Course Description

This course is a detailed study of the knowledge and skills to safely manage multi-casualty incidents and rescue situations, utilize air medical resources; identify hazardous materials and other specialized incidents.

Text, References, and Supplies


Student Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the course, students will:

1. Safely manage medical incidents, rescue situations, hazardous materials, and crime scenes.
2. Demonstrate knowledge of EMS systems and protocols.
3. Demonstrate the knowledge necessary to operate an ambulance and all of its equipment.

Student Contributions, Responsibilities and Class Policies

Students will be expected to attend all classes. **Three tardies will result in 1 absence. Students will be allowed 5 absences during a SEMESTER.** If a student does exceed 5 absences they will be dropped from the program. It is the student’s sole responsibility to make-up missed assignments due to absence. Make-up assignments must be completed within the time limit set by the instructor. This will be done at the Instructors discretion. **All exams and assignments MUST be done and turned in BY the given due date and time to get credit.**

Evaluation of Students

Students will be evaluated by quizzes and assignments that may consist of true/false, multiple choice, short answer and essay type questions. The Quizzes will consist of 40% of the student’s final grade, attendance 10%, JB Learning and quiz corrections will be 20%, and remaining 30 % will come from a comprehensive final/exit examination. **Students must have a 75% average in order to be eligible to take the final exam.** Students must receive a final grade of 75% or better for course average and make an 80% or better on the final/exit exam to continue in the paramedic program.

Grades will be assigned as follows:

A = 100 – 90%
B = 89 – 80%
C = 79 – 70%
D = 69 – 60%
F = 59 and below

Course Schedule

Some course assignments will be done on the computer. Students will be required to meet in the classroom to take exams, skills evaluations, and review. A detailed calendar of topics, assignments and test dates will be provided in class.

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)

Any student who, because of a disabling condition, may require some special arrangements in order to meet course requirements should contact Shep Grinnan as soon as possible. Mr. Grinnan’s office is located in the Scharbauer Student Center Building. These conditions may include documented physical or educational disabilities. Please be aware that services or accommodations are not automatic. Each student must request them and secure the proper authorizations/documentation.

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