

**Which Program is Right for Me?
Credit or Post Secondary Adult Vocational program**

	Credit Paramedic Program	PSAV Paramedic Program
Day Classes	No	Yes
Night Classes	Yes	No
Shift Friendly	No	Yes
Length of Course	Three Semesters	45 weeks
Hours	42 credits (1103 contact hours+)	1103 contact hours+
College Placement Test	Yes	No
Pre-requisites	Yes* ^{1,2}	No
Curriculum	State and National Standards	State and National Standards
Accredited	Yes	Yes
Financial aid eligible	Yes	No**
VA benefit eligible	Yes	Yes***
Eligible for National Registry Exam	Yes	Yes
Eligible for Florida State Exam	Yes	Yes
Credit towards an EMS degree within 5 years of completion	Yes	Yes

*¹ College readiness classes as determined by P.E.R.T. scores.

<https://go.spcollege.edu/testingforplacement/>

*² Credit Paramedic Program Requirements

<https://go.spcollege.edu/paramedic/>

**Financial aid eligible but not yet approved for 2017-2018

*** Pending Approval

+ Minimum of 1103 contact hours. Completion of clinicals and internship hours is based on both hours **and** successful completion of competencies.

Paramedic PSAV Program

Cost Breakdown

Tuition

Tuition	\$5,482.14
Lab Fees	\$233.18
Liability Insurance	\$23.00
FISDAP	\$84.00
Test Prep	<u>\$150.00</u>
Total Tuition	\$5,972.32***

Additional Costs

Books	\$600.00 (estimation)
Uniforms	\$300.00 (estimation)
Misc. Supplies	\$100.00
Physicals/immunizations	\$450.00 (estimation)*
Background Check	\$180.00
National Registry Testing Fee:	\$125.00
	https://www.nremt.org/rwd/public/document/paramedic

OR

State of Florida Testing Fee	Certification Fee	\$45.00
	Exam Fee	\$110.00
http://www.floridahealth.gov/licensing-and-regulation/emt-paramedics/licensing/index.html		

*Students can reduce cost by utilizing services Science National University of Health Science at SPC's Health Education Center campus. NUHS will provide student physicals at their clinic by appointment, free of charge.

*****Tuition may be eligible for payment plan options**