

## **EMS Academy Consortium**

## **Paramedic Course Application Process**

Thank you for your interest in the Paramedic program at the MetroAtlanta EMS Academy Consortium (The Academy). The Academy is accredited by CAAHEP through the Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Professions (CoAEMSP). Upon completion of the program, our candidates are eligible to challenge the National Registry examination and apply for Georgia licensure.

Paramedic Course Instruction begins in March of each year. Applications are accepted beginning in December of each year. Entrance Exams are conducted in January and February of each year. The following is required for admission in the Paramedic program

- Must be 18 years of age
- Must be sponsored by a participating agency
- Must submit an application along with an official high school or GED transcript
- Must be currently licensed by National Registry of the state of Georgia at the EMT\*, AEMT, or EMT-I.
- Must score 75% or higher on the proctored entrance exam
- Immunizations (Required titers are included in tuition)
  - o MMR (2 shots or titer test)
  - o Hepatitis B shot series 1, 2 & 3 or proof of vaccination
  - o TB test read results valid only within 12 months
  - Seasonal flu shot (when applicable)
  - o Chickenpox (shot or evidence of disease in the medical record)
- Student must have access to the internet for work outside of class

After you have submitted your application to the EMS admission office, you will be contacted for advisement.

The program tuition is due in full no later than two weeks prior to the start of class.

Currently, the EMS programs do not qualify for Federal financial aid, and students are not eligible for Georgia's HOPE grant or scholarship. The programs may become eligible for financial aid after we complete the accreditation process.

Contact Rob Bozicevich <u>rob.bozicevich@maas911.com</u> 678-637-1424 if you have questions regarding the application process, upcoming courses or any other information regarding the program.

\*The Metro Atlanta EMS Academy Consortium reserves the right to review applicants holding an EMT license or certification on a case by case basis to ensure student success in the program.