

The Associate in Science (A.S.) in Emergency Medical Services degree program is designed to graduate competent, caring providers who possess the critical thinking necessary to function as EMS providers. This A.S. degree program in EMS is a combination of general education and EMS Professional Core and Elective courses. The mission of the Florida State College at Jacksonville Emergency Medical Services (EMS) program is the advancement of EMS through education. The faculty and stakeholders of the EMS program strive to keep ahead of the changing technology and look toward innovations in delivery of prehospital emergency medicine and educational theory. The EMS program is dedicated to developing diverse, timely and informative programs that challenge the student toward professional excellence.

Beginning in Summer 2022, students will enter the general education phase of the program (conditional offer) until they complete all admissions requirements.

### **Program Requirements**

- Students must complete a Background and Drug Screening prior to admittance to the professional phase of the EMS program.
- Preference is given to students who have successfully completed the college general education requirement for math.

Please review this checklist. If you answer yes to **every** applicable item and have submitted transcripts to support your course completion, you could be ready for review and ranking for consideration for admittance to the professional phase of the Emergency Medical Services program.

## CHECKLIST

- Submit official non-FSCJ transcripts to the College before the published application deadline for the term you wish to begin.
- Submit official A.P., I.B., AICE, CLEP and/or DSST score reports to the College before the published application deadline for the term you wish to begin (A.P. – Advanced Placement, I.B. – International Baccalaureate, AICE – University of Cambridge).

If you answered no to any of the above checklist items, please contact HCIC at [HCIC@FSCJ.edu](mailto:HCIC@FSCJ.edu) for advising.

## COMPETITIVE REVIEW PROCESS

Students are ready for review by the admissions committee upon completion of all checklist requirements. The committee uses the Associate in Science in Emergency Medical Services Ranking Criteria below to review and rank candidates for admittance consideration.

Admissions Criteria	Point Values
	(Maximum of 10 pts)
Overall GPA > 2.0	4
Completed MAC 1105 or MGF 1106 or MGF 1107 or higher-level general education math	6
Completed MAT 1033 or eligible to enroll in general education math	5
Enrolled in MAT 1033	4
Eligible to enroll in MAT 1033	3
Enrolled in MAT0028	2
Required enrollment in MAT 0028 (Students must enroll in this course concurrently with EMT courses)	1