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Re: Addendum 1.6 – Program Catalog & Student Reference Guide

Section: Program Information

New Section: Program Overviews



**Emergency Medical Responder**

This course is generally 40 hours long and will prepare students to serve outside the hospital administering pre-hospital care. Their primary focus is to initiate immediate lifesaving care to patients while ensuring patient access to the emergency medical services system. EMRs possess the basic knowledge and skills necessary to provide lifesaving interventions.

*Course not offered at CSRIPS.*



**Emergency Medical Technician-Basic**

The EMT-Basic course prepares students to become an EMT whose primary function provide pre-hospital care. They will respond to, assess, and triage emergent, urgent, and non-urgent requests for medical care, apply basic knowledge and skills necessary to provide patient care and medical transportation to/from an emergency or health care facility. Students must pass the National Registry Exam and apply for Florida state licensure.



**Advanced- Emergency Medical Technician**

Additional preparation beyond EMT prepares an AEMT to improve patient care in common emergency conditions for which reasonably safe, targeted, and evidence-based interventions exist. This course is currently not required to apply for a Florida EMT license.

*Course not offered at CSRIPS.*



**EMT-Paramedic**

Prerequisite: EMT State License

This more advance course will prepare the paramedic to administer medications, interpret and use diagnostic findings to implement treatment and provide complex patient care. Students must pass the National Registry Exam and apply for state licensure to practice in the state of Florida.

*Despite the course name, this is not a combination EMT and Paramedic course.*



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### **Firefighter I&II**

Prerequisite: EMT-Basic or EMT-Paramedic Course completion

Also referred to as minimum standards, equips students with minimum qualifications for professional firefighters. Students must complete the state practical and written exam for state licensure.