



Welcome to EMT 110 at Santa Barbara City College. This course is designed for students who are serious about working in the Emergency Medical field as a First Responder, going into the medical profession or required by the Marine Diving Technology program to achieve your AS degree.

Orientation day is mandatory for all enrolled students and you must come prepared with completed items on the attached checklist.

The following courses are HIGHLY RECOMMENDED, though not required, for your success as this is a fast paced course with high expectations and grade requirements in order to achieve a **Skills Competency Award** which will prepare you to take the National Registry Exam.

- Anatomy
- Physiology
- Medical Terminology

Please be aware that all lecture hours and lab hours require mandatory attendance in order to ensure students have met all guidelines outlined by Local EMSA, State EMSA and National Registry.

After the course begins students will be required to have a background check and a drug panel completed. Do not get these done until advised by your instructor. (see *attached list of drugs tested for*)

We look forward to having you take this exciting and challenging course!

Sincerely,

Mark Petersen, Program Director
Mary Gauthier, Clinical Coordinator

CHECK LIST

The following items must be completed and documentation brought with you to orientation.

- Evidence of (2) Varicella Vaccines OR a titre blood test showing a value of ≥ 1.10
- Evidence of (2) MMR Vaccines OR a titre blood test showing a value of ≥ 1.10
- Evidence of (3) HEP B Vaccines OR a titre blood test showing *POSITIVE*.
**If you only have only one or two of the Hep B vaccines you will be provided with a Declination Form to fill out*
- Evidence of current Influenza Vaccine (August-July 31) OR a Declination Form
**If signing a declination form you must wear a surgical masks at all times during your hospital and AMR clinical shifts. Declination forms will be provided.*
- Evidence of Tdap vaccine within last 10 years and valid for the entire course semester.
- Evidence of a negative TB test OR a *NEGATIVE* QuantiFERON titre blood test within the last year and valid for the entire course semester.
- Evidence of Covid 19 Vaccine and 2 Boosters OR a Declination Form. Declination forms will be provided.
- Physical Exam within last year and valid for entire course semester. This physical exam must be on the provided form found on the EMT webpage [Emergency Medical Technician - Santa Barbara City College \(sbccc.edu\)](https://www.sbccc.edu/emt) or on Canvas.
- One of the approved CPR cards or Completion Certificates valid for entire semester::
 - American Heart Association BLS PROVIDER
 - Red Cross BLS PROVIDER or CPR FOR THE HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONAL
 - DAN Card

Valid forms of vaccine documentation accepted:

- *Vaccine cards showing student name and DOB*
- *Vaccine record print out from doctors office*
- *Official lab report showing vaccine titre values*
- *Evidence of initial vaccine and/ or vaccine booster if just received*

Other Items To Bring To Orientation Day

Lap top

Smartphone

Credit or Debit Card to pay for online documentation center called Castlebranch. This will cost approximately \$67 dollars. Payment options available.

Social Security Number for Castlebranch registration.

Calendar to schedule your 3 clinical shifts.

Fall semester: Oct/Nov.

Spring Semester: March/ April

FACIAL HAIR

OSHA required N95 fit testing will be completed on Orientation Day. Please have a clean shaven face where the mask will sit in order to make a proper seal.

ORIENTATION DAY TIME AND LOCATION

Date: The Tuesday before class begins.

Time: 8am until 5pm

Where: SBCC A243

Important: As soon as registration for EMT110 is complete, students must begin checking their pipeline email for important information regarding Orientation Day and class start up.

DRUGS TESTED

- **THC Cannabinoids (50 ng/mL)**
- **OPI2 Opiates (2000 ng/mL)**
 - Codeine
 - Morphine
 - Hydrocodone
 - Hydromorphone
- **AMP Amphetamine (1000 ng/mL)**
- **COC Cocaine (300 ng/mL)**
- **PCP Phencyclidine (25 ng/mL)**
- **BAR Barbiturates (200 ng/mL) • BZO Benzodiazepines (300 ng/mL)**
- **MAMP Methamphetamine (1000 ng/mL)**
- **MDMA 3,4 Methylendioxyamphetamine (1500 ng/mL)**
- **OXY Oxycodone (100 > ng/mL)**

****Do not get a drug panel done until advised to do so by your instructor. Drug panels will be completed at the MedCenter. Once again you will not need this for orientation day.***

