

## UCSB Professional and Continuing Education (PaCE)

UCSB's PaCE programs offer a variety of opportunities for pre-health students to gain additional experiences and training that may benefit them as they pursue a career in healthcare. Visit the website [here](#) and please email [help@professional.ucsb.edu](mailto:help@professional.ucsb.edu) if you have questions regarding PaCE offerings.

**Note: Courses taken through PaCE are paid for by the student and are not covered by financial aid. Additionally, units earned by taking PaCE courses may not apply to a student's degree requirements. For information on the cost of courses, including available scholarships and discounts, please contact PaCE at the email above.**

### **XLRN 815.EMT - Emergency Medical Technician-Basic**

This program is designed to give the student the skills and knowledge to function as a working Emergency Medical Technician at the basic level. The program is intended for those who want to gain employment as a firefighter, emergency care technician at a hospital and Ambulance driver or attendant. It is also for those individuals who are planning on attempting to obtain a higher level of medical training such as RN, PA or MD as an enhancement for the competitive application process for those professions. Find out more [here](#).

**Note: UCSB Health Professions Advising does not recommend students take this course in order to gain initial clinical experience. Students who will benefit the most from this course are those who have already gained some exposure to their intended professions through clinical volunteering or shadowing opportunities. If you have questions about whether or not clinical training programs, such as EMT, CNA, Medical Assisting, and others, are right for you, please speak to a pre-health advisor during drop-in advising on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons between 1:00pm and 3:30pm.**

### **Additional Course Offerings from PaCE**

#### **XLRN 815.CPR CPR/AED For Healthcare Providers & Professional Rescuers**

In this blended online/in-person the classroom portion is completed online rather than in the classroom and skills testing then takes place in-person. This method combines the convenience of online training with a shortened face-to-face session. Find out more [here](#).

#### **ESS X400 - Medical Terminology**

Medical Terminology for Health Professions gives students in-depth instruction in recognizing and forming medical terms. Students will gain an understanding of basic elements, rules of building and analyzing medical words, and medical terms associated with body structure, body systems, and diagnostic and therapeutic procedures. Find out more [here](#).

#### **ESS X401 - Human Form and Function**

Introduction of the basic structure and function of the human body. Emphasis will be placed on the interrelationships between the systems of the body and their application to human movement. Note: This course will not satisfy professional school requirements for courses in Human Anatomy and Physiology. Find out more [here](#).