

**Course: Mutual Aid- Excelsa Health Paramedic Training Program (Hybrid)**

**Start Date: September 10, 2026**

**End Date: May 6, 2027**

**Test Date: May 2027 (DATE TBD)**

**Time: 12 hours/week**

**Where: Mutual Aid Ambulance Service, Inc: 561 West Otterman Street, Greensburg, PA 15601**



- Classes are scheduled in person *Tuesdays 0800-1600 (September to November only) and Thursdays 0800-1600 (September until May).*
- Currently certified Advanced EMTs may be eligible to apply for advanced standing for certain aspects of the program. Contact the Program Director for more information.
- This certification program will be delivered in a hybrid format. The student will complete the CAAHEP accredited Paramedic Training Program and upon completion, will take the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT) cognitive adaptive examination.
- Students will complete over 1000 hours of education including, but not limited to, didactic and psychomotor training, field precepting, emergency department clinical hours, critical care subspecialty clinical hours and a Capstone Field Internship. In addition, students will also undergo training in BLS, ACLS, PALS, PHTLS, NRP, and TECC. **As a result of the need to be patient facing, all students must be fully vaccinated for COVID-19 or have an appropriately documented religious or medical exemption.**
- Students must be at least 18 years of age to enroll in the Paramedic Program and hold and maintain a valid Emergency Medical Technician-Basic/Advanced certification throughout the duration of the Program.
- **Applications for the program will open March 23, 2026, and are due no later than June 5, 2026.** Students will then be invited for interviews between June 17-26, 2026. A letter of conditional acceptance will be issued no later than June 29, 2026, to those candidates admitted into the program. All admitted students will be required to complete all course prerequisites (background checks, physicals, drug screenings, etc.) no later than September 9, 2026.
- Students must have the necessary mental acuity, practical skills, motivation, and mental attitude necessary to complete the program. Students must adhere to the physical performance guidelines as outlined in the *Pennsylvania Department of Health Functional Position Description for ALS Provider*. In addition, the candidates must possess the perseverance to provide quality patient care, even under difficult circumstances.
- **Tuition: \$7,500.00–** minimum deposit of \$1,000.00 due on the first day of class. The remaining balance must be satisfied by May 1, 2027. Payments will be due on the first of every month, throughout the program. Checks should be made payable to **Mutual Aid Ambulance Service, Inc.,** unless other arrangements have been made. **No cash will be accepted.** Tuition payments will not be accepted prior to the first day of class. Tuition includes the required testing fees, technology access, uniforms, and liability insurance.
- The Program’s goal is “To prepare competent entry-level Paramedics in the cognitive (knowledge), psychomotor (skills), and affective (behavior) learning domains to enter the profession.”
- Questions may be directed to Program Director Brian Kosczuk, via email at [bkosczuk@mutual-aid.com](mailto:bkosczuk@mutual-aid.com)