



Emergency Medical Services

PARAMEDIC

CERTIFICATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE (CAS)

PROGRAM HOURS: 45

Prepare to provide patient care and transportation as a paramedic. Train to perform interventions, under medical oversight, to help in life-threatening situations using the equipment available on an ambulance. Successful program graduates are eligible to sit for the National Registry of Emergency Technicians-Paramedic certification exam. The paramedic program is a select admissions program, meaning there are special admissions requirements for the program.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE (AAS)

PROGRAM HOURS: 60

Build on the knowledge and skills developed in the paramedic program and advance your EMS career. Prepare for a management position in patient care and transportation in the emergency medical services associate degree program. Successful program graduates are eligible to sit for the National Registry of Emergency Technicians-Paramedic certification exam. The emergency medical services program is a select admissions program, meaning there are special admissions requirements for the program.

OFFERED IN

Ghent
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MORE INFORMATION

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FINANCIAL AID ELIGIBLE



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PROGRAM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Must meet general admission requirements for New River Community and Technical College;
- Submit a program admission application;
- Hold current EMT-B certification;
- Participate in an entrance interview with EMS faculty;
- Be eligible for MATH 101 and ENGL 101;
- Prior to placement at clinical sites, students must submit current physical and immunization records to the director of the program;
- Students enrolling in this program are subject to background and/or drug screening.

The New River CTC's EMS program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (www.caahep.org) upon the recommendation of the Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Professions (CoAEMSP), the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT), and the West Virginia Department of Health & Human Resources (WVDHHR).

FREE TUITION FOR IN-DEMAND PROGRAMS

New River CTC's EMS program is eligible for FREE tuition through the West Virginia Invests grant program. For details, visit www.newriver.edu/wv-invests.

HOW TO GET STARTED

- Apply for admission.
- Apply for financial aid (FAFSA), if applicable.
- Complete admission requirements.
- Complete online orientation.
- Schedule an appointment to register for classes.

For additional information, email admissions@newriver.edu.

Program Hour Breakdown

Didactic Learning	368 Hours
Lab Learning	368 Hours
Clinical Learning	308 Hours
Field Learning	100 Hours
Capstone	200 Hours
Total	1344 Hours