencies.

The program begins in August every year and requires full-time enrollment. There is not a part-time option for this program. Students must have a current Emergency Medical Technician license to enroll in the Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic program.

## Program Outcomes

- Evaluate and treat medical needs of a patient.
- Administer life-saving medications.
- Perform Advanced Cardiac Life Support.
- Transport sick and injured to definitive medical care facilities.

## Career Opportunities

- Private Ambulance Companies
- Municipal Fire Departments
- Flight Paramedic
- Critical Care Transport Paramedic
- Private emergency response teams
- Hospital emergency and critical care departments

## Statewide Yearly Salary Range for Recent Graduates

\$20,018 - \$51,102

## Admission Process

- Submit the college admission application.
- Submit the \$30 one-time fee.
- Submit high school/other official college transcripts.
- Take the college placement assessment (ACCUPLACER, ACT or other).
- Meet with an admissions specialist to determine the best course sequencing and prerequisites (required for this program).
- Check with Admissions if any additional steps are required.

After completion of this course you must complete the National Registry Exam process to be eligible to apply for an Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic license with the State of Wisconsin.



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Course Number	Course Title	Year	2009-2010					2010-2011						
			Cr.	S	F	W	P	S	F	W	P			
531-151	Paramedic Fundamentals	5												
531-152	Paramedic Pharmacology	4												
531-155	Respiratory Management	2												
531-156	Cardiology I	3												
531-157	Clinical I - EMT/Paramedic	4												
531-158	Cardiology II	3												
531-159	Medical Emergencies	3												
531-164	Paramedic Trauma	3												
531-165	Emergency Care for Specialists	3												
531-166	EMS Operations	3												
531-167	Clinical II - EMT/Paramedic	3												
<b>Total</b>		<b>36</b>												
Schedule a Course														
Academic Planner														
An EMT - Paramedic Exit Assessment is a graduation requirement for this program.														
Students will need to complete Basic Math Proficiency.														
<b>Institutional Requirements</b>														
890-125	Student Success - take 1st semester													
103-159	Computer Literacy/Advanced Standing - take 1st semester													
890-130	Career Development - take 2nd semester													

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

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