

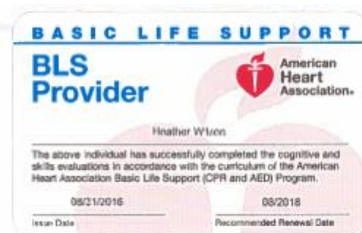


## EMS Information

Emergency Medical Services (EMS) has been, and is projected to continue to be, a growing field, with an expected 6% increase in jobs for the next five years. EMS provider certifications including Emergency Medical Technician (EMT), Advanced EMT, and Paramedic. EMTs and Paramedics work on ambulances and in the hospital setting, as well as in a variety of other settings.

Details about the EMT course:

- Students will be required to take BOTH EMS 111 (Lecture and Lab) and EMS 120 (Clinical and Field Educational experiences).
  - The EMS 111 course is a one-semester course delivered via the hybrid format (a blend of synchronous and asynchronous lecture, coupled with face-to-face instruction for lab/skills). The first night of class consists of orientation to EMS 111.
  - The EMS 120 course will take place typically after the 4<sup>th</sup> week of instruction. Students will have an orientation prior to participation in the EMS 120 course.
- Students who do not have a computer or tablet may utilize the Canvas app on their cell phones to engage in class.
- ALL EMT students must have an American Heart Association BLS Provider CPR card on the **first day of class**.



- Students will be required to have a criminal background check, urinalysis screen, provide proof of immunizations and obtain a health screening before the 2nd week of class.
  - Students experiencing financial hardship and difficulty in meeting these requirements may be eligible for foundation scholarships.
- Students will be required to obtain all required materials as detailed in the “EMT Requirements” checklist.