

LABETTE COMMUNITY COLLEGE BRIEF SYLLABUS

SPECIAL NOTE:

This brief syllabus is not intended to be a legal contract. A full syllabus will be distributed to students at the first class session.

TEXT AND SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS USED IN THE COURSE (if any):

Please check with the LCC bookstore <http://www.labette.edu/bookstore> for the required texts for this class.

<u>COURSE NUMBER:</u>	PARA 137
<u>COURSE TITLE:</u>	EMERGENCY HEALTH AND SAFETY
<u>SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS:</u>	3
<u>DEPARTMENT:</u>	Paraprofessional and Developmental Disabilities
<u>DIVISION:</u>	Career Technical Education
<u>PREREQUISITE:</u>	None

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Presents information that may be needed by special education personnel to manage medical emergencies until professional medical help is available. Includes first aid, cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), seizure management and general health and safety concerns in settings for persons with disabilities. Students must log a minimum of 45 clock hours to obtain 3 credit hours in this arrangement class.

COURSE OUTCOMES AND COMPETENCIES:

Students who successfully complete this course will be able to:

1. Students will manage medical emergencies until professional help is available:

- Demonstrate knowledge of CPR skills
- Demonstrate knowledge of First Aid skills
- Recognize and identify various seizures disorders
- Recognize signs and symptoms of illness
- Identify contagious conditions and ways of spreading disease
- Describe medication side effects
- List five rights of medication administrations
- Identify potential nutritional problems and ways to correct them
- Identify proper body mechanics