

# EMS 242: Paramedic Patient Assessment

This course provides the knowledge and skills needed to perform a comprehensive patient assessment, make initial management decisions, and to communicate assessment findings and patient care verbally and in writing. Content areas include: airway management, history taking, techniques of the physical examination, patient assessment, clinical decision making, communications, documentation and assessment based management. As needed

**Credits:** 2

**Lab Hours:** 1

**Lecture Hours:** 1

**Prerequisites:**

As required by program

**Program:** [Emergency Medical Services](#)

**Semester Offered:**

Summer