

Advanced EMT Original Course at NORTH & SOUTH Campus

Intermediate EMT Course will be offered at:

- **NORTH Campus** on Monday - Wednesday Evening & Saturday morning, **Building B, Room 722.**
- **SOUTH Campus** on Monday /Tuesday / Thursday Evening in **Building 3, Room 3104.**
- **Advanced registration is required using the attached forms.** Do not contact the Registrar's Office. You must apply for this advanced course through the EMT Department at **South Campus.**

IMPORTANT NOTICE ON ADVANCED STANDING: THIS COURSE IS ONLY OPEN TO CURRENTLY CREDENTIALLED & PRACTICING EMT INTERMEDIATES. NYSDOH WILL REQUIRE ALL CURRENT INTERMEDIATES TO ATTAIN THIS ADDITIONAL TRAINING TO MAINTAIN THEIR ALS STATUS. ADVANCED STANDING WRITTEN AND SKILL TESTING WILL TAKE PLACE ON

JANUARY 2ND & 3RD 2013 AT ECC SOUTH AT 6:00PM.

Classes will begin on **Monday January 7, 2013** and end with the New York State Written Certification Examination on **Thursday June 20, 2013.**

Orientation Night for Both Programs: Monday January 7, 2013 from 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm, in Room 3104 at **South Campus. ATTENDANCE IS MANDATORY FOR ALL.** Remaining classes will resume as scheduled on your respective campus.

A complete application packet consists of the following:

1. The **application form** (copies may be made of the attached form or extras are available from the college EMT office.)
2. A **copy** of your current New York State **Intermediate EMT card**, which must be **valid through the end of the course.**
3. A signed **NYS Verification of Membership Form.**
4. Apply to the college by applying on-line at www.ecc.edu or contact the admissions office for an application, and register as a non-matriculated student.

Class size is limited to 20 students. The first 20 **complete** applications for qualified students will be accepted. Incomplete applications will not be considered for acceptance. Completed applications should be mailed or brought to the **ECC-SOUTH EMT office Room 3130** no later than:

APPLICATION DUE DATE: JANUARY 4, 2013

Physical

There will be no hospital or field internship clinical component coinciding with the Advanced EMT training. Students will be required to complete the standard ECC Health form verifying their MMR immunizations and Meningitis immunizations or declination. (Make 2 copies for your records.) Health forms should be submitted to the Health office on your respective campus.

Advanced Airway Lab

Pending approval, students will attend a 2 hour advanced airway management lab at the U.B. Cadaver lab, placing Endotracheal tubes and other supraglottic airways on human cadavers.

Malpractice insurance must be purchased by each student on orientation night to enable the student to participate in the labs and Cadaver lab. The cost will be **\$6.25 (check or money order made out to ECC)**. Proof of coverage through the EMS unit is no longer acceptable according to the Erie County Attorney's Office.

IMPORTANT: RESPONSIBILITY FOR TUITION

1. ECEMS has agreed to continue to fund tuition costs up to **\$605.00**, the level of NYS funding reimbursement, for eligible volunteer fire and EMS personnel, **contingent upon:**
 - The student must be in good academic standing at the time of Erie County billing.
 - The student **must** complete the course.
 - The student **must** pass both the NYS skill and written examinations.
 - Failure to complete any of the above will make the student financially liable for the **\$605.00**.
2. Estimated tuition bill for the Intermediate Original course is **\$1,386.00** for 7 college credits. The estimated tuition balance of **\$781.00** will need to be covered by:
 - Private pay by the student.
 - Payment by the student's volunteer fire department or EMS squad.

OR

 - Student may pursue any of the financial assistance options listed below:

FINANCIAL AID OPTIONS: ECC FINANCIAL AID OFFICE IS: 851-1177(City) 851-1477(North) OR 851-1677(South)

A. **Aid for Part-Time Students (APTS):** The outstanding tuition balance for EMT Intermediate Original certification training may be covered through APTS by completing the following:

- Apply to the college through the ECC admissions office or online at www.ecc.edu, Quick Link to Admissions. Although you may not be interested in a degree at this time, Financial Aid requires you to choose a degree program. Choose General Studies as it has the most elective options.
- Apply for New York State's Aid for Part-Time Students application (APTS). Applications can be found at www.ecc.edu, Quick Link to Financial Aid. If qualified, eligible students may receive as much as \$80 per credit hour towards tuition, as long as funds remain available. **Apply ASAP As You Must Adhere To The Deadlines!!!**
- Students are also eligible for and should also apply for Federal Financial Aid (PELL grants) at www.fafsa.ed.gov. **Apply ASAP As You Must Adhere To The Deadlines!!!**

C. **Tuition Balances:** It is the responsibility of the student to ensure all tuition balances are paid in full by whatever means possible.

D. **Course Withdrawal:** Should a student decide to withdraw at any point after orientation night, you must complete a withdrawal form. Failure to do so will result in an F grade. Students may remain liable for any outstanding tuition balance. Students should refer to the ECC College Catalog for tuition refund schedule.

**** Out-of-County Students – Please Note **:** The tuition for those students who live outside of Erie County is double unless the appropriate forms are completed and promptly returned to the college Bursar's Office within 30 days of the start of the semester. See your instructor for this form.

Textbooks are:

- Primary Textbook: Prentice Hall / Brady Advanced EMT: A Clinical Reasoning Approach by Alexander & Belle (Text & Workbook)
- ITLS, latest edition, Brady
- AHA BLS Healthcare Provider

Questions? ECC – North EMT Office, (716) 851-1556 or e-mail: carlo@ecc.edu
South EMT Office, (716) 851-1781 or email: gonter@ecc.edu