



BECOME A LIFE LINE
WITH A REWARDING CAREER

Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)

WASHBURNTECH
UNIVERSITY

[HEALTH OCCUPATIONS]

Saving lives, thriving under pressure and caring for people in crisis and pain are key components of this career. Emergency Medical Technicians or EMTs provide emergency care to sick and injured patients, often treating them before they arrive at a hospital. Become a vital link in the healthcare chain as an EMT.

LEARNING AT WASHBURN TECH

The program provides special skills, knowledge and the teamwork concepts necessary for earning certification as an EMT in Kansas. You will receive more than 200 hours of instruction, consisting of both didactic and psychomotor skills in the classroom. Our nine-credit-hour program exceeds state and national requirements, and is based on current information and techniques considered the responsibility of the EMT. Upon completion, you will be prepared to take the national EMT exam. You must be 18 years old to take both the Kansas and national EMT certification exams. You also must be at least 18 years old to take this course.

JOB AND SALARY OUTLOOK

The U.S. Department of Labor predicts good job prospects, due in large part to increasing call volume because of growth in the middle-aged and older population. Locally, community partners have indicated a need for this

profession. There also will be demand for part-time and volunteer EMTs in rural areas. According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the nationwide average salary for an entry-level EMT is \$14 an hour or \$29,121 annually. The average wage is \$18.18 an hour or \$37,806 annually.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

For dual-credit high school students submission of an application, official partial transcript, and consent to enroll form are required. Adult students must complete an application and submit an official copy of all transcripts. Please see an admissions counselor for details.

CERTIFICATIONS

+ Kansas EMT, Nat'l Registry Exam EMT, CPR

Build your best self.

TALK TO AN ADMISSIONS
COUNSELOR TODAY!

785.670.2200

CAREERS FOR AN EMT »

- + county EMT
- + police EMT
- + military EMT
- + EMT trainer
- + ER technician
- + contract EMT
- + offshore EMT
- + industrial EMT



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COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

EMT: FOUNDATIONS OF EMT

This course is approved by the Kansas Board of Emergency Medical Services (KSBEEMS). It is based on current information and techniques considered the responsibility of the EMT according to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, National Standard Curriculum, as enriched by the KSBEEMS Education Standards. This is the initial course in a series of three courses required to complete the EMT program and sit for the national exam. The focus of the first course includes introduction to EMS systems, medical terminology, the human body and introduction to patient assessment. This course exceeds the state and national requirements and consists of 42 hours of didactic and 32 hours of psychomotor skills in the classroom. The curriculum covers didactic and practical skills instruction, skills demonstrations, clinical experience and/or orientation to the emergency room and to the ambulance, extrication class, or in contrived experiences of patient care.

EMT: ASSESSMENT & MEDICAL MANAGEMENT OF PATIENTS

This is the second course in a series of three courses required to complete the EMT program and sit for the national exam. The focus of this course includes patient assessment, airway management, pharmacology, systems review, and special populations. This course exceeds the state and national requirements and consists of 42 hours of didactic and 29 hours of psychomotor skills in the classroom. The curriculum covers didactic and practical skills instruction, skills demonstrations, clinical experience and/or orientation to the emergency room and to the ambulance, extrication class, or in contrived experiences of patient care..

EMT: ASSESSMENT & TRAUMA MANAGEMENT OF PATIENTS & SPECIAL POPULATIONS

This is the final course in a series of three courses required to complete the EMT program and sit for the national exam. The focus of this course includes EMS operations, incident management, final cognitive review and exam, and final practical review and exam. This course exceeds the state and national requirements and consists of 26 hours of didactic and 31 hours of psychomotor skills in the classroom. The curriculum covers didactic and practical skills instruction, skills demonstrations, clinical experience and/or orientation to the emergency room and to the ambulance, extrication class, or in contrived experiences of patient care.



APPLICATION CHECKLIST



**SUBMIT
APPLICATION**



**MEET WITH
ADMISSIONS**



**SUBMIT
TRANSCRIPT(S)**



**ENROLL IN
CLASSES**

2025-2026 PROGRAM COSTS (Estimated)

	HIGH SCHOOL	ADULT
Tuition	\$495	\$1,485
All other fees	\$717	\$879
TOTAL	\$1,212	\$2,364

*Tiered courses are paid by Excel in CTE. Non-tiered courses are paid by the student.

ADDITIONAL CHARGES (Estimated)

	HIGH SCHOOL	ADULT
Tools/Books	\$0	\$0

Please note: Students must be at least 18 years of age to take this program. Financial aid is not available to students who enroll.

MORE INFO »

For more programs, enrollment and course schedule information, please contact Admissions.

CALL 785.670.2200

TO TALK W/ ADMISSIONS COUNSELOR