

PRINCETON RESCUE SQUAD EDUCATION DEPARTMENT



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POLICY: PARAMEDIC Clinical Internship—Conducting, Monitoring, and Evaluating
Effective Date: June 2020

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RATIONALE: To ensure adequate educational experiences during clinical internships.

POLICY:

A clinical coordinator shall be designated for the Paramedic program which integrates internship as part of the curriculum. The clinical coordinator will be responsible for the following:

1. Verify that each student enrolled has met the expected pre-requisites PRIOR to initiating clinical rotations, including but not limited to: required immunization records, background checks, drug screens, and skill verification.
2. The Clinical Coordinator is responsible for collecting sizes, ordering, and disseminating clinical uniforms.
3. Develop a lesson plan and complete presentation for the instruction of students on the expectations, documentation, and “do’s/don’ts” of attending internship.
4. Develop a lesson plan and complete orientation program for new paramedic preceptors to become familiarized with the expectations of the internship and the value of their feedback.
5. Develop and execute an annual compliance update for current paramedic preceptors.
6. Maintain the airtable database of current paramedic preceptors based on annual compliance update attendance, etc.
7. Maintain the airtable database of internship sites including necessary renewal dates.
8. Collect and maintain records on internship sites and preceptors including but not limited to:
 - a. Agency MOU’s
 - b. Preceptor Affiliation agreements
 - c. FERPA Compliance Signature Forms
 - d. Rosters verifying attendance to orientations and compliance updates
 - e. Student and preceptor survey results for each rotation
 - f. Student time sheets for each rotation
 - g. Annual agency data submission validate the continued quality of instructional opportunities at each participating squad/facility.
9. Perform audits on all student documentation and platinum planner submissions to track compliance towards competency requirements.

RESPONSIBLE PERSONNEL:

Education Director, Clinical Coordinator