

Niagara County Community College – Homeland Security and Emergency Management Associate in Applied Science Degree

Niagara County Community College offers a Homeland Security and Emergency Management Associate in Applied Science Degree. The program will provide students with the knowledge and experience necessary to respond in a unified manner to natural or man-made emergency situations. Students will be trained to coordinate and evaluate the resources and operations dealing with the emergency situations and their aftermaths.

The program is designed specifically to attract and prepare area fire fighters, police, emergency medical workers and private safety/security professionals as part of a statewide effort to establish standardized emergency management degree programs in community colleges in New York State. We have dynamic, qualified emergency management faculty who are a part of this very good program, which falls under Homeland Security.

The Homeland Security and Emergency Management program is offered as a full-time day program, part-time program and online classes. Because of the sequencing of course, it may take longer than four semesters to complete the full-time program if a student begins in the spring semester. Students must complete a total of at least 62 credits hours with a minimum curriculum grade-point average of 2.0.

Program Requirements:

Emergency Management: minimum of 30 credits to include:

EMG 150	Principles of Emergency Management	2 credits
EMG 152	Public Safety Critical Incident Management	1 credit
EMG 160	Developing Volunteer Resources	1 credit
EMG 162	Resource and Donation Management	2 credits
EMG 170	Public Information Officer Basic Course	3 credits
EMG 178	Emergency Response Planning	3 credits
EMG 180	Emergency Management Leadership	2 credits
EMG 182	Basic Incident Command System	1 credit
EMG 184	Emergency Response to Terrorism	1 credit
EMG 252	Disaster Response and Recovery Operations	2 credits
EMG 256	Mitigation for Emergency Managers	1.5 credits
EMG 262	Intermediate Incident Command System	1.5 credits
EMG 270	Multi-Hazard Emergency Response Planning	1 credit
EMG 278	Emergency Operations Center (EOC) Management	1.5 credits
EMG 280	Emergency Exercise Program Management	3 credits
EMG 282	Advanced Incident Command System	1.5 credits
EMG 284	Terrorism Response Planning	2 credits

Social Sciences: minimum of 12 credits to include

CRJ 102	Criminal Law and Procedure	3 credits
CRJ 110	Introduction to Principles of Security	3 credits
CRJ 204	Criminal Investigations	3 credits
	Social Science Elective*	3 credits

Health/Physical Education: minimum of 2 credits
Health or Physical Education Elective 2 credits

Humanities: minimum of 6 credits to include:

ENG 101 Writing I ** 3 credits

ENG 102 Writing II & Introduction to Literature 3 credits

Mathematics: minimum of 3 credits to include:

MAT 164 Introduction of Statistics ** 3 credits

Arts and Media: minimum of 3 credits to include:

SPE 101 Speech Communications 3 credits

Computer Science: minimum of 3 credits to include:

CIS 100 Introduction to Personal Computer 3 credits

Natural Science: minimum of 3 credits

Selected by advisement 3 credits

*Consider selection of a course that would fulfill one of the SUNY General Ed requirements

** Dependent upon fulfillment of Academic Foundations requirements

Scholarships are available to volunteer fire fighters and EMTs through a special fund set up by Senator George Maziarz and Niagara County Emergency Management Office. Other financial aid may be available for those who qualify.

Niagara County Community College is accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education.

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