

Public Safety

The Public Safety major is intended to meet the professional development needs of in-service and entry-level personnel in public safety organizations of law enforcement, fire protection, emergency response management, EMS and Paramedic settings. This program was developed in collaboration with the Michigan Academy of Emergency Services. Students who possess EMT certification may qualify for a maximum of 10 credits toward completion of the program. Those who have Paramedic certification may qualify for a maximum of 35 credits. Additional certificates are subject to review for transfer credit on an individual basis.

Public Safety

50 credits

—Accelerated Degree Programs

ADP Core Courses

17 credits

GST150 is a General Studies credit required of all ADP students.

MAT101 and GST151 are prerequisites for MAT105.

MAT105 is a prerequisite for BUS402.

ADP310	Writing the Critical Analysis	3
BUS402	Research Methods	3
BUS484	Senior Project I	2
BUS485	Senior Project II	3
REL303	Foundations of Christianity	2
REL305	Faith, Values & Leadership	2
REL445	Ethics and Leadership	2

Courses for the Public Safety Core

15 credits

COM203 is a pre-requisite for COM405.

COM405	Public Relations	3
EMG301	Inter-disciplinary Incident Command	3
EMG324	Emergency Preparedness	3
EMG442	Current Issues in Emergency Management	3
EMG445	Emergency Response to Terrorism	3

Areas of Emphasis

21 credits

Emergency Medical Services

EMG201	Emergency Medical Technician—Basic (2 electives, 4 biology, 4 kinesiology)	10
EMG221	Paramedic (20 credits electives-9 credits to be assigned to Biology/Life Science, 6 credits in Kinesiology)	35
HZM310	Haz Mat Operations for EMS	1
EMG310	EMS Instructor Coordinator	6

Fire Science Company Officer

FSC201	Fire Fighter I & II (14 credits electives, 6 credits to Physics/Physical Science)	20
FSC301	Building Construction	1
FSC310	Fire Fighting Strategies & Tactics	3
FSC401	Fire Service Company Officer	3

Fire Science – Fire Prevention/Investigation

(Prerequisite – must have either FSC201 or Police Officer Certification prior to admission)

FSC301	Building Construction	1
FSC310	Fire Fighting Strategies & Tactics	3
FSC321	Principles of Fire Origin Detection	3
FSC325	Fire Prevention, Inspection And Code Enforcement	3
FSC331	Introduction To Fire Protection	3
FSC401	Fire Service Company Officer	3
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Public Safety Chief

(Prerequisite – must have either FSC201 or Police Officer Certification prior to admission)

<i>ACC310 is a prerequisite for PSA401</i>		
<i>COM201 is a prerequisite for COM334</i>		
BUS314	Administration of Human Resources	3
COM334	Negotiation, Argumentation & Debate	3
CJA440	Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice (PD Only)	3
FSC401	Fire Service Company Officer (FD Only)	3
PSA204	Introduction to Public Administration	3
PSA421	Theories of Public Administration	3
PSA401	Financial Management & Budgeting	3
PSA445	Strategic Management & Planning	3