

**Application to study (Registration January 2025)**

**Course Name: Emergency Medical Preparatory Programme**

Applicant Name/s				Applicant Surname			
Email Address				Contact Number/s			
Gender	Male	Female	Identity / Passport Number				
Country of Origin				Province			
Residential / Postal Address							
Next of Kin	Name and Contact number:						
Application for college student accommodation?				YES	NO		
Are you currently employed?	YES	NO	If Yes, please tick applicable box for Employer		Public EMS	Private EMS	Other

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

This form must be emailed to [info@mecollege.co.za](mailto:info@mecollege.co.za) OR [admin@mecollege.co.za](mailto:admin@mecollege.co.za).

Proof of payment for a non-refundable application fee of **R1000** must accompany this form **together with copy of ID, Matric and any other relevant certificates.**

All payments must be made to the College's bank account via EFT or Direct ATM deposit only!!! Cash and Cheque payments are NOT accepted!

**Banking Details:**

Account Name: Maritzburg Emergency College (Pty) Ltd

Bank Name: NEDBANK Limited

Branch Name: Hayfields Branch code: 1987650

Account Number: 1195101333 Reference: Applicant's Initials and Surname

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**Please note:**

- 1) Due to the limited space on the course, submission of this form and payment of the non-refundable application fee does not guarantee acceptance on to the course. Further selection process may be applicable prior to registration.
- 2) The EMPP is offered over duration of 10months (to include all training, assessments and college breaks).
- 3) Please note the fee structure for the 2025 academic year:
  - a. Total tuition fee: R54 500,00 (Registration: R10 000 + Tuition: R44 500)
  - b. Student residence fee: R3 000 per month (Self-catering) OR  
R7 000 per month for catered residence

The following payment structure will apply for tuition fees:

	<b>Registration fee</b>	<b>Tuition fee balances</b>
<b>OPTION 1</b>	Minimum R10 000.00	R13 734 X 3
<b>OPTION 2</b>	Minimum R10 000.00	R7167 X 6
<b>OPTION 3</b>	Minimum R10 000.00	R5 562,50 X 8

**Brief Summary of the Emergency Medical Preparatory Programme:**

**Licensing institution: Central University of Technology (Bloemfontein)**

The EMPP is intended to serve as a selection platform of prospective students onto the 1year Higher Certificate: EMC (equivalent to Intermediate Life Support) or 3year Diploma: EMC (equivalent Advanced Life Support). If a student performs with distinction on the EMPP, they may also be considered for entry onto the 4year Bachelor of Health Science degree in Emergency Medical Care.

This is an NQF level 5 programme that serves as a bridging course for the following candidates:

1. Holders of Matric certificate wishing to pursue a career in Emergency Medical Care but did not achieve the minimum Matric subject pass marks required for studies towards the Higher certificate, Diploma or Bachelor in Emergency Medical Care.
2. Holders of a Basic Ambulance Assistant or Ambulance Emergency Assistant certificate wishing to upgrade their EMS qualifications **but** do not have the relevant Matric subjects required for studies towards the Higher certificate, Diploma or Bachelor in Emergency Medical Care.

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**New Mainstream Emergency Medical Care Qualifications in South Africa**

Qualification	Duration	Minimum Matric requirements	Tuition fee
1. Higher Certificate in Emergency Medical Care (ECA – Emergency Care Assistant)	1 year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- English (level 3) + Physical / Life Science (level 3) Mathematics (level 3) or Mathematics Literacy (level 6), at least 2 additional subjects (level 3)</li> <li>- Matric prior to 2009: All subjects minimum HG (E) or SG (D)</li> <li>- Total APS (points) excluding Life Orientation = <b>18 for HCert</b></li> </ul>	Approx: R90 000 at private colleges
2. Diploma in Emergency Medical Care (Paramedic)	3 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- English (level 4) + Physical / Life Science (level 3) Mathematics (level 3) or Mathematics Literacy (level 6), at least 2 additional subjects (level 3)</li> <li>- Matric prior to 2009: All subjects minimum HG (E) or SG (D)</li> <li>- Total APS (points) excluding Life Orientation = <b>24 for Diploma</b></li> </ul>	Approx: R70 000per year at private colleges
3. Bachelor of Health Science in Emergency Medical Care (ECP – Emergency Care Practitioner)	4 years	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- English (level 4) + Physical / Life Science (level 4) Mathematics (level 4) or Mathematics Literacy (level 6).</li> <li>- Matric prior to 2009: All subjects minimum HG (E) or SG (D)</li> <li>- Total APS (points) excluding Life Orientation = <b>30 for BHSc.</b></li> </ul>	Approx: R45 000per year at universities

**Additional Entrance Requirements:**

- **Physical and Medical fitness.**
- **Swimming Proficiency.**

**For More Information Contact us on:**

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