



**South Central College
Program Design**

CERT - 3325 Community Paramedic

Program Information

Instructional Level Certificate

Career Cluster Health Science Technology

Description

The Community Paramedic program responds to identified health needs in underserved communities, ultimately improving the quality of life and health of rural and remote citizens and visitors. The program seeks to prepare learners for roles that include the following: outreach, wellness, health screening assessments, health teaching, providing immunizations, wound care, recognition of mental health issues, and referral into the existing mental health care systems, and functioning as physician extenders in rural clinics and hospitals. Community Paramedic learners will also receive instruction in disease management, including a thorough understanding of monitoring diabetes, congestive heart failure, and other high-cost diseases, and the methods and medications used to treat them.

Program Course List

Number	Title	Credits	Pre/Corequisites
CP 2500	Roles Advocacy and Outreach	2	Acceptance into Community Paramedic Program.
CP 2505	Community Assessment	2	Acceptance into the Community Paramedic Program.
CP 2510	Care and Prevention Development Strategies	3	Acceptance into the Community Paramedic Program.
CP 2520	Community Paramedic Clinical	5	Acceptance into the Community Paramedic Program.