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Local News

Rogue Community College Expands EMS Offerings with Two New Local Programs



The Rogue Community College Emergency Services Department has added two new programs to its lineup -- the Advanced Emergency Care Certificate of Completion and the Emergency Services Associate of Applied Science degree.

The new RCC programs will provide advanced training for emergency medical technicians (EMTs) and people looking to advance their careers in emergency medical services.

The Advanced Emergency Care Certificate is a four-term program designed for EMTs with an associate degree or higher. It is focused on appreciating students' prior degrees and experience, streamlining their focus on paramedic care and reducing their time to complete the program.

The Emergency Services Associates Degree provides extensive training, starting with EMT certification and progressing to paramedic education. Graduates qualify to sit for the National Registry Paramedic Certification Examination, opening doors to leadership roles in EMS and fire services, and meeting the evolving needs and demands for paramedic providers in this region.

In a post-COVID world where EMTs and paramedics exited the workforce, this is a new path to help aspiring paramedics advance their careers. While reducing time to program completion, it maintains the high-quality education our community expects for its responding paramedics.

For more information on these new programs or other RCC Emergency Service programs, visit "[roguecc.edu/emergency services](https://roguecc.edu/emergency-services)" or call (541)-956-7500.

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