

**\*\*\*REMEMBER TO REGISTER EARLY\*\*\***

### Program Description

This certificate is designed to provide students the requirements to be eligible to test for the National Registry EMT Certificate. Emergency Medical Technicians provide out of hospital emergency medical care and transportation for critical and emergent patients who access the emergency medical services (EMS) system. EMTs have the basic knowledge and skills necessary to stabilize and safely transport patients ranging from non-emergency and routine medical transports to life threatening emergencies. Emergency Medical Technicians function as part of a comprehensive EMS response system, under medical oversight. Emergency Medical Technicians perform interventions with the basic equipment typically found on an ambulance. Emergency Medical Technicians are a critical link between the scene of an emergency and the health care system.

### Required Courses

Number	Name	Credits	Term
FIRE 2486	Emergency Medical Technician	9	

**Total Credits** **9**

### Program Outcomes

- Be job ready based on national accepted performance job standards and behaviors for Emergency Medical Technicians;
- Be prepared with the appropriate background and experiences to serve as an Emergency Medical Technician;
- Be able to integrate into the incident command system and its component parts into daily work assignments and all emergency response settings;
- Be able to function as an emergency medical technician at the appropriate level for the service and interact with all providers to ensure good patient care,
- Be able to use the nationally recognized standards and behaviors for the response to all types of emergencies;
- Be experienced in day-to-day operations, station life and working conditions.

### Pre-program Requirements

Students must be 16 years old to take this course, and 18 years old and have a felony-free record to become nationally certified. Current NetStudy background check is required.

For general information about the program, admissions, financial aid, and getting started at LSC, contact the [professional advising team](mailto:advising@lsc.edu) (advising@lsc.edu) or 218-733-7601

For more information about the Emergency Medical Technician Certificate including course descriptions, course prerequisites, the program report, and potential career opportunities, see the [program website](https://degrees.lsc.edu/) (https://degrees.lsc.edu/)