# Community College Initiative Program
## 2019-2020
### Field of Study: Public Safety

## Public Safety Concentration Areas
- **Fire Sciences, Protection and Safety**
- **Emergency Services**

## Minimum Requirements
### Track One Certificate
Participants who meet the following criteria will be eligible to participate in Track One:
- Students must meet minimum language requirements to enroll in credit-bearing classes.
- Students may need to meet a minimum math requirement.
- Pre-requisites may be required for specific courses.

### Track Two Non-Certificate Courses
Participants who meet the following criteria will be eligible to participate in Track Two:
- Students must meet minimum language requirements to enroll in credit-bearing or workforce development classes.
- Pre-requisites may be required for specific courses.

### Track Three Courses and English
Students who have not yet met minimum requirements in English at their host campus will take a combination of English classes and content courses, as possible based on their level of proficiency and department approval.

## Sample Field Concentration Courses
- Principles of Emergency Services
- Emergency Services Management
- Fire and Emergency Services Safety and Survival
- Fire Behavior and Combustion
- Fire Company Officrership
- Fire Protection Systems
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Building Construction for Fire Protection
- Hazardous Materials

- Principles of Emergency Services
- Fire and Emergency Services Safety and Survival
- Fire Detection and Suppression
- Fire Behavior and Combustion
- Fire Prevention
- CPR Certification
- City Fire School
- Pre-Hospital Trauma Life Support Workshop
- Healthcare communications

- English Reading and Vocabulary
- English Grammar
- English Writing
- English Oral Expression
- English Listening and Speaking
- College Success Skills
- Non-credit course
- Field elective

## General Studies Helpful for the Field
- Oral Communication
- College Writing
- Human Resources
- Conflict Resolution

## Hands-on, Practical Professional Experience Outside of the Classroom
### Sample Internship Opportunities—Minimum of 75 hours
Office of Public Safety at the host campus, local fire departments, local non-profits such as Red Cross and Helping Hands, local county emergency management office, local emergency services, local county public health office

### Sample Volunteer Activities that Build Professional Experience in the Field—Minimum of 100 hours
The Red Cross, local hospital, local fire department, A Brush with Kindness project, first aid stations at local football games and concerts, local parks, and recreation centers

### Sample CCI Programming in This Field of Study
*Program Site Visits:* College and university public safety units, local hospitals, local fire departments, local emergency management agencies,

*Speakers and Panels:* College public safety officers, fire department chiefs, police officers, paramedics, and responders

*Workshops and Conferences:* Confined Space Rescue Team Training, CPR Certification, local city fire school, Indian Creek Nature Center Burn School, and workshops on firefighting, fire prevention, safety, and conflict resolution

*National Credential Preparation:* CPR Certification, EMT Certification