

EMS252 : Paramedic Internship Prep

General Information

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Course Code (CB01) :	EMS252
Course Title (CB02) :	Paramedic Internship Prep
Department:	EMS
Proposal Start:	Spring 2025
TOP Code (CB03) :	(1251.00) Paramedic*
CIP Code:	(51.0904) Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic).
SAM Code (CB09) :	Advanced Occupational
Distance Education Approved:	No
Will this course be taught asynchronously?:	No
Course Control Number (CB00) :	CCC000642897
Curriculum Committee Approval Date:	10/25/2023
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Last Cyclical Review Date:	10/25/2023
Course Description and Course Note:	EMS 252 readies the paramedic student to embark on their 480-hour internship, (EMS 260 and 261). The course shows how to implement paramedic concepts and skills techniques used in the field. Students practice patient assessment, treatment, and documentation. This course prepares students to have their uniforms and have proper documentation to begin their internship as a paramedic. The student is paired with an appropriate Advanced Life Support (ALS) agency upon completion of all health files.
Justification:	New Course
Academic Career:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Credit
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Academic Senate Discipline

Primary Discipline:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Emergency Medical Technologies
Alternate Discipline:	
Alternate Discipline:	

Course Development

Basic Skill Status (CB08)

Course is not a basic skills course.

Allow Students to Gain Credit by Exam/Challenge

Course Special Class Status (CB13)

Course is not a special class.

Pre-Collegiate Level (CB21)

Not applicable.

Grading Basis

- Grade with Pass / No-Pass Option

Course Support Course Status (CB26)

Course is not a support course

Transferability & Gen. Ed. Options

General Education Status (CB25)

Not Applicable

Transferability

Not transferable

Transferability Status

Not transferable

Units and Hours

Summary

Minimum Credit Units (CB07) 1

Maximum Credit Units (CB06) 1

Total Course In-Class (Contact) Hours 36

Total Course Out-of-Class Hours 36

Total Student Learning Hours 72

Credit / Non-Credit Options

Course Type (CB04)

Credit - Degree Applicable

Noncredit Course Category (CB22)

Credit Course.

Noncredit Special Characteristics

No Value

Course Classification Code (CB11)

Credit Course.

Variable Credit Course

Funding Agency Category (CB23)

Not Applicable.

Cooperative Work Experience

Education Status (CB10)

Weekly Student Hours

	In Class	Out of Class
Lecture Hours	1	2
Laboratory Hours	1	0
Studio Hours	0	0

Course Student Hours

Course Duration (Weeks)	18
Hours per unit divisor	54
Course In-Class (Contact) Hours	
Lecture	18

Laboratory	18
Studio	0
Total	36

Course Out-of-Class Hours

Lecture	36
Laboratory	0
Studio	0
Total	36

Time Commitment Notes for Students

No value

Units and Hours - Weekly Specialty Hours

Activity Name	Type	In Class	Out of Class
No Value	No Value	No Value	No Value

Pre-requisites, Co-requisites, Anti-requisites and Advisories

Prerequisite

EMS240 - Fundamentals of Paramedic Practice (in-development)

Outcomes

- List body structures and systems.
- Associate how disease or trauma affects each body system and structure.
- Write patient documentation correctly.
- Perform proper technique for aseptic IV therapy.

AND

Prerequisite

EMS242 - Pharmacology (in-development)

Outcomes

- Recall and apply applicable laws affecting prehospital medications.
- Determine indications and contraindications for prehospital medications.
- Identify, manipulate and solve medication dose formulas for both adult and pediatric patients.

AND

Prerequisite

EMS244 - Medical Emergencies (in-development)

Outcomes

- Compare pathophysiology and a specific disease.
- Summarize how disease affects a certain body system.
- Perform the correct assessment and treatment of a medical patient.

AND

Co-Requisite

EMS246 - Diverse Patient Populations (in-development)

AND**Co-Requisite**

EMS248 - Cardiology (in-development)

AND**Co-Requisite**

EMS250 - Trauma Emergencies (in-development)

Entry Standards

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No value

Course Limitations

Cross Listed or Equivalent Course

Description

No value

No value

Specifications**Methods of Instruction**

Methods of Instruction

Demonstrations

Methods of Instruction

Lecture

Out of Class Assignments

- Written lab reports (e.g. patient assessments)

Methods of Evaluation**Rationale**

Writing Assignment

Evaluation of patient care reports

Textbook Rationale

No Value

Textbooks

Author	Title	Publisher	Date	ISBN
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No Value	No Value	No Value	No Value	No Value
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Other Instructional Materials (i.e. OER, handouts)

Description	To be determined by Instructor and discipline field
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Author	No value
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Citation	No value
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Online Resource(s)	
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Materials Fee

No value

Learning Outcomes and Objectives

Course Objectives

Review paramedic's role in a prehospital environment as part of a healthcare team.

Complete the necessary documents and supplies to begin the internship.

Demonstrate proficiency in documentation by utilizing accepted medical chart format and terminology.

SLOs

Formulate a prehospital patient-centered plan of care for a patient Advanced Life Support unit. Expected Outcome Performance: 70.0

Evaluate health information using critical thinking and independent judgement skills to care for patients in the prehospital environment. Expected Outcome Performance: 70.0

Additional SLO Information

Does this proposal include revisions that might improve student attainment of course learning outcomes?

No

Is this proposal submitted in response to learning outcomes assessment data?

No

If yes was selected in either of the above questions for learning outcomes, explain and attach evidence of discussions about learning outcomes.

No Value

SLO Evidence

No Value

Course Content

Lecture Content

Introduction (9 hours)

- Patient assessment review
 - Reiterate the importance of assessing diverse populations
- Patient treatment review
 - Restate the various treatment modalities for diverse populations
- Culturally competent communication and treatment plans; awareness of cultural diversity and its possible impact on treatment
Reply

Patient documentation (9 hours)

- Correct patient documentation

Total Hours: 18

Laboratory/Studio Content

Laboratory (18 hours)

- Uniform inspection
- Issue paramedic internship paperwork
- Assign shift and location for student

Total Hours: 18