

## Paramedic Program Admission and Program Requirements

This 1,290.5 hour, three-quarter time program leads to certificate with the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians which will lead to a state certification. It follows the 2011 National EMS Education Standards.

This three-phase program consists of 672 hours of intensive, classroom and lab training, 9:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., in the INHS Health Training Education Center; followed by a minimum of 258.5 hours of supervised clinical time; and a minimum of 360 hours of supervised paramedic field internship. Clinical rotations and field internship are available at a number of approved locations throughout Eastern Washington and North Idaho.

**Credentials obtained:** Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Pediatric Advanced Life Support, and Pre-Hospital Trauma Life Support.

This paramedic program is designed for career opportunities with Ambulance Services, Fire Departments, Hospitals and other rescue departments. This program meets the requirements for education of Paramedics as recommended by the U.S. Department of Transportation and required by the State of Washington.

Students are eligible for the National Registry of EMT's Computer Based Test (CBT) certifying exam for paramedics upon successful completion of the program.

#### **Application Requirements:**

Applicants must:

- Register and pay for the \$50.00 non-refundable course application fee which can be found on the following web page: <a href="https://www.courseregistration.inhs.org">www.courseregistration.inhs.org</a>.
- Submit completed application packet in its entirety. Incomplete application packets will not be considered.
- Submit completed and signed Criminal Background check from included in the application packet. Acceptance into the program is contingent upon an acceptable report from this agency.
- > Submit a copy of your current driver's license or state issued identification card.
- > Submit evidence of high school diploma or its equivalent.
- Submit high school and any post high school transcripts (i.e. technical school, college).
- > Submit a copy of current state EMT and/or National Registry Basic certificate or advanced level certificates, if applicable. At the time the application is submitted the applicant must have been an EMT for a minimum of 1 year or one certification period.
- Submit a copy of a current American Heart Association Healthcare Provider (or equivalent) CPR card.
- > Submit one letter of reference from the applicant's immediate supervisor.
- ➤ A written or typed essay describing the applicants EMS experience. The essay must be 500 words or less.





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- Submit evidence of successful completion (grade of C+ or better) of a 200 level Anatomy & Physiology course or successful completion of an on-line program (non-credit). The applicant's acceptance into the Paramedic Program will be contingent upon successful completion of an Anatomy & Physiology course. All students are encouraged to an Anatomy & Physiology course for credit. Corexcel online Anatomy & Physiology Course http://www.corexcel.com/anatomy.physiology.online.htm Use the code INHSap35 to receive \$35 off
- Submit evidence of successful completion (grade of C+ or better) of a Medical Terminology course or successful completion of an on-line program. The applicant's acceptance into the Paramedic Program will be contingent upon successful completion of a Medical Terminology course. Corexcel online Medical Terminology Course https://www.corexcel.com/html/online.medical.terminology.htm Use the code INHSmt30 to receive \$30 off

Within one week of the application deadline qualified candidates will be notified of the entrance exam schedule. All applicants must successfully pass a written BLS exam with at least a 70% and a practical exam based on the National Registry Standards.

Applicants who are accepted will have ten (10) days to confirm, by registration into the course, their willingness to attend the program. Upon registration, applicants must make the minimum payment owing which is the total for all books and lab fees

#### **Application Procedure:**

- A complete application packet
- Applicant's essay
- Passing the BLS computer based exam with at least a 70%
- A personal interview with the INHS Paramedic Program selection committee.
- Successful completion of the Anatomy and Physiology course (grade of C+ or better)
- Successful completion of the Medical Terminology course (grade of C+ or better)

Residents in Eastern Washington, North Idaho and those with active employment by and ambulance or fire service agency are given priority for entrance into the Paramedic Program.

All applicants will be notified in writing regarding either their acceptance or their rejection into the Paramedic Program.

#### **Upon acceptance into the Program:**

Students will need to submit complete immunization records including but not limited to:

- Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Rubeola
- Varicella (if not available, a letter stating when you had the actual illness)
- TB test results (results must be within the immediate past six months)
- Hepatitis B series, if not completed, documentation of starting the series
- **Tetanus**

If copies of records are not available, titers may be used to show immunization status.



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#### **Application Checklist**

Please check each box to ensure you have attached all required information. It is strongly recommended applicants keep this information for future reference.

Thank you for choosing the INHS Health Training Paramedic Program

Mail complete application packet to:
INHS Health Training
Paramedic Program
501 N. Riverpoint. Ste 245
Spokane, WA 99202

For questions about the program or application call (509) 242-4264 or email healthtraining@inhs.org





Please submit full application to INHS Health Training 501 N. Riverpoint, Suite 245 Spokane, WA 99202 (509)242-4264	co:	Course Start Da	ate:
Demographic Information			
Last Name	First Name		MI
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Email Address		Birthdate	
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Home Phone	_ Cell Phone	Other	
EMS Agency Data			
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Fire Chief or Supervisor		Phone	
Academic Performance  Please submit one of the following d	locuments with your appl	ication.	
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College Degree			
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## **Work Experience**

(List work experience you have had. Use another sheet, if necessary).

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### **INHS Disclosure Statement and Background Authorization**

Pursuant to the requirements set forth by governing entities, INHS must ask you to complete the following disclosure statement. This information will be kept confidential. Please answer fully and accurately.

Note: INHS will confirm your answers to these questions by obtaining background checks and license verifications as applicable.

You will be notified of any resulting issues within two (2) business days after all reports are received. INHS will make a copy of the report available to you upon your request.

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· ·	ed of a crime? No Yes se(s), provide the date(s) of the conviction(s), the name of the court and the sentence(s)		
3. Have you ever had findings made against you for domestic violence, abuse, sexual abuse, neglect, exploitation or financial exploitation of a child or a vulnerable adult in any civil adjudicative proceeding? (Civil adjudicative proceeding includes judicial or administrative proceedings as well as findings by DSHS or the Department of Health that you have not administratively challenged or appealed). No Yes If yes, please identify the specific finding(s), which agency or court made the finding(s), the date(s) of the finding(s) and the penalty(ies) imposed:			
other Federal Health Care Pro	made against you would exclude you from participation in Medicare, Medicaid and ograms? No Yes e(s), provide the date(s) of the conviction(s) imposed:		
of your record of criminal convi- final decision. I declare under the penalty of pe- understand that if I am hired, or misrepresentation or omission in programs/classes, my employme checks.	es may request your fingerprints to obtain from the criminal identification systems a report actions for offenses against person, civil adjudications of child abuse, and disciplinary board erjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct. I allowed to participate in any of our programs/classes, I can be discharged for any in the above statement. I also understand that if hired or allowed to participate in any of our ent/acceptance into the program/class is conditioned on satisfactory results of all background tin background checks and license verifications as applicable at any time during my service/student.		
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Date of Birth:			
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