Paramedics and Emergency Medical Technicians are the first line of care for individuals involved in traumatic and medical emergencies. They are well trained in assessing patients and quickly providing medical care.

At McLennan Community College, you have a variety of options for Paramedicine and EMT training. Earn a two-year associate degree in paramedicine or choose the 18-month Level-Two certificate in paramedicine. McLennan also offers one-semester EMT training in the spring, summer, and fall semesters.

What You’ll Learn

- Patient Assessment & Treatment Skills
- Cardiac Resuscitation
- Advanced Airway Management
- IV Therapy
- Medication Administration
- Disaster Preparedness & Ambulance Operations

What You’ll Get

- Hands-on training in a state-of-the-art lab with ambulance simulator and high-tech manikins that simulate patients
- Training at McLennan’s Emergency Services Education Center with a multistory tower used for field-based scenarios and an agility course for physical training
- Clinical rotations for real-world experience
- Instructors who continue to serve their community as EMS professionals
- Individualized attention with average student-to-teacher ratio of 7-to-1

For information on the accreditation of McLennan’s EMS Program, please visit: www.mclennan.edu/emt.
Combine your medical skills with your drive to help others.

Admission Requirements

**Associate Degrees**

- Advising session with Paramedicine faculty advisor
- Meet McLennan enrollment requirements
- Completion of prerequisite courses
- Current American Heart Association CPR for Health Care Providers certification
- Current immunizations, drug test, and background check

*Note: Meeting these requirements does not guarantee admission to the program.

**Gainful Employment**

Important information about the educational debt, earnings, and completion rates of students in this program is available at [www.mclennan.edu/gainful-employment](http://www.mclennan.edu/gainful-employment).

**Learn More**

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**Rewarding Careers**

McLennan has an excellent reputation for training paramedics and EMTs. Our graduates are in demand by employers around Central Texas and have numerous opportunities upon graduation.

EMT or paramedic students may opt to work for an EMS service, or they may seek employment in a hospital emergency department (ED) as an ED technician. Students who successfully complete the EMT program may choose to attend the McLennan Fire Academy and become an EMT/Firefighter while others may choose to work for a public or private EMS service. All students have the opportunity to benefit their communities by working as a volunteer or first responder.

For students in these programs who may have a criminal background, please be advised that the background could keep you from being licensed by the State of Texas. If you have a question about your background and licensure, please speak with your faculty member or program director. You also have the right to request a criminal history evaluation letter from the applicable licensing agency.

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