



Paramedicine Degree (PT13)- 67 Credit Hours

Program Description:

The Paramedicine degree program prepares students for employment in paramedic positions in today's health services field. The Paramedic diploma program provides learning opportunities that introduce, develop, and reinforce academic and occupational knowledge, skills, and attitudes required for job acquisition, retention, and advancement. The program provides opportunities to upgrade present knowledge and skills from the EMT/EMT-I 1985/AEMT levels to a paramedic level. Successful completion of the program allows the graduate to take the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT) Paramedic certification examination and apply for Georgia licensure with the State Office of Emergency Medical Service and Trauma (SOEMST) as a paramedic. Criminal background checks and drug screens may be required based on the requirements for participation in clinical experiences. Graduates may seek employment in a variety of settings including fire departments, hospitals, ambulance services, local government, and in a number of industries. Starting salaries are approximately \$42,000 per year.

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<https://www.westgatech.edu/program-explorer/public-safety/emergency-medical-services/>

Pre-Degree Requirements					
Program Specific					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Min GPA 2.0 Courses with prerequisites require a grade of C or greater in the prerequisite 					
Set the Track, Start the Track, Stay on Track					
<i>Meet with an Advising Coach to Stay on Track. S = Semester; CR = Credit Hours; FA = Fall; SP = Spring; SU = Summer</i>					
✓	Grade	Semester 1	S	CR	Notes & Milestones
		ENGL 1101 Composition and Rhetoric	ALL	3	Program Admission
		MATH 1111 College Algebra	ALL	3	Program Admission
		AREA II: Choose one (See Catalog)	ALL	3	Choose one List of AREA II Courses
		BIOL 2113 Anatomy and Physiology I	ALL	3	Corequisite: BIOL 2113L
		BIOL 2113L Anatomy and Physiology I Lab	ALL	1	Corequisite: BIOL 2113
				13	Program Semester Hours
✓	Grade	Semester 2	S	CR	Notes & Milestones
		AREA IV: Choose one (See Catalog)	ALL	3	Choose one List of AREA IV Courses
		BIOL 2114 Anatomy and Physiology II	ALL	3	Prerequisite: BIOL 2113/BIOL 2113L Corequisite: BIOL 2114L
		BIOL 2114L Anatomy and Physiology II	ALL	1	Prerequisite: BIOL 2113/BIOL 2113L Corequisite: BIOL 2114
		Additional 3 hours from Area I, II, III or IV (See Catalog)	ALL	3	Choose one: List of AREA I, II, III and IV Courses
				10	Program Semester Hours

✓	Grade	Semester 3	S	CR	Notes & Milestones
		EMSP 2110 Foundation of Paramedicine	SU	3	Program Admission
		EMSP 2120 Application of Pathophysiology for Paramedics	SU	3	Program Admission
		EMSP 2130 Advanced Resuscitative Skills for Paramedics	SU	3	Program Admission
		EMSP 2540 Clinical Applications for the Paramedic IV	SU	1	Program Admission
				10	Program Semester Hours
✓	Grade	Semester 4	S	CR	Notes & Milestones
		EMSP 2140 Advanced Cardiovascular Concepts	FA	4	Program Admission
		EMSP 2310 Therapeutic Modalities of Cardiovascular Care	FA	3	Program Admission
		EMSP 2320 Therapeutic Modalities of Medical Care	FA	5	Program Admission
		EMSP 2510 Clinical Applications for the Paramedic I	FA	2	Program Admission
				14	Program Semester Hours
✓	Grade	Semester 5	S	CR	Notes and Milestones
		EMSP 2330 Therapeutic Modalities of Trauma Care	SP	4	Program Admission
		EMSP 2340 Management of Special Populations	SP	4	Program Admission
		EMSP 2520 Clinical Applications for the Paramedic II	SP	2	Program Admission
		EMSP 2530 Clinical Applications for the Paramedic III	SP	2	Program Admission
				12	Program Semester Hours
✓	Grade	Semester 6	S	CR	Notes and Milestones
		EMSP 2550 Clinical Applications for the Paramedic V	SU	1	Program Admission
		EMSP 2560 Clinical Applications for the Paramedic VI	SU	1	Program Admission
		EMSP 2570 Clinical Applications for the Paramedic VII	SU	1	Program Admission
		EMSP 2710 Field Internship for the Paramedic	SU	2	Program Admission
		EMSP 2720 Practical Applications for the Paramedic	SU	3	Program Admission
				8	Program Semester Hours

Note: If a course is full or unavailable when you to attempt to register, please select an available course from any term listed below, given you have satisfied the required pre-requisite.

Employment Opportunities: <https://www.westgatech.edu/student-life/career-services/>

Financial Aid by Program: <https://www.westgatech.edu/wp-content/uploads/2019/02/WGTC-Available-Aid-By-Program-11-17-2023.pdf>

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