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Emergency and Fire Management Services

**EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN**

**(30-531-3)**

*Technical Diploma*

Most Courses Offered at HERO Center

<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Requisites</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Hrs/Wk Lec - Lab</b>
531-326	Emergency Medical Technician	Prereq: Department Consent	5	4-4-2
<b>Program Total Required</b>			<b>5</b>	



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**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

Emergency Medical Technician is a 180 hour entry-level training in emergency medicine. This program provides students the skills and knowledge needed to assess and manage all types of injuries and acute illnesses while providing safe and rapid patient transport to an appropriate medical facility. Components of the course include lecture, practical lab, and hospital clinical experience. Upon program completion, students are prepared to take the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians® examination to be licensed as an Emergency Medical Technician in Wisconsin. Students wishing to pursue other levels of EMS licensure, such as Advanced EMT or Paramedic, must first be licensed as an Emergency Medical Technician before being eligible to register in subsequent EMS licensure programs.

**PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES**

Graduates of the Emergency Medical Technician Technical Diploma Program should be able to:

1. Understand the legal liabilities and requirements of professional conduct to operate as an Emergency Medical Technician as outlined in HSS 110 of the Wisconsin Administrative Code.
2. Demonstrate skills in patient extrication, packaging, and safe movement.
3. Perform cardiac arrest management and airway management of the adult and pediatric patient.
4. Perform a successful assessment, treatment plan, and packaging for trauma and medical patients in both the adult and pediatric population.
5. Demonstrate the ability to interact with patients in a compassionate and professional manner.

**CORE ABILITIES**

Gateway believes students need both technical knowledge and skills and core abilities in order to succeed in a career and in life. The following nine core abilities are the general attitudes and skills promoted and assessed by all Gateway programs. All Gateway graduates should be able to:

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| 1. Act responsibly                     | 6. Respect themselves and others as a member of a diverse community |
| 2. Communicate clearly and effectively | 7. Think critically and creatively                                  |
| 3. Demonstrate essential comp. skills  | 8. Work cooperatively   |
| 4. Demonstrate essential math skills   | 9. Value learning   |
| 5. Develop job seeking skills          |   |

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

1. Students must submit an application (no fee).
2. Students must complete a reading placement assessment.
3. Students must complete a functional ability form verifying they have read and understand the functional abilities for the program.

**GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

1. 5 Credits with an average of 2.0 or above.

*For a complete list of Graduation Requirements check the Student Handbook.*

**NOTES**

1. This program was formerly called EMT Basic.

**OTHER INFORMATION**

Gateway Technical College reserves the right to modify curriculum requirements for students who interrupt enrollment for a period of two years or take over seven years to complete. Tuition and material fees are determined by the board of the Wisconsin Technical College System. Consult the Master Class Schedule for exact fee amounts. Occasionally, the District may offer a particular course out of published sequence. By doing so, the District does not obligate itself to offer succeeding courses out of published sequence.

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You may call Student Services at 1-800-247-7122 for additional information.  
For a complete list of course descriptions (and possible online courses) for this program, please consult Web Advisor on our web page at [www.gtc.edu](http://www.gtc.edu).

My advisor is \_\_\_\_\_ My advisor's contact information is \_\_\_\_\_