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EMERGENCY & HEALTH SERVICES

NORTHWEST IOWA COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Continuing Education

FREE TUITION MAY BE AVAIL-

Emergency Medical Technician

NCC's face-to-face EMT classes will start **Monday, September 14.** We will offer one class on NCC's campus in Building H.

Day	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
M/TH	9/14-12/18	7-10p	NCC-Bldg H	$1500

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Emergency Medical Technician - Hybrid Course - Online

The Hybrid EMT Course consists of on-line class lectures with several all-day Saturday skills sessions to be held at NCC. The blend of on-line with the face-to-face skills labs shortens the duration of the course. The student must be dedicated and motivated to handle this form of educational delivery.

An Orienation session will be held on Monday, August 24 at NCC from 6:00-9:00 PM

Date	Loc.	Fee
8/24-12/18	ONLINE	$1500

Emergency Medical Responder (First Responder) Hybrid Course

The Emergency Medical Responder course, formerly known as First Responder, is designed to train the student in patient stabilization techniques through the use of initial basic emergency care prior to the arrival of an ambulance. You will be instructed to the current 2011 EMR guidelines & Iowa scope of practice. You will take the National Registry EMR Exam upon completion of the course. This class is held online with face-to-face practical skill sessions. **An Orientation session will be held on Monday, August 24 at NCC from 6:00-10:00 PM**

***The practical skill sessions will be held several Saturdays at the Paullina Fire Department.**

Prerequisites: Must be 17 years old at the start of class, be proficient in reading, writing, and speaking English. Instructor: Keri Oostra

Course#	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
70254	8/24-12/18	6-10p	PFD*	$900

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First Aid and CPR for Child Care

Medical emergencies or accidents can occur at anytime, especially when caring for children. This course from the American Heart Association will provide the information needed to provide pediatric first aid for most common emergencies and CPR for adult, child and infant.
Instructor: Jeana Wollmuth

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
70274	TH	11/19	6-10p	513H	$50

BLS CPR Heartcode

This class was a renewal course for those participants who already possess a current Healthcare Provider card. This class has covered the 2015 American Heart Association guidelines for the Healthcare Provider. The class included the Automated External Defibrillator (AED) and the use of the bag-mask device. Techniques for CPR cover one and two rescuer CPR for the adult, child, and infant. Foreign Body Airway Obstruction techniques were performed for all age groups. The participants have passed the written exam with a minimum of 84% and completed all of the skills testing stations. Must bring in Online Certificate from:
https://shopcpr.heart.org/courses/bls?format=88. Instructor: Jeana Wollmuth

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
70261	TH	10/15	7-8p	513H	$45

RN Exception Training

According to Iowa Code, RN Exceptions must have equivalent training that is signed off by the Service's Medical Director. We here at NCC are looking at creating a standardized training that would be applicable to all RN exceptions and could fit into the training. The training is a two day, comprehensive course, covering the basics of EMS. RN's should already be competent in assessment skills, but may need to be brought to light on EMS standard of care and operations. To register contact the college. Instructor: Jared Johnson

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
70262	S	10/3-10/10	8a-5p	518H	$60

Firefighter I Course

The Fire Service Training Bureau (FSTB) will be offering the recently revised 2013 Firefighter I curriculum. The new curriculum class length is 105 hours. The course is broken down into 7 units. The units include: Unit I: Introduction, NIMS, Firefighter Safety and Fire Behavior; Unit II: Building Construction, Personal Protective Equipment, Portable Fire Extinguishers; Unit III: Ropes & Knots, Rescue & Extrication, Intro to Incident Command ICS-100; Unit IV: Forcible Entry, Ground Ladders; Unit V: Ventilation, Water Supply & Fire Hose; Unit VI: Fire Streams, Fire Control Fire Detection, Alarm & Supression Systems; Unit VII: Protecting Fire Scene Evidence & Fire Department Communications. The FSTB offers this course at no cost. The student **MUST** be affiliated with an Iowa Fire Department prior to registering for this class. ***Rock Rapids Fire Department.**
Monday, November 2 will be an orientation.
Class will be held on Mondays & Thursdays.
Instructor: Arden Kopischke

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
70260	M/TH	11/2-5/27	7-10p	RRFD*	FREE

Traffic Incident Management

The National TIM Responder Training Program was developed by responders for responders, and was designed to promote consistent training of all responders to achieve the three objectives of the TIM National Unified Goal (NUG): . Responder Safety, Safe, Quick Clearance. Prompt, Reliable, Interoperable Communications. The target audience for this course is all TIM disciplines, including: Communications, Emergency Management, Emergency Medical Services (EMS), Fire/Rescue, Law Enforcement, Towing and Recovery, and Transportation/Public Works.
To register, please contact Kevin Miller at 712-324-5061 Ext. 231. Instructor: Kenneth Huls
****LOCATION: Rock Rapids Community Center, 405 S 2nd Ave, Rock Rapids, IA**

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
70404	TH	8/13	6-10p	**RRCC	$5

WATCH OUR WEBSITE AND NCC CONTINUING EDUCATION FACEBOOK PAGE FOR UPDATED INFORMATION ON CLASS CANCELLATIONS, NEW CLASSES AND INFORMATION ON FIREFIGHTER, EMS, LAW ENFORCEMENT, HAZ MAT, AND NON-PROFESSIONAL PERMIT TO CARRY CLASSES.

Basic Life Support CPR Provider Course

This certification level was formerly known as Healthcare Provider by the American Heart Association. This level of training is required for all EMS providers and also for many nurses, firefighters, law enforcement, and other healthcare professionals. Topics include: adult, child, and infant CPR according to the revised 2015 AHA standards. The BLS Provider textbook is available for $14.00 in addition to the course fee if desired. Instructor: Jeana Wollmuth

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
67951	T	8/4	6-10p	513H	$45
70237	T	8/18	6-10p	513H	$45
70238	T	9/1	6-10p	513H	$45
70239	T	9/15	6-10p	513H	$45
70240	T	10/6	6-10p	513H	$45
70241	T	10/20	6-10p	513H	$45
70242	T	11/3	6-10p	513H	$45
70243	T	11/17	6-10p	513H	$45
70244	T	12/1	6-10p	513H	$45
70245	T	12/15	6-10p	513H	$45

CPR Instructor Course

This program will increase the healthcare professional's knowledge & understanding of adult instruction & AHA Basic Life Support curriculum. After completing this course you will be able to teach & evaluate students in a Basic Life Support Course. Fee includes the BLS Instructor Manual. Fee does NOT include: Heartsaver 1st Aid CPR AED Instructor Manual. Instructor candidates must be certified at the BLS Provider level prior to registering for the course. The Instructor is required to complete the on-line BLS Instructor Essentials class PRIOR to the first night of class. This must be purchased through the AHA on-line website for $30.00. The certificate of completion from the on-line portion is required the first night of class.
Instructor: Kevin Miller

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
70246	T/TH	10/27 & 10/29	6-9p	513H	$119

CPR Instructor Renewal

This course is designed to recertify current American Heart Association CPR Instructors. The student must be aligned with a Training Center and must show documentation of teaching 4 classes within their 2-year certification period. Instructor: Kevin Miller

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
70247	TH	10/22	7-9p	513H	$35

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75 HOUR CERTIFIED NURSE AIDE

This course is 75 hours in length and meets the requirements for taking the Nursing Assistant Certification Exam which qualifies personnel to work as a nursing assistant in Long Term Care. The purpose of the course is to develop the basic skills to care for the elderly. This course consists of 30 hours of lecture, 15 hours of simulated lab time, and 30 hours of clinical. **This course offers 3 hours of college credit.**

Uniform/scrubs, closed toe shoes, and a watch with a second hand are required for the clinical portion of the course. Criminal background checks will be completed prior to the first class. **Clinical sites to be announced at class. ALL OF THESE COURSES MAY REQUIRE ATTENDANCE ON 1 SATURDAY.** State competency testing is scheduled several times each month. *Fee includes tuition, textbook, materials, and first attempt for state competency testing. **Need-based tuition assistance may be available.** Coordinator: Julie Paulsen

****Course# 70249: A-OC - The Academy in Orange City.**

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
70248	M/TH	8/24-10/15	4-9:30p	503H	$625
70249	M/W	9/14-11/2	4-9:30p	A-OC**	$625
70250	T/TH	9/29-11/17	4-9:30p	503H	$625
70251	M/TH	10/26-12/17	4-9:30p	503H	$625

NURSE AIDE COMPETENCY EXAM

To fulfill the training requirements of OBRA for nurse aides working in Long Term Care and Skilled Nursing facilities, a written and skills competency exam is required. Please call NCC to schedule a testing date and time.

The skills competency exam will be offered on the following dates:

Sept. 1	Oct. 7	Nov. 3	Dec. 1
Sept. 9	Oct. 12	Nov. 11	Dec. 9
Sept. 15	Oct. 21	Nov. 18	Dec. 15
Sept. 23	Oct. 28	Nov. 24	Dec. 21
Sept. 30			Dec. 29

Fees: Skills Test: $95; Computer Test: $55
Payment due at time of scheduling.

55 Hour Certified Medication Aide

This course prepares individuals to administer non-parenteral medications in Long Term Care or residential facilities. Requirements for this course vary depending on the sponsoring facility. This course includes 45 hours of theory and 10 hours of clinically supervised experience by a Registered Nurse in the sponsoring facility. Contact NCC for more information.

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Loc.	Fee
70284	M/W/TH	9/16-10/5	4-9:30p	514H	$432

GENERAL INFORMATION

Payment

Payment must be made at time of registration unless indicated otherwise in the section description.

Refunds

You may cancel your registration by calling the Continuing Education Office at least one business day before the start of class to receive a 100% refund.

Cancellations

The Continuing Education Department makes every effort to maintain the schedule announced in our tabloid. If a class does not have sufficient enrollment, we reserve the right to cancel, combine, or change the class schedule. If the class you registered for is cancelled, you will be contacted and 100% of the tuition will be refunded.

Postponement of Classes

In the event of inclement weather, classes may be postponed. Listen to local radio stations or check our website for college announcements.

Certificates

Certificates of attendance are awarded at the end of each program. These must be retained by licensed professionals for four years. Duplicate certificates are provided for a fee. No credit will be given for partial attendance.

Accreditation

Northwest Iowa Community College is fully accredited by North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, Iowa Department of Education, and Iowa State Board of Regents, acting jointly.

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Nondiscrimination in Education

It is the policy of Northwest Iowa Community College not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, creed, religion, and actual or potential parental, family or marital status in its programs, activities, or employment practices as required by federal and state civil rights statutes and all other applicable federal and state laws, regulations and orders. The Board of Trustees shall monitor progress on this policy through the President's appointed Affirmative Action/Equity Coordinator(s).

If you have any questions or complaints related to compliance with this policy, please contact one of the Equity Coordinators at Northwest Iowa Community College, 603 West Park Street, Sheldon, Iowa, room D403b or room A101D, email equity@nwicc.edu, phone number 712-324-5061, extension 113 or extension 242, fax 712-324-4136; or the Director of the Office for Civil Rights, U.S. Department of Education, Citigroup Center, 500 W. Madison, Suite 1475, Chicago, IL 60661, phone number 312-730-1560, fax 312-730-1576.

Gainful Employment

For more information about our graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program, and other important information, please visit our website at www.nwicc.edu/compliance.

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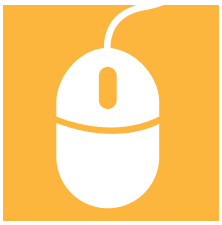
3 easy ways to register



ONLINE

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PHONE

800-352-4907
712-324-5061

IN PERSON

Stop in the Business Office
Building A, at NCC, 603 West Park St.
Sheldon, Iowa
8:00AM–4:30PM | Monday–Friday

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Classes start weekly through December 2020.

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