

Highland Community College Paramedic Course  
 September 4th, 2018 to January 30th, 2020  
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Subject	Ch	Hours	Date
Preparatory			
Intro to Course		4	9/4
Intro to Course (continued)		2	9/6
EMS Systems	1	2	
Safety and Wellness	2	2	9/11
Public Health	3	2	
Medical, Legal and Ethical Issues	4	4	9/13
Medical, Legal and Ethical Issues (continued)	4	2	9/18
Communication	5	2	
Documentation	6	2	9/20
Lab		2	
Section 1, Part 1 Exam		2	9/25
Medical Terminology	7	2	
A & P	8	4	9/27
A & P	8	4	10/2
Pathophysiology	9	16	10/4 10/9, 10/11, 10/16
Life Span Development	10	2	10/18
Section 1 Part 2 Exam		2	
Patient Assessment			
Patient Assessment	11	4	10/23
Critical Thinking & Clinical Decision Making	12	2	10/25
Patient Assessment Labs		2	
Patient Assessment	12	12	10/30, 11/1 & 11/6
Patient Assessment Review		2	11/8
Section 3 Exam		2	
Pharmacology			
Principles of Pharmacology	13	8	11/13 & 11/15
<b><i>Small Group Practical Lab (attend one day)</i></b>		<b>4</b>	<b>11/19 or 11/20</b>

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Thanksgiving no class			11/22
Medication Administration	14	12	11/27, 11/29 & 12/4
Section 4 Review and Exam		4	12/6
<b>Airway Management</b>			
Airway Management	15	16	12/11, 12/13, 12/18, 12/20
Christmas Vacation			Dec 25 & 27 & 1/1
Practical Lab		4	1/3
<b>Small Group Practical Lab (attend one day)</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>1/8 or 1/9</b>
Practical Lab		2	1/10
Section 5 Exam		2	
<b>Medical</b>			
Respiratory Emergencies	16	8	1/15 & 1/17
Respiratory Emergencies	16	2	1/22
Cardiovascular Emergencies	17	2	
Cardiovascular Emergencies	17	44	1/24 through 2/28
<b>Small Group Practical Lab (attend one day)</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>3/5 or 3/6</b>
Cardiovascular Disorders	17	28	3/7 through 3/28
<b>Small Group Practical Lab (attend one day)</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>4/2 or 4/3</b>
Neurologic Emergencies	18	4	4/14
<b>Mid-Term</b>			
Medical Lab and Review		8	4/19 & 4/11
Practical Testing & Exam		4	4/16
<b>Medical</b>			
Eyes, Ears, Nose & Throat	19	2	4/18
Abdominal & GI Emergencies	20	2	
Genitourinary & Renal Emergencies	21	2	4/23
Gynecologic Emergencies	22	2	
Medical Lab		4	4/25
Endocrine Emergencies	23	2	4/30
Hematologic Emergencies	24	2	

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Immunologic Emergencies	25	2	5/2
Infectious Disease	26	2	
Medical Lab		4	5/7
<b>Small Group Practical Lab (attend one day)</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>5/8 or 5/9</b>
Toxicology	27	3	5/14
Medical Lab		1	
Psychiatric	28	2	5/16
Medical Lab		2	
Medical Lab and Review		4	5/21
Section 6 Exam and Practicals		4	5/23
<b>Special Patient Population</b>			
Obstetrics	41	2	5/28
Neonatal Care	42	2	
Pediatrics	43	12	5/30, 6/4, 6/6
<b>Small Group Practical Lab (attend one day)</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>6/11 or 6/12</b>
Geriatric Emergencies	44	2	6/13
Patients with Special Challenges	45	2	
Lab		2	6/18
Special Considerations Review		2	
Review and Division 9 Exam		4	6/20
Summer Break		32	6/25 - 7/18
<b>Trauma / Shock &amp; Resuscitation</b>			
Trauma System / MOI	29	2	7/23
Bleeding	30	2	
Soft Tissue Trauma	31	2	7/25
Burns	32	2	
Thoracic Trauma	35	2	7/30
Trauma Practicals		2	
Face & Neck Trauma	33	2	8/1
Head & Spinal Trauma	34	2	

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Abdominal & Genitourinary Trauma	36	2	8/6
Orthopedic Trauma	37	2	
Trauma Practicals		4	8/8
<b>Small Group Practical Lab (attend one day)</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>8/13 or 8/14</b>
Environmental Emergencies	38	2	8/15
Trauma Practicals		2	
Responding to the Field Code	39	2	8/20
Management and Resuscitation of the Critical Pt	40	2	
Lab		4	8/22
Section 7 & 8 Review and Exam		4	8/27
<b>Operations</b>			
Transport Operations	46	2	8/29
Multiple Casualty	47	2	
Vehicle Extrication and Special Rescue	48	2	9/3
Hazardous Materials	49	2	
Lab		4	9/5
<b>Small Group Practical Lab (attend one day)</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>9/10 or 9/11</b>
Terrorism Response	50	2	9/12
Disaster Response	51	2	
Crime Scene Awareness	52	2	9/17
Lab		2	
Section 10 Review and Exam		4	9/19
Case Studies		10	Independent study
<b>Protocols and Finals</b>			
Protocols and Exam		4	9/24
Review		8	9/26 & 10/1
Final Test		4	10/3

*Potential Make-Up Days for Snow Emergencies*

*10/8 and 10/10*

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Certification and Computer practice testing			
Computer testing and review		4	10/29
PHTLS		16	11/5 through 11/14
Computer testing and review		4	12/3
ACLS		16	12/5 through 12/17
Christmas Break			12/19 through 1/2
Computer testing and review (attend one day)		4	1/7
PALS		16	1/9 through 1/21
Graduation 6 pm			1/30
Didactic Total*		510	

Online component Estimated @ 4 hours /week	
September 4 weeks	16
October 4 weeks	16
November 4 weeks	16
December 3 weeks	12
January 4 weeks	16
February 4 weeks	16
March 4 weeks	16
April 4 weeks	16
May 4 weeks	16
June 3 weeks	12
July 1 week	4
August 4 weeks	16
September 3 weeks	12
<b>Total on-line</b>	<b>168</b>

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Clinical	
In-House Clinical	250
Field Clinical	250
<b>Total clinical (minimum)</b>	<b>500</b>

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<b>Course Total</b>	<b>1178</b>
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