



## EMSTA COLLEGE – EMT BASIC PROGRAM

1. Course Materials:
  - a. AAOS Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured; 11<sup>th</sup> Ed
  - b. Skills Binder
  - c. Uniforms – Required during all class meetings and clinical/field rotations
2. Online Materials:
  - a. EMStesting.com
    - i. This is where you take your blocks, final and adaptive quizzes
    - ii. The Course Schedule lists all block exams, quiz dates, lab days and final exam dates
    - iii. Quizzes will open at 8am and close at 2359 on the dates shown on Course Schedule
    - iv. Please ensure you have access to site on the first day of class
    - iv. Please read all documents listed under “Class Documents” on thumb drive*
3. Prerequisites
  - a. All prerequisites are due on the first day of class
  - b. Students that have not turned in prerequisites will be placed on administrative probation at the end of week 1.
  - c. Students **will be dropped** at the start of the 3rd week of class if they have not turned prerequisites in.
4. Clinical / Field Rotations
  - a. You are required to complete a minimum of 24 hours of clinical experience. Choose one:
    - i. One 8 to 12 hour shift of observation in an Emergency Room **and** one 10-12 hour shift on a BLS unit (ambulance ride a long) – or –
    - ii. Two 10-12 hour shifts on a BLS unit (ambulance ride a long)
  - b. Your instructor will inform you of when to call a local ambulance company to schedule your shift(s)
    - i. *These agencies are listed on your thumb drive (clinical documents/ambulance agencies)*
  - c. Your instructor will provide you with the paperwork to complete for your Emergency Room hours
  - d. Students will not be allowed to complete Clinical/Field rotations without ALL prerequisites being turned in
  - e. *Expectations and directions can be found in the clinical documents folder on thumb drive*
  - f. *Students will not be allowed these hours without ALL prerequisites turned in*
  - g. *If students are unable to complete the required ride along/clinical experience during the course, they will have 30 days from the end of the course to complete it. If students are unable to*

*complete these requirements within 30 days, they will receive an incomplete and be dropped from the course.*

5. Scoring
  - a. Must meet 80% minimum
  - b. Minimum passing score for all 6 blocks is 80%
  - c. Minimum passing score for final exam is 80%
    - i. *Failure of final exam will result in failure of program (can only take once)*
6. Ways to get dropped from the course
  - a. Your fourth (4<sup>th</sup>) absence
  - b. Not completing tasks when due
  - c. Not having maintaining 80% average through class
  - d. Not Passing Block(s) *(minimum of 80%)*
  - e. Not Passing Final Exam *(minimum of 80%)*
  - f. Not complying with EMSTA College Policies
  - g. Not paying your tuition at due dates
  - h. Not turning in prerequisites by end of the 2nd week of course
7. National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT)
  - a. Two part certification examination
    - i. Skills Testing – at EMSTA College, \$100 cash at the end of the course
    - ii. Written Exam – Outside Testing sites, you schedule on NREMT.org after course completion
  - b. *Directions will be provided in class during final weeks of class*
8. Points to Ponder...
  - a. Please read all course related documents listed under “Class Documents” on thumb drive
  - b. Your lead instructor is your first point of contact for any unanswered questions you may have (about the course that is)