



Job Title: EMT- PARAMEDIC
Salary Grade: 64
Hiring Salary Range: \$14.45
Appointment Type: Part-time
Location: Office of Emergency Services
 Louisburg, NC 27549
Posting Date: September 10, 2009
Closing Date: Open until filled

*****Credentialed Paramedic Only*****



General Description of Work

Performs appropriate level life support work in the Emergency Medical Services program. Work involves responding to the scene of emergency and non-emergency calls, applying necessary medical treatment to sick or injured persons, and transporting persons to a medical facility. Work includes participating in community outreach education and prevention programs, preparation of vehicles, cleaning of vehicles, building and grounds, participating in continuous in-service training, and providing assistance to members of volunteer emergency medical service organizations, as requested. **Special working conditions:** Employees are exposed to the normal hazards of emergency rescue work, including risk of exposure to human body fluids and infectious diseases, thus the work is subject to the OSHA requirements for blood borne pathogens.

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

A successful person in this position must possess:

- Considerable knowledge of and skill in administering emergency medical procedures and techniques, anatomy, and physiology.
- Considerable knowledge of intravenous therapy and skill in recognizing adverse conditions
- Considerable knowledge of equipment and supplies employed in emergency care of patients and accident victims.
- Considerable knowledge of county geography and locations of roads and streets
- Skill in recognizing trauma and signs and symptoms of medical emergencies to determine appropriate treatment.
- Ability to respond quickly and calmly in emergencies and stressful situations
- Ability to work with diverse socioeconomic populations based on unique situations encountered.
- Ability to safely drive an emergency vehicle in adverse conditions and according to motor vehicle laws.
- Ability to communicate in and effectively tactful and firm manner with the public
- Ability to accurately record services provided on required forms.

Education, Training, and Experience

Graduation from high school and two years of experience in advanced emergency medical service work (EMT-I or EMT-P); or any equivalent combination of training and experience. **Must possess NC Office of Emergency Medical Services EMT- Paramedic credential.**

To Apply:

Submit a Franklin County employment application to Franklin County, Attn: Kelly Faulkner, 113 Market Street, Louisburg, NC 27549. Resumes are not accepted in lieu of county applications. A separate application is required for each position for which you want to apply.

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