



Paramedic Technician (diploma)

38-credit Technical Diploma

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If you have top-notch critical thinking and problem-solving skills, are physically/mentally fit, and can remain calm in stressful situations, paramedic work may be for you. Those in this field encounter different situations each time they respond to a call. They must be great listeners, as emergencies require communication between patient and responders.

About This Program

Paramedics provide emergency pre-hospital care to those experiencing a medical emergency such as illness, injury or trauma. In the diploma program, develop skills in emergency medical systems and paramedic principles; patient assessment; pharmacology, anatomy and physiology; paramedic respiratory and cardiac management; pre-hospital treatment and care; EMS operations; and caring for special populations.



Career Salaries

\$28,200 – \$36,600 annually

Salary range estimates based on wages for related occupations in Waukesha County as reported by Economic Modeling Specialists International (EMSI). Individual wages may vary based on experience, industry, location and specific job requirements.



Potential Careers

Paramedic Technician
Emergency Department Technician
Flight Medic



PROGRAM CODE 31-531-2

Credits

CORE COURSES

531-911	EMS Fundamentals	2
531-912	Paramedic Medical Principles	4
531-913	Patient Assessment Principles	3
531-914	Prehospital Pharmacology	3
531-915	Paramedic Respiratory Mgmt.	2
531-918	Advanced Resuscitation	1
531-919	Paramedic Medical Emergencies	4
531-920	Paramedic Trauma	3
531-921	Special Patient Populations	3
531-922	EMS Operations	1
531-923	Paramedic Capstone	1
531-925	Paramedic Clinical 1	2
531-926	Cardiology I	2
531-927	Cardiology 2	2
531-928	Paramedic Clinical/Field 2	4
531-929	Capstone Field Internship	1

What Makes This Program Unique

- Graduates are eligible for national certification and Wisconsin licensure as an EMT-Paramedic through examination upon completion of the diploma program.
- Students have opportunities to participate in many clinical rotations including emergency departments, operating rooms, OB units, children's hospital and medical examiner office.
- Students also complete an internship with a local fire department or EMS agency.



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