

City College of San Francisco

Mission Campus

SPRING SEMESTER
JANUARY 14 - MAY 21, 2009

Emergency Medical Technician

This program will assist the EMT trainees to develop skills in areas of specialized emergency problems, initial patient assessment care, emergency transportation and communication. This is a prerequisite to Paramedic Training. Successful completion of this course may lead to EMT - B certification from a California Emergency Services Agency, providing the student does not have anything that would preclude certification by the EMS Agency (certain types of criminal record), etc. If you have concerns regarding your particular record, call the S.F. EMS Agency at (415) 355-2600.

EMT - B (EMT 100 CRN 38347) is a 12 units course which is held at Mission Campus (Room 269). The class is from 9:00am - 4:30pm on Wednesday and Thursday. In conjunction with EMT 100, EMT - B Clinical (EMT 102) is required which is a 1 unit course that will be on Thursday, hours by arrangement. Registration for EMT 102 is done on the first day of class. Clinical hours will be arranged with the instructor on an individual basis.

PROGRAM LOCATION

Mission Campus (ROOM 269)
1125 Valencia Street
San Francisco, CA 94110
Tel: (415) 920-6000

Instructors: Kenneth Allen/Mary Allen, (415) 561-1900

Program Requirements:

1. 18 years of age minimum
2. U.S. High School Diploma, GED, or equivalent
3. Immunization: Tuberculosis testing while in the program
4. CPR card (Preferred): Professional Rescuer *or* Healthcare Provider Level Certification
5. Following successful completion of the EMT program, California EMT certification requires:
 - a) Proof of Live Scan finger printing – Agency Fee
 - b) Criminal background search – Agency Fee
 - c) Application to EMS Agency – Agency Fee
 - d) National Registry Certification Exam - Agency Fee

Tuition: (Subject to change without prior notice)

\$20.00 per semester unit for California residents
\$179.00 per semester unit for non-residents (plus \$20 per semester unit enrollment fee)
\$16.00 for Student Health Benefit Fee for ALL students
\$200.00 for books/equipment
\$16.00 for material fees

To Enroll:

1. Complete CCSF Application for Admission form and submit to: Admission & Records, E-107, 50 Phelan Ave., S.F., CA 94112 *or* can be done also online: <https://www.ccsf.edu/Forms/application.shtml>
2. You can register online http://www.ccsf.edu/New_Students for EMT 100 (CRN 38347) on or after the day and time indicated on the registration appointment mailed to you.
3. Students will be unable to register once maximum enrollment is reached. ***If space is available, students may register on the first day of instruction at the Mission Campus.***

Financial aid may be available. For further information regarding your eligibility, call 239-3576, Cloud Hall, Room 324, Ocean Campus, 50 Phelan Ave., or financial aid counselor available at Mission Campus.

EMT INFORMATION

What EMT Basic classes are offered?

CCSF offers Emergency Medical Technology Training at 3 campuses throughout the city.

John Adams Campus-

EMT 100- Day Session- meets on Mon and Tue - 9am to 4pm.

EMT100- Evening Session- meets on Mon, Tue, and Wed – 5pm to 10pm.

Mission Campus-

EMT 100- Day Session- meets on Wed and Thu - 9am to 4pm.

Evans Campus-

EMT 101- Day Session- meets every Tuesday from 8am to 5pm.

What do I learn in the EMT Basic classes?

EMT 100 (12 units) and 101(6.5 units) consists of training in basic life support skills necessary to work on an ambulance or rescue unit. It includes training in cardiac, respiratory, and medical emergencies; traumatic injuries; obstetrical and pediatric emergency care; environmental injuries and CPR. This class may lead to EMT certification. This class is a prerequisite to paramedic training.

Is There a Co-requisite to the EMT Basic class?

EMT 102 (1 unit) is taught in conjunction with EMT 100 and 101 and it is a required co-requisite. Registration for this class is only done during the first week of the EMT100/101 course. Students receive clinical experiences by riding along with the San Francisco Fire Department as well as private ambulance services in San Francisco. There are a variety of different dates and shifts for students to meet this requirement. This section will be discussed during the first week of class.

Are there other class requirements for the EMT Basic course?

All students are required to have a TB exam prior to attending the EMT 102 clinical class. TB tests are offered at the student health center. You must submit proof of exam from the health center or any medical clinic, physician, etc. CPR classes are offered at the John Adams and Mission campuses for all EMT students. Students must sign in for one session prior to course completion or if you have attended a CPR class prior to enrollment, you must

submit a copy of your current card. The only level of certification accepted by the Emergency Medical Services Agency is the Health Care Provider level (Heart Association) or CPR for the Professional Rescuer (Red Cross). There is a small fee for this class.

There are associated fees for equipment, textbooks, and study materials. These fees are subject to change and this will be clarified during the first week of class.

How Do I get certified as an EMT in California?

After successful completion of either the EMT 100 or 101 courses you are eligible to take the written **National Registry examination** (\$70.00).

Registration and information for this exam is done online at www.nremt.org.

Following successful completion of the NREMT exam you will need to submit proof of CCSF course certificate, live scan receipt, NREMT exam receipt, CPR card, EMS agency application (\$36.00). You will need to submit proof that you have completed a live scan (approx \$52.00) and background check.

The live scan form and EMS application can be downloaded from the SF EMS Agency at www.sfemsa.org. The EMS agencies are the certifying authority for all EMT students. The SF EMS Agency will not certify candidates with a criminal background. If unsure of your status, call 415-355-2600.

How do I register for classes?

You must first apply to CCSF before you can register for classes. Registration for EMT 100, EMT 101 and EMT 103 is done by going to www.ccsf.edu.

My EMT certification is going to expire, how do I take a refresher?

EMT 103 Refresher (1 unit) meets for 4 Fridays from 9am to 5pm at the John Adams Campus only. The Refresher is for those students who are certified EMTs and need to recertify. The Refresher course is offered twice each semester and provides an update in all areas of prehospital medical care.