

Emergency Medical Technician Program Admission Requirements

Dear Prospective EMT and Paramedic Student,

Thank you for your interest in the EMT program at Volunteer State Community College. Our EMT program is designed to prepare you to enter the work force and provide you with a strong foundation for continuing your Allied Health career. The EMT Certificate program consists of one semester (Fall or Spring) of full time study and is offered in a variety of locations. Seats are limited and the classes usually fill quickly on first come first served basis. **The EMT Basic courses are offered at the following locations:**

DAY CLASSES - (M,T,W,Th 9:00 – 1:00)

VSCC Main Campus
TN State University Avon Williams Campus

EVENING CLASSES – (M,T,W,Th 6:00 – 10:00)

VSCC Main Campus
Austin Peay State University
Wilson County Career Technical Center
Dickson County EMS
Springfield High School
Goodlettsville Fire Department

If interested please return the enclosed application with the appropriate fee as soon as possible. If you are a returning student you should complete the application for readmission, no fee is required for readmission. Be sure to indicate on your application the choice of day or evening classes and your major should be listed as “EMT-Basic.”

Please note that the application process is your first step and is not registration into the classes. There is a onetime \$10.00 non-refundable Vol State Admission application fee. **You must register during one of the official registration periods and attend one of our advising sessions.** You will receive a registration time from the Office of Admissions after your initial application is processed. The chances of getting into the course that you want are greatly enhanced by returning your application as soon as possible. In the event you are not able to get your desired class you may improve your chances for entering the program by completing other core requirements and establishing yourself as a VSCC student. **Before official admission into these programs, students must complete an approved background check. Preference is given to in-state resident applicants.**

ESTIMATED COURSE COSTS –	<u>EMT – Basic/IV</u>	<u>Paramedic</u>
Maintenance (approximately) & Fees	1,658.50	Fall - 1,622.50 Spring – 1,586.50 Summer – 1,568.50
ADDITIONAL EXPENSES	<u>Basic EMT/IV</u>	<u>Paramedic</u>
Textbooks (approximately)	305.00	814.00 (4 semesters)
Professional Liability Insurance	36.00	81.00*
Health physical and Immunizations	150.00	150.00*
Clinical uniform and Supplies	75.00	100.00
Graduation Application fee	25.00	25.00*
Background Check	73.00	73.00
State Fees	200.00	240.00
NREMT Exam fee	<u>70.00</u>	<u>110.00</u>
	934 .00	1,593.00

***If not previously paid or provided**

As a student you are required to complete clinical rotations through area hospitals and Emergency Medical Services. Your clinical times will be assigned in the classroom and are to be completed outside your regular schedule. If you have any additional questions concerning the EMT program, please feel free to contact us at (615) 230-3346 or visit our Web Site at www.volstate.edu/emt/.

Sincerely,
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