



College of the Siskiyous

PARAMEDIC

Major and Certificate Program

Students will understand the roles and responsibilities of an EMT-II and/or Paramedic within an Emergency Medical Services system, will apply the basic concepts of development, pathophysiology and pharmacology to assessment and management of emergency patients; properly administer medications; and communicate effectively with patients in a pre-hospital setting.

Successful completion of this 40-unit program (EMT 0954, 0955, 0956, and 0957) is required for certification and prepares students for the EMT-Paramedic National Registry examination.

_____EMS 0954 EMT-Paramedic 1A – Theory	12
_____EMS 0955 EMT-Paramedic 1B – Theory	14
_____EMS 0956 EMT-Paramedic II – Clinical	4
_____EMS 0957 EMT Paramedic III - Field Internship	10
Total Units Required	40

For an Associate Degree, students must also complete general education requirements. Please refer to the Associate Degree general education requirements in the Schedule of Classes for a list of approved courses. Make an appointment with a COS counselor for assistance in completing the general education requirements.

Note: *Students must receive a “C” grade or better in all major or certificate coursework.*

Completion of math, writing and reading assessments is required for enrollment in any certificate or AA/AS degree program. Please contact Counseling Services for more information: (530) 938-5353.