# **EMS260**: Paramedic Internship I

### **General Information**

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Course Code (CB01): EMS260

Course Title (CB02): Paramedic Internship I

Department:

**Proposal Start:** Summer 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?:

Nο

Course Control Number (CB00): CCC000642898 **Curriculum Committee Approval Date:** 10/25/2023 **Board of Trustees Approval Date:** 01/09/2024 10/25/2023 Last Cyclical Review Date:

**Course Description and Course Note:** 

EMS 260 provides the first course of a proctored internship to develop paramedic skills in a field setting. Students perform as members and leaders of an Advanced Life Support (ALS) team. During this phase of the internship, students apply learned skills and abilities in the paramedic course to the assessment and treatment of patients from diverse backgrounds and experiences. Note: This course is pass/no pass only.

Justification: **New Course** 

**Academic Career:** Credit

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### **Academic Senate Discipline**

**Primary Discipline:** 

**Emergency Medical Technologies** 

Alternate Discipline: Alternate Discipline:

# Basic Skill Status (CB08) Course Special Class Status (CB13) Course is not a basic skills course. Course is not a special class. Course is not a special class. Pass / No-Pass Only Pre-Collegiate Level (CB21) Course Support Course Status (CB26) Not applicable. Course is not a support course

Transferability & Gen. Ed. Options			
General Education Status (CB25)			
Not Applicable			
Transferability	Transferability Status		
Not transferable	Not transferable		

# **Units and Hours Summary Minimum Credit Units** 4.5 (CB07) **Maximum Credit Units** 4.5 (CB06) **Total Course In-Class** 240 (Contact) Hours **Total Course Out-of-Class** 0 **Hours Total Student Learning** 240 Hours **Credit / Non-Credit Options** Course Type (CB04) **Noncredit Course Category (CB22) Noncredit Special Characteristics** Credit - Degree Applicable Credit Course. No Value **Course Classification Code (CB11) Funding Agency Category (CB23)** Cooperative Work Experience Education Status (CB10) Credit Course. Not Applicable. Variable Credit Course **Weekly Student Hours Course Student Hours** In Class **Out of Class Course Duration (Weeks)** 18 Lecture Hours Hours per unit divisor 54

**Course In-Class (Contact) Hours** 

Lecture

0

Laboratory

Studio Hours

Hours

13.5

0

0

Laboratory	240		
Studio	0		
Total	240		
Course Out-of-Class H	ours		
Lecture	0		
Laboratory	0		
Studio	0		
Total	0		

## **Time Commitment Notes for Students**

Student must complete 240 clock hours

Units and Hours - Weekly Specialty Hours			
Activity Name	Туре	In Class	Out of Class
No Value	No Value	No Value	No Value

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

# **Prerequisite**

EMS252 - Paramedic Internship Prep (in-development)

### **Outcomes 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.

Entry Standards	
Entry Standards	
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		Discussion			
Methods of Instruction		Field Activities (Trips)			
Out of Class Assignments					
<ul><li>Patient care reports</li><li>Self-evaluation</li></ul>					
Methods of Evaluation		Rationale			
Evaluation		Preceptor paramedic evaluation of student			
Report		Patient care reports			
Evaluation		Student self-evaluation			
Textbook Rationale					
No Value					
Textbooks					
Author	Title		Publisher	Date	ISBN
No Value	No Value		No Value	No Value	No Value
Other Instructional Materials (i.e. OER, handouts)					
Description	Description Paramedic Clinical Experience Manual Hospital/Health Facility and Field Rotation			ield Rotation	

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Citation No value Online Resource(s)	
Materials Fee	
No value	
Learning Outcomes and Objectives	
Course Objectives	
Provide proof of twenty-five (25) ALS patient contacts and ten (10) exp	periences as team lead.
Describe the prehospital system of patient care and the role of the Par	amedic.
Practice effective professional skills and abilities as a paramedic.	
SLOs	
Perform safe paramedic care through correct patient assessment and	d treatment in the prehospital environment.  Expected Outcome Performance: 70.0
Employ critical thinking, independent judgement, teamwork and col	laboration in an Advanced Life Support unit.  Expected Outcome Performance: 70.0
Additional SLO Information	
Does this proposal include revisions that might improve student a No	attainment of course learning outcomes?
Is this proposal submitted in response to learning outcomes asses	sment data?
If yes was selected in either of the above questions for learning or outcomes.	utcomes, explain and attach evidence of discussions about learning
No Value	
SLO Evidence No Value	
Course Content	

**Lecture Content** 

## Laboratory/Studio Content

### Internship (240 hours)

- On-the job shadowing of current paramedic
- Adherence to local EMS Protocols
  - Appropriately respond to diverse populations
- Perform a minimum twenty-four (24) ALS patient contacts
- Perform at least 12 ALS patient contacts in the team lead role providing full continuum of care from the scene to receiving facility.
- Provide patient-centered care—identify, respect, and care about patients' differences, values, preferences, and expressed needs.

**Total hours: 240**