



► Diploma

► Lincoln Campus



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**Fall Semester:**

- Starts in August
- Full-time only
- Lincoln Campus (face-to-face option)
- 2 semesters + 1 summer term

*The face-to-face option includes attending class and labs in-person on the Lincoln Campus.*

*The Paramedic program has limited spots, and admission is competitive. Not all applicants will be accepted.*

# Getting Started

Applying to an SCC health science program involves three steps. First, students must obtain State of Nebraska EMT licensure or NREMT (national registry) certification at the AEMT or EMT level. Second, students take required courses to prepare for their health science career. Third, once these courses are completed, they can apply to the program of their choice. SCC Admissions and Advising staff are available to assist with the application process and course selection. This document explains the application process.

If you've already completed the required courses for your program, please refer to the back of this document for application instructions.

Keep in mind that each student's path may be different based on their goals, previous coursework, and anticipated start date.

If you are unsure where to start, contact [admissions@southeast.edu](mailto:admissions@southeast.edu) or call 402-437-2600 for assistance.

**Are you new to SCC and/or have not completed required courses for your intended health program?**

## How to Apply

1

**Apply**

Apply to the **Associate of Health Sciences** program at [southeast.edu/applynow](https://southeast.edu/applynow). Select your intended program as your focus.

The Health Sciences program accepts new student each term (Fall, Spring, and Summer). You can apply at anytime for the next available term.

2

**Meet English & Math Requirements**

Submit placement test scores or an official college transcript showing completion of college-level English and/or math courses with a C or better. SCC accepts the ACT, SAT, and Next-Generation ACCUPLACER scores.

Math scores are valid for three years and reading scores are valid for five years. Score reports can be submitted directly to [admissions@southeast.edu](mailto:admissions@southeast.edu). Score reports must contain your full name and date of test.

If you have not taken the ACT or SAT within the last three years, contact the SCC Testing Center to schedule a time to take the Next-Generation ACCUPLACER.

Acceptance to the Associate of Health Sciences program requires:

- **Reading/Writing:** Completion of or eligibility for Beginning Reading/Writing (ENGL-0960) or higher
- **Math:** Completion of or eligibility for Math Fundamentals (MATH 0900 or MATH 0903) or higher

3

**Complete NSE**

Complete New Student Enrollment (NSE). Instructions for completing NSE will be sent via email. Your College Advisor will contact you after you complete NSE.

4

**Meet With Your Advisor**

Meet with your College Advisor to register for classes and learn more about the application process for the Paramedic program.

## Advising & Pre-Requisite Information

The Paramedic program requires specific courses to be completed before being admitted to the program. These courses will prepare you for the program.

Your College Advisor can help you choose and register for the pre-requisite courses and assist with the application process. If you're unsure who your College Advisor is, email [advising@southeast.edu](mailto:advising@southeast.edu).

Check the College catalog for detailed course requirements.

- ☐ **Emergency Medical Technician (8 credits)\***.....EMTL 1305
- ☐ **Success at SCC (1 credit)**.....ACFS 1015

**Success at SCC (ACFS 1015):** Students who have previously earned 20 hours of college credit may be eligible for a credit by waiver. Ask your College Advisor for more information.

If you completed any of the courses listed above at another college or university, send your official transcript to: SCC Registration & Records at Southeast Community College, 8800 O Street, Lincoln NE 68520. A grade of a C or higher is required for courses to be evaluated for transfer credit.

**Required Grade Information:**

Students must earn a grade of 75% (C+) or higher in the EMT course.

If you hold a current license as an EMT from the State of Nebraska or are Nationally Registered as an EMT or AEMT, you do not need to complete the course. You will submit proof of licensure with your application.

## Notes

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## Are you currently completing or have finished your pre-requisite courses?

### Important Application Information

You will apply to the Paramedic program either while enrolled in your final term or after completion of pre-requisite courses (see reverse side).

#### ► Fall Semester (August start)

Apply February 1 – March 15

First review of applications will begin March 16th and notification of acceptance will occur on or after April 15.

#### Please note the following:

- The program uses a selection process to determine admission
- Students may apply while enrolled in the last term of pre-requisite courses, but applications will only be reviewed once all courses are complete and official final grades are available
- The application will remain open for each program intake until all program seats are full
- Incomplete applications will not be reviewed if missing requirements or all required courses are not complete
- Applicants must resubmit all documents during each application period

### How to Apply

1

Apply

Apply to the **Paramedic** program at [southeast.edu/applynow](https://southeast.edu/applynow) within the time period noted above for your intended start date.

Application to the Paramedic program requires completion of pre-requisite coursework (see inside panel).

2

Meet Reading & Math Requirements

#### Acceptance to the Paramedic program requires:

- **Reading/Writing:** Completion of Intermediate Reading/Writing (ENGL 0985 or higher) with a grade that will allow you to register for Composition I (ENGL 1010) or higher or place into Composition I (ENGL 1010).
- **Math:** Completion of Math Fundamentals (MATH 0900 or MATH 0903) with a grade that will allow you to register for Business Math (MATH 1040) or place into Business Math (MATH 1140 or higher).

If you completed your pre-requisite classes at SCC, the College will have your course/score on file and your College Advisor or Admissions can advise you on your needs. If you completed your pre-requisites at another college or university, you may need to test or will need to submit an official college transcript showing

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### Important Information

Students admitted to the Paramedic program will be required to submit the following with 15 days of admittance notification:

- Completed Student Health Statement (immunization record)
- Current American Heart Association BLS (Basic Life Support) CPR for Healthcare Providers card (only CPR type accepted)
- Documentation of national registry as an EMT or Nebraska EMT license. EMT registry or licensure must remain current throughout the Paramedic program.

Submit documentation of completion of EMT state license or national registry to [healthsciences@southeast.edu](mailto:healthsciences@southeast.edu)

**Students are encouraged to begin completing the health statement prior to acceptance as several of the immunizations take more than 15 days to obtain.**

Submit the Student Health Statement and CPR card to [healthsciences@southeast.edu](mailto:healthsciences@southeast.edu).