

Year	Quiz 1	Quiz 2	Quiz 3	Quiz 4	Ave.
210 F16	92.0	93.1	90.8	89.7	91.4
210 F17	89.5	93.5	89.7	88	90.25

Year	Quiz 5	Quiz 6	Quiz 7	Quiz 8	Ave.
211 F16	90.66	87.1	89.15	89.92	89.2
211 F17	90.29	88.5	90.7	92.97	90.5

2016 graduate employer survey

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Sent: Thursday, November 16, 2017 11:10 AM
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Subject: SECOND REMINDER-EMPLOYER SURVEY 2017 NCH PARAMEDIC PROGRAM GRADUATES

THIS SURVEY CAN NOT BE COMPLETED ON A CELLPHONE OR PORTABLE DEVICE. SORRY FOR THE INCONVENIENCE!!
The link has been reset and is ready to accept your survey at this time. We sincerely appreciate your submission on the fall of our CoA visit we are now well aware how much this means to the accreditation process. Thank you!

Dear Employer,

At this time we are collecting the employer surveys on our graduates to complete our Annual Report for Accreditation of the Emergency Medical Services Programs. The survey you will be using is a fictional Survey generated by the CoAEMSP. It is housed with a database service provider that we use to collect the data and help generate the necessary reports. If you would please follow the directions below and complete the survey in a timely fashion I would greatly appreciate it. Thank you for your help in this matter.

To evaluate the effectiveness of the EMS program at Northwest Community Healthcare we need your help. We are asking you to complete an on-line survey to evaluate the on-the-job performance of the following graduate(s):

First Name Last Name Graduation Month/Year
John Doe June 2017

Directions (Please read): You will need to go to the following web site www.surveymonkey.com, mouse over Allied Health and click on "Emergency Medical Services". When the log on and password box come up please enter the following information:

Log in: ESNCH
Password: ESNCH

This will bring you to the employer survey page. You will need to complete a survey for the graduate(s) above that worked the majority of the last year for you. You will note that several of the items are required fields and these must be completed before submitting the survey (this information is above in the graduate list). When you have completed the survey click the submit button and you should get a response page that indicates the survey has been submitted successfully. If you need to submit multiple surveys for graduates of our program you can use the back button and change the appropriate information and submit the form multiple times.

All information provided to us will be kept confidential and used for program evaluation only. It will not be released to any third party in any form. If you have any questions or need any help please feel free to contact me at dwards@nchw.org.

Thank you so much for your input and your support.

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DESCRIPTION OF COVERAGE
Type of Coverage: (Northwest Professional Liability and General Liability)
From: (Northwest Professional Liability and General Liability)

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Per occurrence: \$1,000,000 (P.L.) Per occurrence: \$1,000,000 (G.L.)

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Agency agreements will be coming shortly to those hosting students during field internship in S18

2018 Paramedic Program
Admission Requirements

Important Dates
Fall 2018 Paramedic Program Application Dates: February 1, 2018-June 22, 2018*
Program Start: August 31, 2018
*June 22, 2018 is the application deadline; all required documents must be submitted by that date.
(check the program web site for information on the application status.)

Attend an Information Meeting (Optional)

- Check the Harper web site at www.harpercollege.edu for meeting's schedule information.

Submit College Application and Fee

- If you have not already applied to the College, you will need to do so before completing the following steps.

STEP 1
Schedule the EMT Validation Exam

- Applicants must demonstrate minimally acceptable EMT knowledge through written pre-testing in order to be accepted into the paramedic class. Contact Dora Sordo at dwards@nchw.org after February 1, 2018, to obtain the Validation Exam blueprint via email along with the pre-test registration instructions. Questions about the exam can be answered via email to Dora Sordo at dwards@nchw.org.
- A score of 80% or higher is considered passing. Applicants have one opportunity to retake the exam if they score less than 80% on the first attempt. Applicants who take the pretest more than one time should note that first attempt scores may be weighed in the ranking for class acceptance and the process for securing the required field internship sponsorship.
- Applicants who receive a score of 80% or higher on the pretest will receive from the EMS Office at Northwest Community Hospital:
 - The Paramedic Program Supplemental Information Form, which must be completed and submitted to the NWC EMS Office.
 - The Paramedic Program Application, which must be completed and submitted to the Harper College Health Sciences Division Office, Aurora Center, Room 1700, 1700 East Avenue.



NCH EMS System Medical Director earns prestigious subspecialty board certification

Matthew Jordan, M.D., FACEP, Emergency Medicine Physician at NCH and Medical Director of the Northwest Community Emergency Medical Services System, just earned what he calls a "badge in his cap." He's been practicing emergency medicine since 2003, but recently fulfilled a professional goal to achieve subspecialty certification in emergency medical services (EMS). He's now board certified in EMS and emergency medicine.

Less than 500 physicians hold this certification. It's fairly new, the process is rigorous and not many doctors specialize in this field. EMS certification is achieved by passing a comprehensive examination that covers clinical aspects of EMS medicine, medical oversight of EMS, quality management and research, and special operations. "This adds more credence," Dr. Jordan says. "It shows that I'm qualified and that the system is high functioning."

EMS Administrative Director and System Coordinator Connie Matters, M.S., RN, EMT-P, TNS, says Dr. Jordan is "one of a very elite cohort of physicians who have achieved this distinction."

"We are honored that he is our leader," Connie says.

In January 2017, Dr. Jordan succeeded John O'Brien, M.D., FACEP, FAEM, who was one of the first physicians in the country to achieve EMS board certification. In the last year, Dr. Jordan has actively gone out to the field to meet and interact with over 1,500 system members at 24 EMS agencies. In addition, he carves time out of his busy schedule to attend system and regional meetings relative to stroke, trauma and EMS, and teaches in the EMT, Paramedic, Continuing Education, Trauma Nurse Specialist and Emergency Communication Registered Nurse Programs conducted by the EMS System.

"He's also been highly successful in rolling out a new approach to advanced airway management using a King Vision videolaryngoscope," Connie says.

About the EMS Program

NCH created the first EMS Program in the state of Illinois. It was started in the early 1970s by Stanley M. Zylke, M.D., FACEP, and it continues to be a model of excellence for EMS system planning and operations.

"They use our system as kind of a guide or at least a role model in developing some of their programs and the protocols that their EMS personnel follow," Dr. Jordan explains.

Dr. Jordan practices clinically in the Emergency Departments at Northwest Community Hospital as well as Presence Resurrection Medical Center.

