PARAMEDIC PATIENT ASSESSMENT
Course Syllabus

Course Number: EMTP-0211  
OHLAP Credit: No

OCAS Code: None

Course Length: 57 Hours

Career Cluster: Health Science

Career Pathway: Therapeutic Services

Career Major(s): Paramedic

Pre-requisite(s):

Course Description: This course integrates the scene and patient assessment findings with an understanding of epidemiology and pathophysiology to form a field impression. This includes developing a list of differential diagnoses through clinical reasoning to modify the assessment and to formulate a treatment plan.


Course Objectives:  
1. Complex knowledge of scene management and patient care.¹  
2. Complex knowledge of the initial assessment for all patient situations.¹  
3. Complex knowledge of history taking, including: components of the patient history, interviewing techniques, integrating therapeutic communication techniques and adapting the line of inquiry based on findings and presentation.¹  
4. Comprehensive knowledge of detailed assessment for all patient situations.¹  
5. Fundamental knowledge of obtaining and using information from patient monitoring devices within the scope of practice of the paramedic.¹  
6. Comprehensive knowledge of assessment techniques for all patient situations.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.