

**YAKAMA NATION HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
JOB ANNOUNCEMENT**



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Emergency Medical Technician/Intermediate
White Swan Health Clinic/Ambulance
Department of Health & Human Services
Hourly Wage: \$11.98/Temporary/Part-Time/Intermediate/On-Call

The EMT-I is the intermediate level of pre-hospital emergency care. The EMT-I is responsible to be on call for and in the service of the White Swan Emergency Medical Ambulance Service, of the Confederated Tribes and Bands of the Yakama Nation. Must be certified by the Washington State and Yakima County EMS Department. Must follow the Yakama Nation Personnel Policy Manual, all Washington State and Yakima County Protocols, Policies and Procedures as well as the Policies and Procedures of the White Swan Ambulance. The EMT-I is one step below the EMT-Paramedic in the State of Washington for pre-hospital emergency care. This is an invasive field care position.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

- Must be capable of performance of all EMT Intermediate skills and utilization of equipment.
- Must be able to supply intermediate life support using intravenous therapies, drug therapy (in life/death situations).
- Ability to use a defibrillator, combitube/ET airway for airway control in respiratory and complete arrest patients.
- Assess patient and determines extent of injury utilizing current diagnostic equipment. Deals with emergencies utilizing Intermediate and Basic Life Support equipment.
- Ability to perform CPR, invasive shock treatment, control bleeding, stabilization of fractures and spine, and emergency childbirth.
- Knowledge and understanding of current county protocols for the EMT-Intermediate.
- Ability to lift heavy patients approx. 90 pounds.
- Ability to make quick decisions.
- Current with OTEP modules and Continuing Medical Education.
- Will work with all health care providers o WS health clinic to become familiar with and build skills in using the Electronic Health Record of the I.H.S.
- Will utilize the RPMS system through Indian Health Service Electronic Health Record for patient Health Information.
- Greets and receives patients/customers in professional and friendly manner, promoting quality customer service and patient satisfaction.
- Assists the medical provider with diagnostic procedures.
- Will provide direct patient care to patients of all ages with a variety of medical and health maintenance needs.
- Will record vital signs, height, weight, temperature and visual acuity.
- Will ensure exam rooms & patient's environment is neat, clean and sanitary with appropriate supplies stocked.
- Will inventory supplies/equipment for all exam rooms, along with Knowledge of JDE System.
- Will accurately label and ensure safe handling of specimens and prompt delivery to the laboratory.
- Must disclose any medical conditions and/or disabilities that would affect work performance, patient care and the ability to operate a vehicle safely.

General Recruiting Indicators:

- EMT's must be current and up to date w/continuing medical education through Yakima County ongoing training & education program for WA State certification & will be verified through the Yakima County Emergency Medical Service program coordinator.

Necessary Special Requirements:

- Will abide by and follow all HIPPA regulations.
- Valid Washington State and Yakima County EMT-I Certification.
- Knowledge of radio operation, technique and procedures.
- Must be able to maintain composure under stressful conditions using mature, sound judgment in emergency situations.
- Must be knowledgeable of all Lower Valley areas, roads, homes and landmarks, with ability to read maps correctly.
- Valid Washington State driver's license and the ability to obtain a Yakama Nation driver's permit.
- Must have private vehicle insurance with no restrictions.
- Must pass a pre-employment Drug and Alcohol test.