

Hybrid Paramedic Program Information

WNCC's hybrid paramedic program offers a flexible way for working EMT's to earn their paramedic certification. This program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) upon the recommendation of Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Professions (CoAEMSP).

Key Aspects:

Hybrid format is designed to combine online coursework with in person training.

Didactic instruction will consist of recorded lectures, online assignments and weekly live zoom meetings. The zoom meetings be held one evening per week to accommodate student work and life. Students are required to attend and participate in the weekly meetings.

Hands on training will be provided to learn critical paramedic skills. Lab days will be held one day per week in person at the John N. Harms Center on the Scottsbluff campus. ALL lab days are mandatory to attend and participate.

Clinical Requirements include attending a total of 675 clinical hours (225 hours per semester.) Students may choose to complete clinical hours at any of our 10 clinical sites (more to come.)

Program Length: This program is 1 year long, consisting of 3 semesters including Fall, Spring and Summer. Each cohort begins in the Fall and concludes at the end of Summer semester.

Program outcomes: This program will prepare students to pass the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians Paramedic certification and obtain their state paramedic license.



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Award Types: Students can choose the Paramedic Certificate pathway or earn an Associates of Applied Science in Emergency Medical Services degree.

Application requirements: Students applying to enter the paramedic program must hold a valid NREMT-B certification or Nebraska EMT license as well as a current CPR card. Students must complete the application process involving entrance exams and interview. Students must also provide proof of current immunizations, obtain a physical exam, and undergo a criminal background check and drug screening.

Applications for the cohort beginning in Fall 2025 will be accepted from June 1, 2025- June 30, 2025.

If a career in paramedicine through WNCC Hybrid Paramedic Program seems right for you, please visit the <u>WNCC Paramedic Program page</u> for application details.

Please contact the WNCC EMS Program for any questions.

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