

Emergency Medical Technician



OVERVIEW:

This intensive course includes lectures and hands-on practice of techniques taught: introduction to emergency care, bleeding and shock, soft tissue injuries, environmental emergencies, lifting and moving patients, HIV/AIDS education, emergency childbirth, and much more. At the end of the training, successful participants are qualified for the Washington State NREMT-B examination.

SCHEDULE:

EMT class is offered Fall, Winter and Spring. Class days are Monday and Wednesday nights from 6:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. and Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for 11 weeks. 100% attendance is required.

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS:

- 18 years of age prior to first day of the course.
- High school diploma or GED certificate.
- Current American Heart Association CPR for the Healthcare Provider card or American Red Cross CPR for the Professional Rescuer card or comparable. (We require adult, child, infant CPR and training on an AED. If your card doesn't list these four things, it's the wrong card.)
- Physical strength adequate to perform the normal functions of an EMT.
- Successfully pass a Washington State Patrol criminal background check, an OIG (Office of Inspector General) background check, and a GSA (General Services Administration) background check. The College conducts these searches at no cost to the applicant.
- Verification of immunizations.
- Verification of health insurance.

NOTE: Students have one year from the completion of the course to meet the affiliation requirement to be certified by the State of Washington. Affiliated status with a fire department or ambulance service, must be attained before participants are recognized by the State for EMT Certification [*Washington State requires EMTs complete 10 hours of continuing education each year of certification.*]

- Continuing education classes for EMTs are offered here at the campus during the month of October. Call 425-388-9591 for specific dates.

APPLICATION AND ADMISSION PROCESS:

The application material is included in this guide. Verification is required for everything on the "Immunization Checklist". **Two Hepatitis B shots must be completed before class begins. Please note that after receiving the first Hep-B shot the second cannot be given for another thirty days. A current TB test within a year from shot given date is required. All forms and attachments must be submitted as a completed packet; incomplete packets will not be accepted.**

Applications are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Successful applicants will be contacted and will receive permission to register.

A WSP Background Check, an OIG (Office of Inspector General) check, and a GSA (General Services Administration) check are done on each applicant. Although the College may allow you to attend class if you have a record, you may be eliminated from participating in the ER rotation and/or state certification. If you have a record, contact the Washington State Department of Health at 800-458-5281 for more information.

**For further program and application information:
 call 425-388-9591
 or send email to: dleaf@everettcc.edu**

COST ESTIMATE:

Class and supply fee	\$938.85
Parking	21.00
Technology fee	35.00
Textbook:	80.00
Scantrons:	1.00 for 6
Blood Pressure Cuff and Stethoscope	\$50.00 - \$60.00
Note: workbook is optional @ additional \$80.00	

REFUNDS:

This is a self support program that uses student fees for all class costs. To receive a 100% refund, you must officially withdraw in Enrollment Services by Friday of the first week of class. There is no 50% refund for self-support classes. This policy applies to both individuals and agencies.

APPLICATION MATERIALS

Please use the application materials in this guide. Complete all items and include attachments as requested; applications missing attachment(s) will be returned. Please note: **we do not make copies of your documents for you; photocopies must be stapled to your application.**

1. Photocopy/current Washington State driver's license or other photo ID.
2. Photocopy/high school diploma or GED certification.
3. Photocopy/six immunization verifications; use the immunization record to assure that you submit the proper verifications.
4. Photocopy/CPR for the Healthcare Provider or CPR for the Professional Rescuer card.
5. Photocopy/proof of current health insurance coverage.

**Submit application material to:
Everett Community College
Emergency Services Programs
Index Hall, Room 102
2000 Tower Street
Everett WA 98201
425-388-9591**

Contacts for CPR Training

I Know CPR – 360-651-7502 – American Heart Association Health Care Provider Certification
CPR4U – 425-870-9963 – American Heart Association Health Care Provider Certification
American Red Cross – 425-252-4103 – CPR for the Professional Rescuer

About Everett Community College

Improve your personal skills, discover new ideas, prepare for work and/or university transfer, and improve your career prospects through programs at EvCC.

Each term, about 9,800 students enroll in a wide variety of courses. Day, evening, distance, and workplace-based options are available. Students may enroll on a full-time or part-time basis. EvCC offers two-year associate degrees, short-term certificates, endorsements and industry certifications.

Student life can be active. Currently, EvCC offers athletic programs in basketball, baseball, and soccer, to name a few.

Student clubs range from Phi Theta Kappa (the Honor Society) to the United Native American Council to the International Club to the German Club, and more. Our Student Government and Programs Board are always on the go with activities that make college life fun. There are also opportunities to develop leadership skills.

Student services are designed to support students in their studies, remove barriers, and enrich student life. Financial aid services offer grant and loan opportunities, as well as scholarships. Our Counseling, Advising and Career Center has a rich array of information and personal assistance for students. The Multicultural Services Center supports student activities that promote growth and opportunity toward cultural understanding.

Former EvCC students have found employment in business and industry, in small business, in community service agencies, in schools, and in other locales. Our transfer students are known to do very well at the UW, WWU and other schools.

Community College does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, creed, color, national origin, age, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, the presence of any physical, sensory or mental disability, or status as a disabled or Vietnam era veteran in its program and activities, or employment. The Vice President of Student Services has been designated to handle inquiries regarding student-related non-discrimination policies and can be reached at 2000 Tower Street, Everett, WA 98201, or by phone at (425)388-9589. The Vice President of Human Resources has been designated to handle employment-related inquiries regarding the non-discrimination policies and can be reached at 2000 Tower Street, Everett, WA 98201, or by phone at (425)388-9232. This publication is effective **JANUARY 2010**. The College reserves the right to change courses, programs, degrees and requirements. It is the student's responsibility to be aware of correct information by routinely checking with Enrollment Services and/or the advisors listed in this publication. Requirements applicable to all certificates and degrees are published in the College Catalog. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to create any offer to contract or any contractual rights. For more information, call 425-388-9219, Everett Community College, 2000 Tower Street, Everett, WA 98201, www.everettcc.edu

EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN TRAINING APPLICATION

Completion of this application does not guarantee admission to the EMT training class. Incomplete applications will not be accepted. Submit all required attachments. Be certain to sign the application. Successful applicants will be notified by mail or e-mail and will receive permission to register.

Please Print

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Name _____ Soc. Sec. #* _____
(required for background check)
Address _____ Birthdate _____
City _____ Zip _____
Home Phone # _____ E-mail _____
Cell Phone # _____ Student ID # _____
High School Graduate? Yes No Year _____ GED Certificate? Yes No Year _____
Physically able to do the work of an EMT? Yes No Funding: Financial Aid Work First VA

2. AGENCY AFFILIATION: [Not required for non-affiliated applicants; not required to apply for training.]

Provide the following information for your affiliated emergency agency. NOTE: Participants who are not affiliated have one year from the completion of this course to meet the affiliation requirement to be certified by the State of Washington. See paragraph 7B on the first page of this guide.

Agency/District _____
Chief/Supervisor: _____ Phone _____
Mailing Address _____
Signature of Chief or Supervisor _____

NOTE: Affiliated students must submit all attachments (current photo ID, high school diploma or GED certificate, verification of six immunizations, health insurance, CPR) whether or not the affiliating agency has the paperwork on file.

3. RELEASE AUTHORIZATION:

Criminal Background, OIG (Office of Inspector General), GSA (General Services Administration) checks are processed on each incoming student. Your signature on the bottom of this form gives permission to request background check information from various state and federal agencies. Refusal to allow such processing will result in clinical facilities denying access to the student. In addition, if a 'less than satisfactory' rating is assigned to the student, clinical facilities will deny access to the student. While entrance to the EMT class will not be denied if a 'less than satisfactory' rating results, without access to the clinical facilities, student will be unable to satisfactorily complete the EMT training courses.

- I request and authorize the Emergency Services Programs Office to obtain on my behalf the information needed for entry into the EMT Training. I am aware and agree that this information may be shared with the clinical sites that are a required part of this educational program,
- If applicable, I agree to allow the instructor(s) of this course to talk with the person listed above from the affiliating agency regarding my progress and performance in this course.
- I have reviewed the information presented on this form and I agree that it is correct as stated,

Signature (required) _____ **Date** _____

You must attach:

- Photocopy/current Washington State driver's license or other photo ID
- Photocopy/high school diploma or GED certification.
- Photocopy/six immunization verifications; use the immunization checklist on the last page of this guide to assure that you submit the proper verifications.
- Photocopy/CPR for the Healthcare Provider or CPR for the Professional Rescuer – current card.
- Photocopy/proof of current health insurance coverage.

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IMMUNIZATIONS CHECKLIST

- Instructions: Because you will be completing a ride-along in an ambulance and observing in a hospital emergency room as part of this training, you are required to submit documentation of immunizations at the time you apply for the class. Documentation consists of signed and dated records of the immunization administration from your health care provider regarding each immunization. A **“titer” is a blood test that shows whether or not you are immune to the disease.**
- **Immunization verifications are required at the time you submit your application for the EMT class.** Use this as a checklist, and attach your verification forms.
- Clinical Rotation Requirements: You may need to provide verification of your immunizations to the rotation sites. Please make copies of your immunization records to take with you.

Immunization Requirements

Office Use

#1 HEPATITIS B SERIES	Guideline: Students must have verification of the first two doses as the time of application.	
3 immunizations or titer test	1 st dose administered	
	2 nd dose is administered at least 30 days after the 1st dose.	
	3 rd dose is administered at least 4 months after the 1st dose.	
#2 PPD—Tuberculosis	Guideline: Tuberculin skin test must be current within the last 12 months, unless a test has shown 10 or more mm of induration. (Tine test is NOT acceptable)	
	If your PPD is positive , you must have a chest -ray and provide written results and personal statement of no symptoms of TB from your physician.	
#3 VARICELLA--Chickenpox 1 st and 2 nd immunizations or titer	Guideline: A positive serology or two doses of varicella vaccine 4 weeks apart is required.	
#4 MMR-- Measles, Mumps, Rubella 1 st and 2 nd dose or titers for each	Guideline: Injection + booster or positive serology (titers) are required.	
#5 DIPHTHERIA/TETANUS	Guideline: A booster every 10 years is required. Tdap is required if tetanus is more than 2 years old for Healthcare Providers.	
#6 INFLUENZA	Guideline: Required for students taking the January – March EMT class	
OTHER REQUIREMENTS		
CPR Card	Copy of CPR for Healthcare Provider or CPR for Professional Rescuer card	
Insurance	Copy of health insurance card	
Diploma	High school diploma or GED	
ID	Photo ID	