

WORKFORCE INNOVATIONS FOR A NEW NEVADA
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM SUMMARY

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| Agency | College of Southern Nevada Department of Criminal Justice and Emergency Services Emergency Medical Services Program |
| Program Name <i>(Complete a summary for each program)</i> | Emergency Medical Services - Point of Care Ultrasound (POCUS) |
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| Program Description <i>Briefly describe training program components. Highlight length of program and access or mobility features that would be of interest to an employer.</i> | <p>This program aims to improve the quality of health care and to contribute to strategies to provide better value for care for Nevadans. It will provide paramedics with comprehensive training in the use of point of care ultrasound (POCUS) in pre-hospital care. Paramedic graduates will gain the skills and expertise needed to perform and interpret these ultrasounds.</p> <p>Students will undergo guided lectures, laboratory simulations and field practice utilizing POCUS technology. There will be a special educational emphasis on patient advocacy, communication and documentation. The training will include education in ultrasound physics and fundamentals, basic scanning techniques and hands-on pathological simulation in the following areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Airway Core • Musculoskeletal Core • Abdominal Core • OB/GYN Core • FAST Protocols • Ultrasound Guided Peripheral Venous Access <p>Upon completion of the simulation training, students will be expected to demonstrate high competency in the field to solidify and integrate the newly-learned ultrasound technology. They will be also expected to show enhanced communication and documentation skills in live pre-hospital and emergency care settings.</p> |
| Outcomes <i>Please identify specific industry-recognized credentials and/or degrees that result from program completion.</i> | Certificate of Completion |
| Accepting New Partners & Students | This program is funded to serve a closed cohort, but the training is open to new employer partners as needed. Contact CSN or GOED to get more information. |