

VOLUNTEER STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
BASIC EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY CLINICAL
EMT 101C – 451, 452, 453, 455, 456, 457, S01, S02
(Two Semester Hours)

COURSE SYLLABUS

**CATALOGUE
DESCRIPTION:**

Supervised clinical application of skills developed in EMT 101. Emphasis on patient assessment, communication, ambulance operations, and patient care in accordance with the Tennessee Department of Health, Division of Emergency Medical Services rules and regulations on convalescent or emergency ambulances and hospital emergency rooms as well as IV fluid therapy initiation and medication administration in the pre-hospital and emergency department setting.

FOR YEAR:

2012 (Spring)

PREREQUISITE:

18 YEARS OF AGE, VALID DRIVERS LICENSE, HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR GED, ACCEPTABLE BACKGROUND CHECK PRIOR TO ADMISSION INTO THE EMT PROGRAM.

CO REQUISITE:

EMT 101, EMT 104 and EMT 121

COLLEGE CONTACTS:

EMS Education 615.230.3346

Robert W. Davis Program Director
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EMT Clinical Coordinator

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OFFICE HOURS:

BY APPOINTMENT

CLINICAL TIME:

Friday or Saturday or Sunday (Time TBD)
STUDENTS WILL BE SCHEDULING THEIR CLINICAL EXPERIENCES ON THE FISDAP COMPUTER SCHEDULER. REPORTS ARE DUE ON FISDAP NO LATER THAN 72 HOURS AFTER COMPLETION OF THE CLINICAL EXPERIENCE.

CLINICAL BENCHMARKS:

Students must complete a minimum of 56 clinical hours
36 hrs of Ambulance and 20 hrs of ER clinical experiences
Students must achieve 5 documented successful IV starts
Students must complete 20 documented patient contacts

**ASSESSMENT
TECHNIQUES:**

Mastery of specific outcome statements will be assessed through clinical participation, skills test, written reports and oral questioning. Successfully passing the State of Tennessee Emergency Medical Technician-IV licensure written and practical exams will also assess mastery of specific outcome statements.

**ATTENDANCE
POLICY:**

Students MUST complete clinical experiences as scheduled. Clinical experiences may be considered Absent W/permission and made up at the discretion of the EMT Clinical Coordinator. A second clinical absence requires the student withdraw from the program or receive an "F" grade for the course.

**GRADING
POLICIES:**

- A Meets or exceeds hours and meets benchmarks
- B Meets benchmarks but had delinquent FSDAP reports
- C Meets benchmarks but rescheduled clinical assignments
- F Lacks clinical hours and did not meet benchmarks

**AMERICANS
DISABILITIES ACT:**

Volunteer State Community College is an equal opportunity Affirmative Action Educational Institution. No person shall be excluded from participation in, be denied benefit of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity of the College because of race, color, national origin, or handicap.

For Students With Disabilities:

It is the student's responsibility to self-identify with the Office of Disability Services to receive accommodations and services in accordance with Section 504 of The Rehabilitation Act and The Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADAAA). Only those students with appropriate documentation and who are registered with the Office of Disability Services will receive accommodations. For further information, contact the Office of Disability Services at (615) 230-3472, online by visiting www.volstate/disability or visit the office which is located in Room 108, Wood Campus Center.

**ADDITIONAL
EXPENSES:**

- The student will incur some additional expenses during the course. Some of these expenses will include:
- A. Travel to class and clinicals
 - B. Liability Insurance
 - C. Criminal Background Check
 - D. Physical Examination, TB test, and Lab work
 - E. Clinical uniforms
 - F. Examination and testing fees
 - 1) National Registry exam fee
 - 2) State Application Fee
 - 3) State Licensing Fee