

## Master Syllabus

### EMS 2175 - Paramedic 4: Lecture

**Division:** Health Sciences

**Department:** Emergency Medical Services

**Credit Hour Total:** 2.0                      **Lecture Hrs:** 2.0

**Other Prerequisite(s):** Approval of Department

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### Course Description:

This course is a complaint based approach to patient care. Students will focus on integrating pathology, assessment and patient care knowledge in the care of patients with multiple pathologies. Four classroom hours per week for eight weeks.

### General Education Outcomes:

- Critical Thinking/Problem Solving Competency

### Course Outcomes:

#### Integrated Care

Apply the knowledge and skill obtained throughout the paramedic program in managing patients through written / oral simulated patient presentations.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:**

On an examination created by the EMS department, 100% of the successful students will score at least a 70% on written examinations covering the integrated care of the out of hospital patient.

#### Patient Assessment

Apply the knowledge and skill obtained throughout the paramedic program in the assessment of patients through written / oral simulated patients.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:**

On an examination created by the EMS department, 100% of the successful students will score at least a 70% on written examinations covering the patient assessment of the out of hospital patient.

#### Critical Thinking

Apply knowledge and skill obtained throughout the paramedic program in obtaining, deciphering understanding, and applying data related to the care of patients with multiple pathologies.

**Assessment Method:** Locally developed exams

**Performance Criteria:**

On an examination created by the EMS department, 100% of the successful students will score at least a 70% on written examinations covering the critical thinking in the care of the out of hospital patient.

### Outline:

Chest pain  
Abdominal pain  
Altered level of consciousness  
Shortness of breath  
Headache