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Pathways to Completion – Short-Term Certificate (Emergency Medical Technician)

Overview: The Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) course (**HEA 140A, one quarter, 9.75-units**) prepares students for a career administering first response treatment in emergency situations. Responsibilities include driving an ambulance, removing trapped victims from accident scenes, administering emergency patient care, and recording observation. Clinical experience in an emergency room and ambulance ride-alongs further enhance the learning experience. This course is approved by the El Dorado County EMS Agency and is recognized throughout the State of California. Successful course completion allows students to take the EMT National Registry Exam. **This course satisfies the prerequisites for the Fire Academy (FIR-170A)**, For further information about this program, contact the Career and Technical Education department at extension 583 or 723. **Please Note:** Attendance is mandatory at the first class and all class meetings in order to receive certification. There is an \$85 county and state certification fee, a Department of Justice/FBI livescan fee of \$47, and a National Registry of EMT certification fee of \$70. All fees are paid to external agencies. In support of the stated student learning outcomes, there are 24 TBA hours for clinical placement. **EMT PREREQUISITE:** Current Emergency Medical Responder card (preferred), or current CPR card (either American Heart Association/BLS Healthcare Provider level, or American Red Cross/Professional Rescuer level) AND current First Aid or Medic First Aid card. (The CPR requirement is mandated by the Emergency Medical Services Authority (Title 22) which regulates and specifies cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) standards for public safety personnel. Our approved EMT program includes a minimum of 24 hours of ambulance ride-along and/or emergency room experience. This supervised clinical experience is required by Title 22, Division 9 - Prehospital Emergency Medical Services (the state code of regulations governing EMT training programs).

- **Students wishing to satisfy HEA-140A's (EMT) prerequisites through LTCC courses should register for HEA-106, WLD-107A, or WLD-107B. Prerequisite courses must be completed PRIOR to registering for HEA-140A.**
- **Students can also satisfy one of HEA-140's (EMT) prerequisites through a Non-LTCC Basic Life Support (BLS) Certification course by registering directly through the Barton University Website at <http://education.bartonhealth.org>. Kelly Pettit (LTCC Fire + EMT Instructor) also teaches BLS and First Aid courses privately. She can be contacted via email: kel665@aol.com or by phone at 775-230-4117. Prerequisite courses must be completed PRIOR to registering for HEA-140A**

Fall 2016

- HEA 140A-01 Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) T and TH: 8:30 - 11:55AM and 1:00-5:50PM 9/20 – 11/15/16 + 24 hours TBA [9.75 units]

Winter 2017

- HEA 140A-01 Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) T, W, and TH: 6:00 - 10:05PM 1/10 – 3/23/17 + 24 hours TBA [9.75 units]

Spring 2017

- HEA-140A-01 Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)
T/TH: 9:00 – 11:50AM and 1:00 – 3:50PM 4/11 – 6/27 and TH: 9:00 – 11:50AM 6/29/17 + 24 hrs TBA [9.75 units]

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Pathways to Completion – Short-Term Certificate (Emergency Medical Technician Refresher)

HEA 143: In this refresher course, students will review technical skills and knowledge required to perform the appropriate pre-hospital basic emergency care. The course consists of classroom instruction and skills review as well as eight hours of supervised clinical time in either the hospital emergency department or with the local ambulance. The content of this course satisfies 48 of the 72 hours of EMS related continuing education required for the National Registry of EMTs. **Prerequisites:** Current CPR Card (either American Heart Association BLS or American Red- Cross Professional Rescuer) and Current EMT-I Certification. Students will be required to present copies of these cards at the first class session.

HEA 142A: This EMT refresher course runs concurrent with HEA 143 and offers 24 hours of instruction related to the technical skills and knowledge required to perform appropriate pre-hospital basic emergency care. The course consists of classroom instruction and skills review as well as eight TBA hours of supervised clinical time in either the hospital emergency department or with the local ambulance. The content of this course satisfies 24 of the 72 hours of EMS related continuing education required for the National Registry of EMTs and El Dorado County. **Prerequisites:** Current CPR Card (either American Heart Association BLS or American Red- Cross Professional Rescuer) and Current EMT-I Certification. Students will be required to present copies of these cards at the first class session.

Fall 2016

- HEA 142A-01 Emergency Medical Technician Refresher (24Hrs) T, W, and Th: 9:00 - 11:50AM and 1:00 - 5:50PM 12/6 – 12/8/16 [1.75 units]
- HEA 143-01 Refresher - Emergency Medical Technician I T, W, and TH: 9:00 - 11:50AM and 1:00-5:50PM 11/29 – 12/8/16 + 8 hours TBA [3.25 units]

Winter 2017

- HEA 142A-01 Emergency Medical Technician Refresher (24Hrs) T, W, and TH: 9:00 - 11:50AM and 1:00 - 5:50PM 3/21 – 3/23/17 [1.75 units]
- HEA 143 Refresher - Emergency Medical Technician I T, W, and TH: 9:00 - 11:50AM and 1:00 - 5:50PM 3/8 – 3/23/17 + 8 hours TBA [3.25 units]

Spring 2017

- HEA 142A-01 Emergency Medical Technician Refresher (24Hrs) T, W, and TH: 9:00 - 11:50AM and 1:00 - 5:50PM 6/20 – 6/22/17 [1.75 units]
- HEA 143-01 Refresher - Emergency Medical Technician I T, W, and TH: 9:00 - 11:50AM and 1:00 - 5:50PM 6/13 – 6/22/17 + 8 hours TBA [3.25 units]

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