

ROANE STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE/CONTINUING HEALTHCARE EDUCATION

RN to EMT Bridge Course

This course will apply the Registered Nurse's previous clinical knowledge and skills to prehospital situations and supplement it with the additional knowledge and skills necessary to function in the prehospital environment. This intensive course will cover topics such as prehospital assessment, EMS equipment, patient management, field triage and EMS operations. A portion of the didactic course work will be done online prior to arriving on the campus. The didactic portion is extensive, online work that requires AT LEAST one month to complete. That portion of the course will be run as an online course, through RSCC's Momentum portal and requires that candidates be registered by the "MUST REGISTER BY DATES" posted on our online registration system. Normally, this will be three (3) weeks before the classroom dates that are posted on our online schedule. Clinicals will be scheduled in the evenings or on Saturday or Sunday (based on availability).

Successful completion of the course will result in a certificate of completion and eligibility to take the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians exam for State Licensure as an EMT. The practical final test will be held on Monday, October 19th at the Knox Regional Health Science Education Center beginning at 9:00 a.m. and be completed at approximately 1:00 p.m.

Prerequisites: Active RN license; two (2) years of full-time experience in the Emergency Department or Critical Care Units; current certification in BLS, ACLS, PALS or ENPC; PHTLS or TNCC; proof of professional liability insurance.

Location: Knox Regional Health Science Education Center
9575 Sherrill Blvd.
Knoxville, TN 37932

Dates: October 12 - 19, 2026

Times: 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. (clinicals will be scheduled after class or on Saturday & Sunday)

Tuition: \$ 1,075.00 (does not include book)

Textbook: Emergency Care and Transportation of the Sick and Injured, AAOS, 12th Edition
ISBN 13: 978-1284243758

Registration Deadline: September 21, 2026

Please Note: We have a 100% attendance policy for all our public courses. No refunds will be issued once the online portion of this course has started.

For more information or to register for this course, please visit our website at <http://www.roanestate.edu/che> or contact:

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