

# Course Syllabus

## COURSE SYLLABUS ESEC 1013

### EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER (EMR)

Required Materials : Please follow the link below to purchase the required materials.

## DO NOT SIGN IN UNTIL PROVIDED A CODE BY THE INSTRUCTOR

**BOOK:** *Navigate Advantage Access for Emergency Medical Responder: Your First Response in Emergency Care, Seventh Edition*

Navigate Advantage Access for Emergency Medical Responder: Your First Response in Emergency Care: 9781284243123 (psglearning.com) 

(<https://www.psglearning.com/catalog/productdetails/9781284243123#productInfo>)

#### **Additional Costs:**

\$10 for each Emergency Services t-shirt required for class uniform (1 shirt is suggested for class).

BEMS Application Fee \$115

NREMT Application Fee \$98

**Late Work:** There will be no late work accepted. Assignments must be turned in on time. Instructors will work with students prior to assignment due date but will not accept any late assignment.

**Quizzes:** There will be a pre-class quiz in Canvas that will be open through the course where you are allowed to take unlimited times. These quizzes will cover the course material presented for that day and MUST be taken prior to coming to next class session. Students may take the pre-class quiz as often as they would like. If there are multiple lectures presented, then there will be multiple pre-class quizzes, one quiz for each lecture.

**Exams:** A weekly practice exam and exam will be given on **JBLearning** and will cover material, which was addressed in the current week. Students will have one attempt at each exam during the open period. These Exams will be open book. We will have a Midterm and Final exam that will be closed book.

**Discussion Posts:** There will be a discussion topic for each Module. The discussion will open on the Thursday of the new module and your first post will be due on the Saturday. At least two comments on other students posts will be due the following Tuesday, to receive full points.

**Attendance:** In order for students to obtain a recommendation for certification a student is required to attend the class at least 80% of the time.

For students to be eligible to be recommended to the Utah Bureau of EMS and National Registry certification, all quizzes, exams, and attendance must be at least at an average of 80%.

**Utah Bureau of EMS (BEMS) requires that students need to submit within thirty (30) days of the course starting the following BEMS application items listed below\*. If the student fails to submit the items listed below within thirty (30) days, the student will be purged from the Utah Bureau of EMS system. This will prevent the student from obtaining certification and will only be able to receive a letter grade for the course.**

**\*BEMS application**

**\*Finger prints/criminal background check**

**\*Driver's License**

**\*Photo ID**

**\*CPR Provider Card**

LETTER GRADE - NON-CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:

If students wish to take this course for a letter grade only, then all requirements for maintaining a 80% average, do not apply.

An AUDIT application is required with an AUDIT Fee of \$45.00, payable to BEMS.

**Grading:**

Any student who falls below an 80% average in the EMT course will not be recommended to Utah BEMS for Certification

No incomplete grades are allowed for the course

Testing is performed on all lectures, handouts, reading materials, and practical skills

Consult the course schedule to identify Module Exams (EMS Testing) and Chapter Quizzes (JBLearning).

**Grading Scale :**

Assignments	30%
Quizzes	35%
Module Exams	15%

Final Exam	20%
Extra Credit	5%

A	100 - 94%	C	76 -74%
A-	93 - 90%	C-	73 - 70%
B+	89 - 87%	D+	69 - 67%
B	86 -84	D	66-64%
B-	83 - 80%	D -	63-60%
C+	79 - 77%	E	<59%

**Becoming a Nationally Registered EMT is broken down into two parts; Practical and Cognitive (Written).**

Part I – National Registry PRACTICAL testing will be performed and completed the last week of the course (please see course schedule for specific dates). You **MUST PASS** your PRACTICAL Exam in order to be recommended for the NREMT COGNITIVE (Written) Exam

PART II – Consists of the NREMT COGNITIVE (Written) portion of the National Registry Exam.

Prior to be allowed to test you will need to complete the following requirements:

1. All course requirements
2. Receive approval from program coordinator
3. Be recommended by Utah BEMS to Nationally Test (pass PRACTICAL Exam)
4. Pay NREMT Application Fee
5. Register at the testing location

**NREMT and BEMS Certification is separate from school registration and testing.**