 EMS OPERATIONS FOR THE PARAMEDIC  
Course Syllabus

Course Number: EMTP-0128  
OCAS Code: None  
Course Length: 62 Hours  
Career Cluster: Health Science  
Career Pathway: Therapeutic Services  
Career Major(s): Paramedic

Pre-requisite(s): This course integrates a fundamental knowledge of EMS operational roles and responsibilities to ensure safe and effective response, scene management, and transport.

Textbooks:  

Course Objectives:  
1. Fundamental knowledge of the National Incident Management System.¹
2. Fundamental knowledge of safe air medical operations and patient care implications.¹
3. Fundamental knowledge of the responsibilities of EMS personnel at a hazardous material incident.¹
4. Fundamental knowledge of the risks and responsibilities of EMS personnel during support of rescue operations.¹
5. Complex knowledge of triage and medical sector operations.¹
6. Fundamental knowledge of the role of EMS during a public health emergency.¹
7. Complex knowledge of the role and responsibility of EMS in preparing for and responding to disasters, terrorism, mass casualty incident and weapons of mass destruction (WMD).¹

¹ ODCTE Objective  
All unmarked objectives are TTC instructor developed.

Teaching Methods: The class will primarily be taught by the lecture and demonstration method and supported by various media materials to address various learning styles. There will be question and answer sessions over material covered in lecture and media presentations. Supervised lab time is provided for students to complete required projects.

Grading Procedures:  
1. Students are graded on theory and lab practice and performance.
2. Students are only eligible to test for their license with an 80% or better GPA
3. Each course must be passed with seventy (70%) percent or better.
4. Grading scale: A=90-100%, B=80-89%, C=70-79%, D=60-69%, F=50-59%.
5. Career Major grades established during coursework are a major criteria in successfully obtaining certification.
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**Description of Classroom, Laboratories, and Equipment:**
Tulsa Technology Center campuses are owned and operated by Tulsa Technology Center School District No. 18. All programs provide students the opportunity to work with professionally certified instructors in modern, well-equipped facilities.

**Available Certifications/College Credit:**
The student may be eligible to take state, national or industry exam after completion of the program. College credit may be issued from Oklahoma State University-Okmulgee or Tulsa Community College. See program counselor for additional information.

**College Credit Eligibility:**
The student must maintain a grade point average of 2.0 or better.