



# PARAMEDIC PROGRAM

## **Paramedic Spring Program - Waxahachie Campus**

January 2020 - March 2021 | Classes meet on A Shift.

## **Paramedic Fall Program - Waxahachie Campus**

August 2019 - July 2020 | Classes meet on A & C Shift.

## **Paramedic Everyday Class**

October 2019 - May 2020 | Monday - 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** - \$5,500.00 (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 2015-2017**

Paramedic Retention Rate = 87.5%  
Paramedic Positive Job Placement Rate = 97%  
National Registry Paramedic Written Success Rate = 88%  
National Registry Paramedic Practical Success Rate = 99%  
Paramedic Comprehensive Final Success Rate = 100%  
Paramedic Practical Final Success Rate = 100%

Navarro College  
Protective Services—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 at [www.navarrocollege.edu/admissions](http://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 Vicki Goff for Enrollment Paperwork
- CPR card is required and must be current through duration of class.

*MUST BE American Heart Healthcare Provider—offered at Navarro College*

### **Current Immunizations - Contact Vicki Goff 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 (My BRADYLab 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 (1box)

### **Drug Screen/Background Check**

Students must make an 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 them all of the required documents. See Vicki Goff for checklist.

### **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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