Course Prefix and Number: EMTP 100

Credit hours: 8

Course Title: Emergency Medical Technician

Course Prerequisites: ACT of 15 in the reading sub-area or appropriate BPCC placement test.
Must have a high school diploma or GED and must be 18 years of age by last day of the class


Course Description: This course is designed to prepare the student to function competently as an Emergency Medical Technician. The course also prepares the student to sit for the National Registry written which is required to become an EMT in the State of Louisiana. The student will learn how to assess and treat patients with a variety of injuries or illnesses in the out-of-hospital environmental.

Learning Outcomes:

At the end of the course, the student will

A. integrate skills and knowledge to function as an Emergency Medical Technician.

To achieve the learning outcomes, the student will

1. recognize the nature and seriousness of the patient’s condition or extent of injuries to assess requirements for emergency medical care. (A)
2. administer appropriate emergency medical care based on assessment findings of the patient’s condition. (A)
3. describe the role of an entry level EMT within the emergency medical service and within the continuum of patient care. (A)
4. explain the stress related to emergency medicine and describe ways in which to deal with this stress. (A)
5. define medical, legal and ethical issues related to practice as an EMT. (A)

Course Requirements: To earn a grade of “C” or higher the student must earn 70% of the total points for the course and meet all of the following course requirements.

- Pass 3 out of 5 module exams.
- Pass the comprehensive final exam.
- The course may be offered in an online or hybrid format. Students will still be required to come to campus to participate in orientation, some classroom activities and to take exams. **This is not an entirely online course.**

**Course Grading Scale**

- **A-** 90% or more of total possible points and met all course requirements
- **B-** 80-89% of total possible points and met all course requirements
- **C-** 70-79% of total possible points and met all course requirements
- **D-** 60-69% of total possible points and met all course requirements
- **F-** less than 60% of total possible points or failure to meet any of the course requirements

**Attendance Policy:** The college attendance policy, which is available at [http://www.bpcc.edu/catalog/current/academicpolicies.html](http://www.bpcc.edu/catalog/current/academicpolicies.html), allows that “more restrictive attendance requirements may apply to some specialized classes such as laboratory, activity, and clinical courses because of the nature of those courses.” The attendance policy of the EMT program is described in the EMT Student Handbook.

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