Allied Health

Program Description
The Allied Health Department offers courses for those interested in health care. These courses can be helpful in deciding to do a subsequent major in a health-related field or in meeting requirements for other majors.

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Emergency Medical Technician-Basic Skills Competency Award

Department Requirements (6.0 units)
EMT 110 — Emergency Medical Tech-Basic............6.0
Students must complete this course with a grade of “C” or higher or Pass to earn the Skills Competency Award and to be eligible to take the National Registry EMT Exam. Passing the NREMT Exam is required to obtain EMT-B certification in any county in California. EMT information: www.sbcc.edu/alliedhealth/courses/EMT.php

Allied Health Courses

AH 120 — Medical Terminology
(1) — CSU
Skills Advisories: Eligibility for ENG 103
Hours: 18 lecture
Designed to provide a basic foundation for those working in health-related fields with medical vocabulary, including words associated with common laboratory, X-ray and surgical procedures, medical abbreviations, medical illnesses, and signs and symptoms of disease. Required for Radiographic/Imaging Sciences majors.

Emergency Medical Technician Courses

EMT 110 — Emergency Medical Technician-Basic (6.0)
Course Advisories: AH 120—Medical Terminology provides a foundation for understanding terms associated with body systems and the injuries and illnesses the EMT assesses and treats.
Limitation on Enrollment: Current CPR certificate for the Health Care Provider or the Professional Rescuer.
Hours: 161 (77 lecture, 84 lab)
Theory and skills for treatment of acute/emergency injury and illness. Includes observations in hospital and with field EMS provider. Fulfills Title 22 Guidelines and State Health and Safety Code for EMT-B certification. Successful course completion required to take National Registry of EMTs Exam, which is required for certification in any California county.

EMT 111 — Emergency Medical Technician-Basic: Overview
(0.9)
Limitation on Enrollment: Current CPR certificate for the Health Care Provider or the Professional Rescuer.
Hours: 24 (12 lecture, 12 lab)
Designed for EMT-Basic recertification. Unlimited repetitions allowed for legally mandated programs. Provides knowledge and skills for treatment of emergency/acute injury and illness. Upon completion, students receive 24 hours of continuing education and a completed EMT Skills Verification Form.