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LIFE AND LEARNING COME TOGETHER AT UMBC
Faculty and students strive for the highest levels of accomplishment. Students are closely mentored by professors, who are recognized leaders in their fields. UMBC offers countless activities and resources - from state-of-the-art athletic facilities to dance, music and theater performances. With downtown Baltimore and Washington, D.C. both nearby, there is never a shortage of things to do.

ABOUT THE DEPARTMENT
The Department of Emergency Health Services offers a unique perspective for the education of future EMS professionals. This is accomplished by providing a broad liberal-arts and sciences education, which enhances the graduates' employment opportunities as prehospital providers and managers. The Department of Emergency Health Services also prepares graduates for advancement to graduate, medical and professional studies.

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM

MANAGEMENT TRACK
The Management Track allows students to focus primarily on the administrative and policy aspects of EMS. This track is particularly appropriate for those students who already have EMT or Paramedic provider certification and those planning to go on for an advanced degree. As part of the curriculum, Management Track students complete a one-semester internship. These placements can be arranged throughout the United States and foreign sites. Most students cite their internship as being one of their most valuable experiences at UMBC.

ALREADY A PARAMEDIC? Academic credit of up to 30 credits towards the Management Track is available for paramedic training completed through an accredited program.

PARAMEDIC TRACK
The Paramedic Track prepares students to manage EMS systems, supervise field personnel, and satisfy certification requirements to become a Nationally Registered Paramedic. Paramedic track students complete university general education and natural sciences requirements prior to paramedic didactic and clinical courses.

MINOR
To earn a minor in Emergency Health Services, students must complete 18 credits of required and elective courses.

GRADUATE PROGRAM
The UMBC Emergency Health Services graduate study program is primarily focused on preparing professionals for leadership roles requiring skill in planning, research, development, and organizational operations. The three track curriculum is designed to provide graduate level training and education to health care providers, researchers, educators, policy makers, and administrators.

GRADUATE TRACKS/Certificate
Master's Degree
Track I: EMS System Management (online/on campus)
Track II: Preventive Medicine and Epidemiology (on campus only)
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Post-Baccalaureate Certificate
A 5-7 course Graduate Certificate program in Emergency Management, (online/on campus) can be taken as part of the MS degree-seeking program, or separately as a stand-alone graduate certificate, which helps qualify students for the international Certificate in Emergency Management (CEM).

Ph.D. Degree
Public Policy Ph.D. with two tracks
Concentrations in Emergency Health
1) Emergency Health
2) Emergency Management