



## **TUITION AND FEES FOR STUDENTS** **IN EMT OR** **EMT-P CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS**

The time requirements of the program severely limit the number of hours available for overtime, per-diem and part-time employment. Students should take this into account when planning their budget and calculating the costs incurred in pursuing paramedic training. Working additional hours to pay for the tuition can undermine the student's academic standing in the program and jeopardize successful course completion. We encourage

all prospective paramedic students to carefully evaluate all the costs incurred in undertaking paramedic training and whether they have the resources to handle the financial obligations incurred. Tuition and fees noted are for the Paramedic Program starting September 2008.

Recognizing that the cost of paramedic training may prevent some qualified applicants from pursuing their goal of Paramedic Certification, LaGuardia Community College is pleased to offer Certificate Program students the option of a convenient payment plan through Academic Management Services (AMS) [www.tuitionpay.com](http://www.tuitionpay.com). The payment plan will enable students to make monthly (or more frequent) tuition payments and is available to students upon request. If a student withdraws or is dismissed from the program after the tuition refund dates, the student is still obligated to pay the balance of their outstanding tuition.

- \$100 application fee (non-refundable) is applied towards tuition regardless of payment route chosen (**certified check or money order only, made payable to "LaGuardia Community College", major credit cards accepted – Visa, Mastercard, American Express, Discover**).
- \$5,850 with payment plan through Academic Management Services (AMS). The AMS payment plan is NOT a student loan. Ten (10) payments are made on a monthly basis throughout the course. Students failing to maintain their AMS contract will be required to pay the remaining tuition in full or risk dismissal from the program. Any issues regarding tuition payments should be brought to the Paramedic Program Director.

### **The payment schedule is as follows:**

- \$1500 down payment – on or before the 5<sup>th</sup> class session
- \$470 first payment (includes \$50 service charge for AMS contract) – Contract submitted during interview with the Paramedic Program Director. Payment must be submitted before October 5<sup>th</sup>.
- \$420 subsequent payments must be submitted before the 10<sup>th</sup> of each month (November → July)
- All payments must be received on or before July 31<sup>st</sup>.

**TUITION PRE-PAYMENT OPTION FOR STUDENT  
UNDERTAKING  
EMT OR EMT-P CERTIFICATE PROGRAM**

Students may also opt to pay their tuition **PRIOR** to the start of paramedic classes. This option significantly reduces the stress on students who are struggling to pay tuition and meet the demanding academic requirements of the program. If a student's situation changes and he/she will not be able to attend class as planned, the tuition paid (except for the \$100 application fee) is refundable, although it takes 4 to 6 weeks to process the request. For additional information about this option, contact the Paramedic Program Director.



**TUITION OPTION FOR STUDENT  
UNDERTAKING EMT-P AAS PROGRAM**

For information about Full Time and Part-time Bursar Fees for Classes/Coursework, CLICK ON:

[http://www.lagcc.cuny.edu/business/Tuition\\_Fees.htm](http://www.lagcc.cuny.edu/business/Tuition_Fees.htm)

To get **Tuition & Financial Aid** for the full time, AAS Student, CLICK ON: <http://www.lagcc.cuny.edu/sfs/>

For a complete **Financial Aid GUIDE**, CLICK ON:

[http://www.lagcc.cuny.edu/sfs/pdf/Financial\\_Aid\\_Award\\_guide\\_2008-2009\\_PDF.pdf](http://www.lagcc.cuny.edu/sfs/pdf/Financial_Aid_Award_guide_2008-2009_PDF.pdf)