

Credit or Clock Hour for Military Medical Specialist or Technician Experience Equivalency List

Section 1004.096, Florida Statutes, requires the Articulation Coordinating Committee (ACC) to approve a prioritized list of postsecondary course equivalents and the minimum postsecondary credit or career education clock hours that must be awarded for courses taken and for occupations held during an individual's service in the military. Florida College System (FCS) institutions and district career centers are required to award minimum credit for military experience and courses, as designated on the Credit or Clock Hour for Military Medical Specialist or Technician Experience Equivalency List ("Equivalency List")

AWARDING CREDIT FOR MILITARY MEDICAL SPECIALIST OR TECHNICIAN EXPERIENCE AND COURSES

- Where the student's military course(s) or occupation(s) are not found on the Equivalency List, a college institution or district career center must evaluate the student's experience using its policies and procedures for awarding military credit or clock hours.
- If a student's military medical specialist or technician course(s) or occupation(s) are found on the Equivalency List, a college institution or district career center must award a student credit when the student's record demonstrates that the student earned the required passing score in a military course, or held the rank associated with the occupation, as found on the Equivalency List. Students must also demonstrate required skills for certain courses or occupations, as indicated.
- When credits or clock hours are awarded for military medical specialist or technician experience, institutions must award the minimum credits or clock hours listed in the fourth or fifth columns of the Equivalency List, respectively, as appropriate toward the applicable program of study.
- To determine the postsecondary courses for which to award credit for military course(s) or occupation(s), institutions must consider each student's program of study and the institution's course offerings within each discipline area. Columns six and seven contain recommended credits by discipline and aligned courses to guide course selection. Credits must be awarded in the following rank order:
 - General education courses;
 - Program-specific courses; and
 - Elective courses.
- Florida course numbers on the Equivalency List correspond to postsecondary courses on the Statewide Course Numbering System, described in Section 1007.24, F.S., or in the Career Education Curriculum Frameworks, described in Rule 6A-6.0571, F.A.C.

ACE Course/ Occupation ID	ACE Course/ Occupation Title	Passing Score/ Rank	Minimum Credit Hours to be Awarded	Equivalent Clock Hours	ACE Recommended Credit Distribution by Discipline-	Aligned Credit Hour Courses-	Aligned Clock Hour Courses-
AR-0702-0007	Medical Specialist-Basic	N/A	3	90	Basic Emergency Medical Procedures (3 credits)	NUR X037 NUR X192	No clock hour courses- identified
AR-0702-0015	Practical Nurse-	N/A	34	1020	-Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Instructor Training (1 credit) Dosage Calculation (1 credit) Anatomy and Physiology (2 credits) Vocational Nursing History and Legal Issues (2 credits) Anatomy and Physiology (3 credits) -Nursing Fundamentals (4 credits) Nursing Process (1 credit) Pharmacology (2 credits)- Medical Surgical Nursing Theory (4 credits) Pediatric Nursing (2 credits) Obstetric/Newborn Nursing Theory (1 credit) Mental Health Nursing (1 credit) Clinical Practicum (10 credits)	FFP-X140 EMS-X055	No clock hour courses- identified
AR-0702-0029	Army Medical Department (AMEDD) Noncommissioned Officer (NCO) Basic	N/A	4	120	Practical Nursing (1 credit) Military Science (3 credits)-	MSL-X002	PRN-0098
AR-0702-0032	Special Forces Medical Sergeant	N/A	25	660	Anatomy and Physiology (4 credits) Critical Care (3 credits) Critical Care Practicum (3 credits)) Emergency Medicine (3 credits) Emergency Medicine Practicum (3 credits) Military Science (3 credits) Basic Veterinary Science (3 credits) Introduction to Medical Laboratory Technology (3 credits)-	BSC-X071- NUR-X295 MSL-X002 MLT-X022	MLT-0009
AR-0702-0034	Special Forces (Special Forces- Medical Sergeant) Advance Leader	70	39	1170	Dental Assisting I (4 credits) Introduction to Clinical Laboratory Science (4 credits) Instruments and Methods (3 credits)- Introduction to Veterinary Pharmacology (3 credits) Veterinary Anatomy and Physiology (3 credits) Veterinary Animal Restraint and Nursing Techniques (3 credits) Introduction to Veterinary Laboratory Procedures (3 credits)- Surgical Management (5 credits) Surgical Care (5 credits) Surgical Clinical Preceptorship (6 credits)	DEA-X010 DEA-X013 MLT-X022 ATE-X610 ATE-X112 ATE-X002	No clock hour courses- identified
AR-0702-0036	Practical Nurse	76	42	1260	Advanced Practical Nursing Care (6 credits)- Practical Nursing Care Management of Adults (6 credits) Practical Nursing Care of Obstetrics (6 credits) Practical Nursing Within Community Settings (6 credits) Practical Nursing Roles and Responsibilities (3 credits) Applied Leadership and Group Dynamics (3 credits) Freshman Seminar/First Year Experience (2 credits) Introduction to Professional Nursing (3 credits) Physical Fitness, Health and Wellness (3 credits) Introduction to Emergency Care (4 credits)-	NUR-X039 NUR-X081 PEM-X104 SLS-X106 PET-X084 NUR-X192	PRN-0210 PRN-0211 PRN-0388 PRN-0100 PRN-0006
AR-0702-0037	Practical Nurse	76	20	600	Practical Nursing Skills (4 credits) Fundamentals of Nursing (3 credits) Introduction to Microbiology (1 credit) Anatomy and Physiology with Applied Nutrition (3 credits) Medication Concepts for Allied Health (2 credits) Medical Terminology (2 credits) Overview of Emergency Care (1 credits) Fundamentals of Practical Nursing of the Adult (4 credits)	MLT-X402 BSC-X071 DIE-X243 RTN-X700 HIM-X472	PRN-0001 PRN-0005 PRN-0210 PRN-0211 MEA-0220
AR-0708-0001	Psychiatric Specialist	N/A	14	570	Abnormal Psychology (3 credit) Psychiatric Nursing (3 credit) Psychiatric Therapies (3 credit) Psychiatric Clinical (5 credit) or Mental Health Clinical Practice (5 credit)	CLP-X141 NUR-X521 NUR-X531 NUR-X535	No clock hour courses- identified

AR-0708-0010	Mental Health Specialist– Mobilization	N/A	17	510	First Aid (1 credit) Abnormal Psychology (3 credits) Psychological Interventions (3 credits) Psychiatric Nursing (3 credits) Substance Abuse (1 credit) Psychological Testing (1 credit) Interviewing Skills (2 credit) Counseling (3 credits)	CLP-X141 NUR-X521 NUR-X531 NUR-X535 NSP-X546 HUS-X401	CJK-0031 FFP-0203 PRN-0068
AR-0709-0032	Medical Specialist	N/A	10	300	Anatomy and Physiology (1 credit) Emergency Medical Technology (4 credits) Emergency Medical Technician Clinical Experience (2 credits) Basic Nursing Skills (2 credits) Nursing Clinical Experience (1 credit)	NUR-X940	PRN-0021 PRN-0001
AR-0709-0033	Medical Noncommissioned Officer (NCO)	N/A	6	180	Hygiene (1 credit) Pharmacology (2 credits) Physiology (3 credits)	NUR-X140 NUR-X125 NUR-X126	PRN-0031
AR-0709-0040	Flight Medic	70	8	240	Advanced Life Support in Flight Environment (4 credits) Medical Flight Operations, Safety and Emergencies (3 credits) Advanced Medical Simulations in Flight Environment (1 credit)	HSC-X401 NUR-X192	FFP-0077
AR-0709-0049	Army Medical Department (AMEDD) Basic Noncommissioned Officer (NCO)	N/A	13	390	Applied Pharmacology (2 credits) Anatomy and Physiology (2 credits) Assessing/Managing Injuries (6 credits) Military Science (2 credits) IV Therapy (1 credit)	NUR-X140 HSC-X402	PRN-0021 FFP-0077 MSL-1002 PRN-0389
AR-0709-0055	Operating Room Specialist	N/A	17	510	Introduction to Surgical Technician (3 credits) Surgical Equipment and Supplies (2 credits) Non-Surgical Duties (3 credits) Sterile Surgical Duties (3 credits) Mock Surgery Laboratory (2 credits) Surgical Specialties (2 credits) Anatomy and Physiology (2 credits)	STS-X003 STS-X323 STS-X310 STS-X155 STS-X304	PRN-0021
AR-0709-0056	Operating Room Specialist	N/A	7	210	Operating Room Clinical Practice (7 credits)	NUR-X244	No clock hour courses- identified
AR-0709-0065	Health Care Specialist	70	32	960	Foundations of Emergency Medical Technician (4 credits) Medical Emergencies (3 credits) Basic Trauma for the EMT (2 credits) EMT-Special Populations, Operations and Basic Skills Preparation (3- credits) CPR for the Healthcare Provider (1 credit) Advanced Pre-Hospital Trauma (4 credits) Advanced EMS Operations (4 credits) Emergency Preparedness (4 credits) Fundamentals of Nursing (7 credits)	HSC-X403 NUR-X192 FFP-X820 NUR-X296	FFP-0142 DES-0602
AR-0709-0076	Health Care Specialist-ALC	80	5	150	Tactical Combat Casualty Care (1 credit) Patient Assessment (4 credits)	NUR-X251 NUR-X020	No clock hour courses- identified
AR-0709-0087	Operating Room Specialist	75	17	510	Anatomy and Physiology (2 credits) Introduction to Surgical Technician (3 credits) Surgical Supplies and Equipment (2 credits) Non-Sterile Surgical Duties (3 credits) Sterile Surgical Duties (3 credits) Mock Surgical Clinical Laboratory (2 credits) Surgical Specialties (2 credits)	STS-X323 STS-X310 STS-X304	PRN-0021 STS-0003 STS-0155
AR-0709-0088	Operating Room Specialist	100	7	210	Basic Surgical Technology Practicum (3 credits) Advanced Surgical Technology Practicum (4 credits)	No credit hour courses- identified	STS-2944
AR-0799-0018	Medical Evacuation Doctrine	80	3	90	Command and Control of Incident Operations (3 credits)	No credit hour courses- identified	STS-2945

AR-0799-0027	Army Medical Department (AMEDD) Noncommissioned Officer (NCO) Advanced	N/A	16	480	Military Science (3 credits) Medical Equipment Repair (1 credit) Patient Administration (1 credit) Medical Supply (1 credit) Medical Specialist (1 credit) Practical Nursing (1 credit) Dental (1 credit) Medical Laboratory (1 credit) Radiology Specialty (1 credit) Pharmacy (1 credit) Veterinary Technology (1 credit) Preventive Medicine (1 credit) Food Service (1 credit) Mental Health Specialty (1 credit)	MSL-X0002 NUR-X804 FSS-X221 NUR-X511	PRN-0098 DEA-0751 MLT-0009 RTE-0004 PTN-0084 ATE-0070
AR-0801-0036	Special Operations Combat Medic (SOCM)	85	40	1200	Emergency Medical Technician (10 credits) Paramedic I (10 credits) Paramedic II (10 credits) Paramedic III (10 credits)	NUR-X021 NUR-X022 NUR-X023 NUR-X025	NSG-0080 NSG-0081

Army Health Care/Combat Medic Specialist

ACE ID: AR-0709-0065

The Combat Medic Specialist is trained to provide emergency lifesaving treatment at the point of injury and to resuscitate and stabilize casualties in a combat or training environment. Students are instructed in the national EMT standard curriculum of emergency medical services (EMS) pre-hospital training and upon passing testing, are certified by the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians. Additionally, students receive extensive training with a special emphasis on individual life-saving interventions. Students are also trained in limited primary care, medical care for patients exposed to weapons of mass destruction (chemical, biological, radiological, and nuclear - CBRN agents), deployable medical systems, aircraft and ground evacuation, and casualty triage and processing. Upon completion of the program, students will be able to provide emergency medical treatment, limited primary care, force health protection, triage, combat trauma treatment and evacuation in a variety of operational and clinical environments from the point of injury or illness through the continuum of military health care. Students must successfully pass the National Registry Emergency Medical Technician (NREMT) computer-based Cognitive Assessment Test and hands-on validation to complete the course.

Recommendation: Based upon review of course/program content, student should be awarded the following credit

- Minimum 24 lower-level credit hours/720 clock hours in EMS, EMT, HSC, FFP, or NUR towards an accredited program
- Minimum 7 upper-level credit hours in NUR towards an accredited program
- Institutions must recognize students' completion of NREMT Certification

Navy Hospital Corpsman

ACE ID: NV-0703-0008

The Navy Hospital Corpsman program is an introduction to the delivery of medical care and the associated duties of providing quality emergency, nursing and primary care procedures. The program provides students with basic medical knowledge of pre-hospital, inpatient and outpatient medical care within the scope of the hospital corpsman. Subjects include Basic Life Support (BLS), medical terminology, anatomy & physiology, pre-hospital, and inpatient and outpatient aspects of each body system, airway management, patient assessment, primary care, medical emergencies, trauma, operational medicine principles, and Tactical Combat Casualty Care. Graduates of this course receive 19 semester hours of credit from College of Allied Health Sciences (CAHS) and are certified in Basic Life Support (BLS).

Recommendation: Based upon review of course/program content, student should be awarded the following credit

- 8 credits in BSC X085 Human Anatomy & Physiology I & BSC X086 Human Anatomy & Physiology II
- Minimum 10 lower-level credit hours/300 clock hours in EMS, EMT, HSC, FFP, PTN or NUR towards an accredited program

Air Force Aerospace Medical Service Apprentice

The Air Force's Aerospace Medical Service Apprentice (AMSA) course provides enlisted personnel with apprentice-level medical knowledge for pre-hospital, inpatient, and outpatient medical care utilizing technical skills and knowledge-based performance. Curriculum includes Basic Life Support (BLS), medical terminology, anatomy & physiology, and Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) certification, as well as various aspects of nursing and primary patient care with emphasis on outcome-based practice and safety techniques. This course provides graduates with the ability to comprehend, evaluate, and apply information relevant to the role of the medical apprentice. Furthermore, the course provides technical proficiency in entry-level skills, as well as personal and professional behaviors consistent with the expectations of an Air Force medic. The course prepares the students to perform inpatient and outpatient operations in both traditional and non-traditional operational settings. Studies include, but are not limited to: basic anatomy and physiology, history and physical assessment, cardiac life support, sanitation and associated field aid procedures, infection control, universal precautions, vital signs, intravenous care, wound care management, basic psychology, customer service, recognition of basic processes and techniques utilized during patient interviews, and utilization and screening of medical records (to maintain medical standards). The program helps students prepare for and administers the following certification exams that students must successfully complete: the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technician (NREMT) practical skills lab and cognitive exam.

Recommendation: Based upon review of course/program content, student should be awarded the following credit

- Minimum 15 lower-level credit hours/450 clock hours in EMS, EMT, HSC, FFP, or NUR towards an accredited program
- Institutions must recognize students' completion of NREMT Certification