Do you wish to save lives?

A career in emergency care is both exciting and demanding, requiring mental alertness and rigorous physical fitness to make life and death decisions in an environment that can be dangerous and difficult.

You will be trained to treat patients that need urgent medical care by performing pre-hospital medical procedures.

YOUR FUTURE SELF

Future studies

Upon completion of the Diploma in Emergency Care, Bachelor of Emergency Care

Upon completion of the Bachelor in Emergency Care, Master of Emergency Care

Future industries

Employment opportunities exist within provincial emergency and rescue services, fire and rescue services, private emergency services, SANDF, mining industry, as well as international aid agencies and emergency services.

Future career

On completion of the Diploma in Emergency Care, you will register with the Health Professions Council of South Africa (HPCSA) as an Emergency Care Technician.

Once you’ve completed your Bachelor of Emergency Medical Care, you will register with the Health Professions Council of South Africa (HPCSA) as an Emergency Care Technician.

WHAT YOU NEED

Minimum Admission Requirements

National Senior Certificate (Grade 12) with:

**DIPLOMA**
- Mathematics (3)
- Life Sciences (3)
- Physical Sciences (3)
- English (3)

The department utilises an Admission Point Score (APS) as selection criteria once your minimum admission requirements are satisfied. You also have to score a minimum of the following on the APS:

**DIPLOMA**
- 28

**BACHELOR**
- 35

**ECP**
- 30 - 34

Additional Admission Requirements

- Selection interview
- Physical and medical assessment
- Height and claustrophobia test
- Job shadowing
- A final selection test will depend on your overall performance

Note

CPUT’s Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) policy will apply to applicants with existing short course qualifications and relevant experience.

Closing date for RPL Applications: 30 June

HOW TO APPLY

MANUAL APPLICATIONS

Do you qualify to apply manually?

Please note: a non-refundable application fee will be applicable.

Manual applications are only available to the following persons:

- Applicants applying for RPL (Recognition of Prior Learning)
- Non-South African citizens
- South African citizens with international qualifications
- South African citizens with temporary/ permanent residence permits
- Refugee asylees seeking temporary or formal recognition of refugee status in the RSA

Choose a qualification

Complete an application form

Gather your documents (i.e. certified copies less than three months old)

Fill in the application form

Pay the application fee

Hand deliver or post your form and certified documents to our District Six, Bellville, Mowbray, or Wellington Campuses (Admin buildings)

Follow-up and get your admission status via the online application tracking system by visiting www.cput.ac.za/study/track

ONLINE APPLICATIONS

Do you qualify to apply online?

Please note: a non-refundable application fee will be applicable.

Manual applications are only available to the following persons:

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- Refugee asylees seeking temporary or formal recognition of refugee status in the RSA

Choose your qualification by consulting this brochure or the website

Gather your documents (i.e. certified copies less than three months old)

Download the online application guide available on our website or online application information on how to apply online

Complete your application online by visiting www.cput.ac.za/admissionsapplyonline

Follow-up and get your admission status via the online application tracking system by visiting www.cput.ac.za/study/track

DISCLAIMER

Meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission. This information is subject to change based on approval and accreditation of HEQSF aligned qualifications during 2018/2019. Admission requirements may therefore differ between the existing qualification and the HEQSF aligned qualification. Please consult the CPUT website or faculty for updated information. Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of the information in this pamphlet; however the University reserves the right at any time, if circumstances require to make changes to any of the published details.

CLOSING DATES

31 August

Work-integrated Learning (WIL) on ambulances and in health facilities is a key component of all years of the programme.

Your on-the-job training