## Personality + Career





As a paramedic, you primarily provide emergent and non-emergent care to patients in and out of hospital settings. A successful paramedic is a detailed-oriented, team player with strong communication and decision-making skills. Your top priority is to remain calm and focused while you care for your patient during crisis situations.

Program	What do students learn in the program?	What you'll earn!	Career Opportunities	Certificate Preparation	Required Tools, Supplies, and Uniforms
Paramedic	Students learn the foundations, role, ethics, and responsibilities of EMS, patient assessment, and the recognition and treatment of medical disease in all body systems. Students will also learn to implement EMS treatment modalities with pharmaceuticals, ECG interpretation, and airway management. Trauma assessment, injury recognition, and patience management are also taught. Students will also learn rescue operations, including extrication techniques, incident command, and hazardous materials.	\$26.30 per hour; \$54,704 annually.	Paramedic Emergency Medical Technician Inpatient Emergency Care Hospital Emergency Room Ambulance Services Health Education	Students completing the program will sit for the National Registry Paramedic exam and earn the NRP credential. Successful completion of this exam allows the candidate to become a National Registered Paramedic. Almost all states use the National Registry certification as a basis for licensure.	Drug Test Books for credentials Credentialing Fee Criminal Background Check Uniforms and supplies are available through the SCC Campus Store





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## **Paramedic**

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Paramedic training is intense and rigorous, but the rewards of serving others can be tremendous. If you thrive under pressure and enjoy helping people in distress, consider a career as a paramedic. SCC's Paramedic program takes its place in the industry very seriously by educating personnel for this fast-paced, ever-changing world of paramedicine.

Paramedics are often the lead member of a rescue team, with the most training and the most decision-making power. This means that the requirements to be a paramedic include strong leadership skills and the ability to perform complex life-saving functions in extremely stressful crisis situations.

The Paramedic program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (caahep.org) upon the recommendation of the Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Professions (CoAEMSP), 8301 Lakeview Parkway, Suite 111-312, Rowlett, TX 75085, coaemsp.org. Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs, 25400 U.S. Highway 19 North, Suite 158, Clearwater, FL 33763, 727-210-2350, caahep.org.

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# The SCC Experience

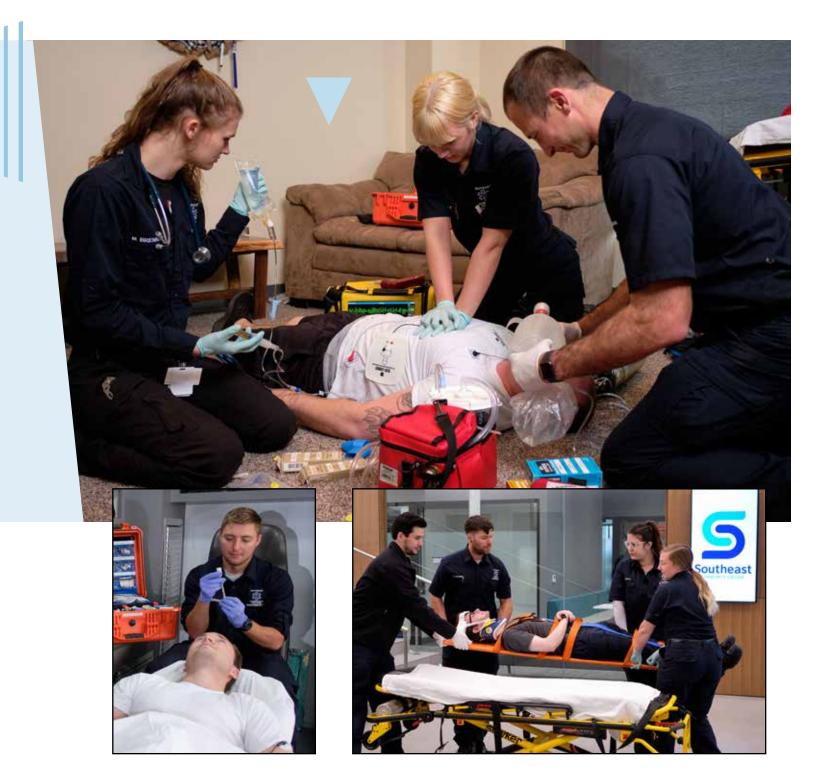
- >>> The SCC Paramedic program is hands-on! Students spend 60% of their time in the lab learning critical skills.
- >>> Our program will give you the confidence and teach you the skills needed to be successful in the fast-paced, ever-changing world of paramedicine.
- >>> Paramedic students are prepared for clinical experiences they learn through simulated exercises in stateof-the-art facilities, including an ambulance simulator and interdisciplinary simulation center in SCC's new Health Sciences Building.
- SCC's program is a credit degree program which allows you to continue your education toward a bachelor's degree, helping graduates seamlessly advance their education and training. Many other paramedic programs are continuing educationbased and do not easily lead to advancement.



### Related Program at SCC:

- Associate Degree Nursing
- Respiratory Care





Program	What is the starting term for each program option?	In what term do students start clinicials?	Where do students participate in clinicals?	In general, what time of day and days of the week can students expect to attend clinical?	Will the program help student secure their sites?  Do students need to contact clinical sites prior to acceptance/placement?	How many clinical hours do students complete in the program?
Paramedic	Fall	Students complete clinical hours as part of an internship experience at an EMS facility during their final semester.	Students complete clinicals at local and regional EMS facilities.	Clinicals are scheduled Sunday - Saturday, 6 a.m Midnight, depending on available sites.	The clinical coordinator will place students based on clinical site availability. Students should not contact potential clinical sites.	550-600 hours

Program	Credential	Location	Credit Hours	Tuition/Fees*	Books/Fees/ Supplies	Total Cost*	Starting Term(s)	Number of Semesters Required-Full Time	Is Summer term required for Full Time?	Online Option	Can the program be completed entirely online?	Part-Time Option	Typical Class Schedule
Paramedic	Associate of Applied Science	Lincoln	61	R - \$7,381 NR - \$8,662	\$3,250	R - \$10,631 NR - \$11,912	Fall	2 semesters + 1 summer term	Yes	No	No	No	Classes are scheduled Tuesday - Thursday from 9 a.m 4 p.m. Clinical and practicum hours are scheduled outside of classes.