

Durham Technical Community College, Durham - Associate Degree in Emergency Management

The Emergency Management curriculum is designed to provide students with a foundation of technical and professional knowledge needed for emergency services delivery in local and state government agencies. Study involves both management and technical aspects of law enforcement, fire protection, emergency medical services, and emergency planning.

Course work includes classroom and laboratory exercises to introduce the student to various aspects of emergency preparedness, protection, and enforcement. Students will learn technical and administrative skills such as investigative principles, hazardous materials, codes, standards, emergency agency operations, and finance.

Employment opportunities include ambulance services, fire/rescue agencies, law enforcement agencies, fire marshal offices, industrial firms, educational institutions, emergency management offices, and other government agencies. Employed persons should have opportunities for skilled and supervisory-level positions.

Additional Information: <https://www.durhamtech.edu/academic-programs/emergency-management>

Courses

- EPT 120: Sociology of Disaster - 3 credit(s)
- EPT 124: EM Services Law & Ethics - 3 credit(s)
- EPT 130: Mitigation & Preparedness - 3 credit(s)
- EPT 140: Emergency Management - 3 credit(s)
- EPT 150: Incident Management - 3 credit(s)
- EPT 210: Response & Recovery - 3 credit(s)
- EPT 220: Terrorism and Emergency Management - 3 credit(s)
- EPT 225: Hazard Analysis/Risk Assessment - 3 credit(s)
- EPT 230: Emergency Planning - 3 credit(s)
- EPT 260: Business Continuity - 3 credit(s)
- EPT 275: Emergency Operations Center Management - 3 credit(s)
- EPT 280: Building Resilient Communities - 3 credit(s)
- FIP 228: Local Government Finance - 3 credit(s)
- FIP 256: Municipal Public Relations - 3 credit(s)

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Core Capabilities

Community Resilience
Long-term Vulnerability Reduction
Planning
Risk and Disaster Resilience Assessment
Situational Assessment
Threats and Hazards Identification

Core Competencies

Community Engagement
Disaster Risk Management
Governance and Civics
Possess Critical Thinking

Internship is optional

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