



Certificate of Competence EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN Admissions and Advising Sheet

Fall & Spring Admission

Oahu, Kaua'i, Maui, Hawai'i Island Application
Period:

Fall Admission: April 1 – June 1
Spring Admission: August 1 – Oct 1

Contact EMS Department (808) 734-9288 for program information and availability on O'ahu and other islands
Hawai'i Island applicants may contact Hawai'i EMS Training Center (808) 935-8002 for additional support

Best Qualified Basis

Next Steps

1. [Apply](#) and complete steps to become a KapCC student if currently not a UH system student. For assistance with getting started, contact kapstart@hawaii.edu.
2. [Register](#) for the mandatory information session via Zoom to learn more about the program
3. Submit official transcripts to the Transcript Evaluation Office and complete [Transcript Evaluation Request Form](#) to transfer applicable credits from accredited institutions outside the UH System
4. Seek Advising as needed
[Virtual Drop in Advising Hours:](#)
Mondays through Thursdays
9:00-11:30am & 1:00-3:00pm
Closed on holidays
[STAR Balance Kiosk](#) (for UH system students)
[Phone/Email:](#) 808-734-9224 hlthsci@hawaii.edu
5. Complete Prerequisite and Support Courses with "C" grade or higher.
6. Apply to Program by posted deadline.

This program does not currently qualify for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA).

Health Careers Counseling Center

Kapi'olani Community College
4303 Diamond Head Road, Kauila 106
Honolulu, HI 96816
Phone: 808-734-9224
E-mail: hlthsci@hawaii.edu

Selective Admissions Criteria

Qualification is based on a BEST QUALIFIED rating system for (1) grades of completed prerequisites, (2) Accuplacer score of 250+ in the Arithmetic or higher domain or completion of MATH 75X or higher within the last two years (placement into MATH 75x does not meet qualification criteria), (3) completed MICT support courses with grade of "C" or higher (4) amount of relevant work or volunteer experience. Students must also submit the following: (5) proof of current AHA BLS CPR Card & (6) First Aid Certification, (7) Admitted students must successfully pass a criminal background and drug test. Selection is based on total qualifying scores in rank order from the highest until admission quota is reached.

Program applications are located in [Emergency Medical Technician webpage](#). Students must complete all admissions criteria to be fully qualified.

Students on probation, suspension or having a GPA below 2.0 at KCC are not eligible to apply. A grade of "C" or higher must be maintained in all program requirements to continue in the program.

Priority selection is given to Hawai'i State residents; nonresidents will be considered after all qualified residents have been accommodated [Board of Regents Policy 5.211](#).

EMT Prerequisite Courses (Required to apply to EMT program)	Course Alpha	Sem/Yr Complete	Grade
ENG 100 Composition I (3cr)			
HLTH 125 Survey of Medical Terminology (1 cr)			
Accuplacer score of 250+ in the Arithmetic or higher domain or completion of MATH 75X or higher within the last two years (placement into MATH 75x does not meet criteria)			

A.S. MICT Support Courses (Points awarded for completion, however not required to apply to EMT program)			
Math 103 College Algebra (3cr) or higher			
BIOL 130 & BIOL 130L (4 cr /1 cr) OR PHYL 141, 141L, 142, & 142L (3cr /1 cr/3 cr/1 cr) <i>*5 year time limit*</i>			
FAMR/HDFS 230 Human Development (3)			

Sample Academic Plan for Prospective Students

Fall Semester (10 cr)

ENG 100 (3 cr)
HLTH 125 (1 cr)
MATH 103 (3 cr)
HDFS 230 (3 cr)

Spring Semester (8 cr)

BIOL 130 (4 cr)
BIOL 130L (1 cr)
Arts & Humanities (AH) Course (3 cr)

This academic schedule is recommended for prospective students interested in the EMT and MICT certificate and degree programs. This is not a typical freshman schedule. Please verify individual schedules with a Counselor during or after the FYE New Student Orientation (NSO).

FIRST AID & BLS CPR CERTIFICATION TRAINING CENTERS

Only BLS CPR certification provided by the American Heart Association is accepted. AHA or equivalent First Aid Certificates are accepted.

- **American Medical Response: 808-487-4900**
- **Fast CPR: 808-548-7711**
- **AED Institute: 808-440-8988**

CPR certification must include adult, child, & infant CPR (1 and 2-person rescuer) along with obstructed airway and AED.

CPR Certification Program must include a "hands-on" component. Internet only programs will not be accepted.

Certifications cannot expire prior to the end of the program you are applying to.

Certification Cards must not be hand-written

First Aid and BLS CPR certification is required when submitting the application.

Program Cost Estimate

	Certificate of Completion EMT	
	Prerequisites	Fall Semester or Spring Semester
Tuition		
Resident:	Resident $4 \times \$131.00 = \524	Resident $15.6 \times \$131.00 = \$2,043.60$
Non-Resident:	Non- Resident $4 \times \$345.00 = \$1,380$	Non- Resident $15.6 \times \$345.00 = \$5,382.00$
KCC Student Fees & Graduation Fee	\$70	\$70 \$15
Professional Fees	-	\$250
Testing Fees	-	\$350
Liability Insurance	-	\$15
Uniform	-	\$340
Supplies (ex: stethoscope, gloves, etc)	-	\$518
Textbooks	\$300	\$300
Total per semester	Resident \$894 Non-Resident \$1,750	Resident \$3,901.60 Non-Resident \$7,240.00
Total program cost	Resident = \$4,795.60 Non-Resident = \$8,990.00	

Tuition and all fees listed above are estimated and maybe subject to change by the University. For official tuition schedules please refer to the [UH Executive Policy E6.201](#) .

In addition, tuition expenses are based on maximum credits – individual student total could be less if support courses are completed or more if minimum levels of Math and English are not yet met.

Textbook costs may vary depending on the semester and courses enrolled.

This program does not currently qualify for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA) at this time, however students can apply for alternative educational loans.