



PARAMEDIC PROGRAM

Paramedic Spring Program

January 2021 thru May 2022 Classes meet on A Shift.

Paramedic Fall Program

August 2021 thru July 2022 Classes meet on A & C Shift.

Paramedic Everyday Class

October 2021 thru May 2022 Monday thru Friday

ORIENTATION MANDATORY (Dates TBA)

Navarro College EMS Paramedic Program Goal:

“To prepare competent entry-level Paramedics in the cognitive (knowledge), psychomotor (skills), and affective (behavior) learning domains with or without exit points at the Advanced Emergency Medical Technician and/or Emergency Medical Technician, and/or Emergency Medical Responder levels.”

Flexibility – Daytime programs begin every fall and spring semester.

Expertise – Navarro College uses instructors who are experts in their field. Instructors are members of the Navarro College family and include full-time and adjunct faculty. All are experienced paramedics either currently employed or retired. Each instructor is interviewed and chosen based on their knowledge, command of subject matter and instructor certification.

Resources – Navarro College has the ability to provide all necessary resources to help make a class successful. New computers, textbooks, curriculum, and other instructional equipment are available to help ensure the highest quality instruction.

College Credit – All classes are academic classes and students finish with 34 credit hours.

Degree – Paramedic Certificate hours apply to the AAS Paramedic Degree.

Pre-Requisites – Must have current TXDSHS EMT Basic Certification; be TSI Complete; CPR-Healthcare (current through duration of program); and successfully completed Anatomy & Physiology (BIOL 2401/2404) or be enrolled for the first semester beginning the Paramedic program.

Tuition-\$5500.00 (approximately) – Tuition is based on out-of-district rates. If you live in-district (Navarro County) tuition may be less. Malpractice Insurance included.

Navarro College EMS Paramedic Program Results for 2019

Paramedic Retention Rate—94.9%

Paramedic Positive Job Placement Rate—100%

National Registry Paramedic Written Success Rate—95%

National Registry Paramedic Practical Success rate—99%

Paramedic Comprehensive Final Success Rate—100%

Paramedic Practical Final Success Rate—100%

The Navarro College Paramedic program is accredited by Committee on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP), through the Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the EMS Professions

Emergency Medical Services

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Financial Aid

Please visit the financial aid office on any Navarro College campus for information on how to apply and what types of aid are available.

Be Admitted to Navarro College (1st step) Navarro College Application:— www.navarrocollege.edu/admissions

- Submit all required documents (transcripts, etc.) to the Admissions /Registrar's Office
- Once all required admission steps are complete, as well as any required testing (TSI) student is cleared for registration.

Registration for Paramedic Program (2nd step)

Registration must be completed with the Fire/EMS Dept. in building D on the Waxahachie Campus. Students are encouraged to contact this office as soon as possible for full registration requirements. (972) 923-6447

- See EMS Department for Enrollment Paperwork
- *CPR card is required by 1st day of class.*
MUST BE American Heart Healthcare Provider—offered at Navarro College

Current Immunizations—nc.ems@navarrocollege.edu for Castlebranch link

- Hepatitis B (Complete series of three) or **(Positive Titer**)**
- Tuberculosis Test (current to 6 months)
- Measles, Mumps, Rubella (Series of two shots needed) or (titer to include: measles, mumps and rubella)
- Varicella (2 Shots or **Positive Titer****)
- TDaP—Valid for 5 years; Must be completed prior to enrollment if vaccine expires during enrollment.
- Flu Shot—Upon enrollment and must be maintained seasonally.
Info required: name, date, lot number, site of injection, signature of person administering the vaccine.
- ****Titers to include IgG Lab value and interpretation key.**

Books are available in the Navarro College Bookstore in Waxahachie.

- My BRADYLab with Pearson etext—Instant Access—Paramedic Care: Principles and Practices Vols 1-5 and Basic Arrhythmias 5th edition ISBN 9780134769011 (MYBRADYLab only ISBN 9780134807003) if sourcing book elsewhere
- Skills Packets—approximately \$25

Uniforms are required to be worn daily throughout the program. Navarro College EMS uniform

- Navy blue polo shirt (available in the bookstore), Approx. \$20
- Dark blue EMS pants (w/belt loops)
- Black belt
- All Black Shoes
- Navy blue jacket (available in bookstore) Approx. \$34
- **Supplies:** Stethoscope Medical shears Pen Light Safety Glasses Gloves (1 box)

Drug Screen/Background Check

Students must make account with CastleBranch (outside entity). The cost for an EMT Account is \$78.45. This is where you will schedule your background check and drug test as well as send to them all of the required documents. See Vicki Goff for check list.

Social Security Card

A Social Security number is required for EMS clinical course requirements.

Additional Certification Fees

(payable by student to agency listed upon successful completion of the program)

- TDSHS application fee – \$96
- National Registry exam fee—\$110
- NREMT Exam Fee—\$175

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