Student Name:
Banner ID:
Advisor Name:
Date:

Catalog Year 2026-2027

Certificate Emergency Medical Technician-Basic

This is a 10-credit program with 180 contact hours, which are divided into:

- Labs
- Clinicals
- Online Instructions

This EMT-Basic certificate meets the National EMS Education Standards curriculum recommendations for the EMT Basic. The certificate also includes information and training for skills allowed by the New Mexico EMT-Basic scope of practice. The program is designed specifically for emergency medical personnel who have access to specialized emergency vehicles and emergency rooms. The course content gives emergency medical personnel the knowledge and skills to assess and stabilize patients with life-threatening emergencies at the scene and during transport.

This program is designed to meet the educational requirements for professional licensure in New Mexico. This includes preparation for the National Registry of EMTs (NREMT) exam, which is required for licensure in New Mexico as an EMT-Basic. We have not yet determined whether the program meets licensure requirements for other states. Please speak with the UNM-Taos EMS Program advisors for further information.

Certificate Requirements

- Complete the following:
  - EMSS1120 - Emergency Medical Technician Lecture (7)
  - EMSS1120L - Emergency Medical Technician Laboratory (2)
  - EMSS1121 - Emergency Medical Technician Clinical (1)

Total Credits: 10

Certificate Requirements

Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade	Semester
EMS 1120	Emergency Medical Technician Lecture	7		
EMS 1120L	Emergency Medical Technician Laboratory	2		
EMSS 1121	Emergency Medical Technician Clinical	1		

Co-Requisite: 2

EMSS 193	Academic Strategies	2		