

Emergency Medical Technology-Paramedic



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Paramedic Certificate

As a first-responder, a paramedic's main goal is to prevent and reduce mortality and morbidity due to illness and injury.

Many firefighters must also be certified paramedics.

Paramedics:

- » Work under the direction of a physician to recognize, assess, and manage medical emergencies of acutely ill or injured patients
- » Possess basic skills to open up airways, restore breathing, control bleeding, treat shock, and administer oxygen
- May administer drugs, interpret
 electrocardiograms, perform endotracheal
 intubation, and use other complex equipment.

How long does it take to complete this program and be job-ready?

- » 12 month program, three days a week
- » Sessions start each spring and fall.

Must be a certified EMT Basic to apply.





Credential

Lakeland's program graduates are eligible to take the national exam to become a certified paramedic.

How to Start

Contact the program director for details to start in the next session.

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Curriculum

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The Lakeland Community College EMT and Paramedic Program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs upon the recommendation of the Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Professions (CoAEMSP). Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs, 9355 - 113th St. N, #7709, Seminole, FL 33775; 727.210.2350; www.caahep.org To contact CoAEMSP: 8301 Lakeview Parkway, Suite 111-312, Rowlett, TX 75088; 214.703.8445; Fax: 214.703.8992. The EMT and Paramedic Program is also accredited by the Ohio State Board of Emergency Medical Fire and Transportation Services, Ohio Department of Public Safety (state certification), 1970 West Board St., Columbus, OH 43223.

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Quality Education

Professors at Lakeland are experts in their fields with real-world experience. Lakeland prepares you for a high-demand career or for transfer to a four-year college or university.

Affordable Tuition

Lakeland's tuition is about one-third the cost of most four-year schools. Many students are eligible to receive some form of financial assistance.

Convenience

Lakeland offers convenient day, evening, weekend and online courses.

Focus on Students

Lakeland offers a variety of student services to help you succeed, such as counseling, tutoring, computer labs, careers services, free parking and affordable child care.

