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Emergency Medical Services Specialist - 40721
\$29,392.80 - \$50,404.80

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Department: Public Health
Internet: www.adph.org
Location: Montgomery

TYPE OF EXAMINATION

An **open-competitive** register will be established for applicants who meet the minimum qualifications listed below. Qualified applicants will be evaluated based on their training and experience as shown on their application. This evaluation will comprise 100% of the final grade.

QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED TO APPLY

You must possess the following to qualify:

- Bachelor's degree in any major from an accredited* college or university
- Two years of field experience providing pre-hospital emergency medical care

NOTE: Field experience providing pre-hospital emergency medical care above the minimum may be substituted for the required education on a year-for-year basis.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT

Licensure as a paramedic in the State of Alabama must be attained during the probationary period in order to obtain permanent employment.

KIND OF WORK

This is responsible technical work in one or more of the Emergency Medical Services programs such as licensure, testing, and continuing education. Work may involve duties in the field and is reviewed by a higher level administrator with emergency medical experience.

HOW TO APPLY

Use an Application for Examination form to apply. You can get the form at this office or at your local Alabama Career Center. It can also be downloaded from our web site. You must send your application to the State Personnel Department. Photocopied applications are accepted. Faxed applications are also accepted. Our fax number is 334-242-1110. This announcement will remain open **until further notice.**

Individuals currently on the register MUST reapply to remain eligible for employment

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*Please refer to the back of this announcement or the State Personnel Department web site for complete information on our policy for accepting post-secondary and advanced degrees.

Except for pretest information provided by State Personnel to all applicants, you should not directly or indirectly obtain information about examinations. If you do, the State Personnel Director may do several things. One, you may not be given an examination. Two, you may be disqualified after an examination. Three, your name may be removed from a register. Or four, your name may not be certified from the register. (Rules of the State Personnel Board, Chapter 670-x-9). According to the Code of Alabama, 36-26-47, a willful violation of exam security is a misdemeanor. Any person who is convicted of this type of misdemeanor will not get a state job. If they are officers or employees of the state, they will be required to forfeit their office or position for five years.

If you know of anyone who has violated this policy, you should contact the Examination Manager at the State Personnel Department.

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Policy on Accepting College Coursework, Post-Secondary and Advanced Degrees

1. Specific college coursework required for a job, as well as Bachelor's, graduate, post graduate, and doctoral degrees will be accepted from the schools accredited by any of the six regional accreditation associations in the United States. These associations are listed below.

- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS)
- Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools (MSA)
- Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU)
- North Central Association of Colleges and Schools – The Higher Learning Commission (NCA-HLC)
- New England Association of Schools and Colleges – Commission on Institutions of Higher Education (NEASC-CIHE)
- Western Association of Schools and Colleges – Accrediting Commission for Senior Colleges and Universities (WASC-ACSCU)

2. Coursework or degrees from schools that have not been accredited by a regional accreditation association will be accepted if a regionally accredited school considers the coursework or degree to be an acceptable prerequisite for admission to an advanced degree program. For example, if a regionally accredited school accepts an applicant's bachelor's degree for admittance into a graduate degree program, State Personnel will accept the degree. In the case of required college coursework (but no degree requirement), State Personnel will accept the college coursework if a regionally accredited school accepts the coursework towards a post-secondary degree (e.g., a bachelor's degree). ***This must be documented by a letter of acceptance from the regionally accredited school.*** State Personnel will review such requests on a case-by-case basis.

Note: This policy is subject to change. Certain state agencies may have additional requirements.