

Guided Pathway to Success (GPS)

Suggested schedules map your path to degree completion.

Full-time student: Follow the green semester blocks in order.

Part-time student: Follow the blue course sequence at your own pace.

Students should meet with an advisor each semester to carefully select and sequence courses based on their specific academic goals and interests. Visit Jefferson Hall or call 301-846-2471 (301-846-2625 TDD) for general advising, and contact the Emergency Management Program Manager (240-629-7952) for program-specific advising.

Students who take fewer than 15 credits each semester or who require developmental English or Math coursework will need additional semesters to complete their degrees. Summer and January term classes may help students to make faster progress.

General Education CORE courses can often be taken in any semester. One course must be designated as a Cultural Competence course. A minimum of nine credits must be taken at the 200 level. Refer to the college catalog for course details and the list of General Education and Cultural Competence classes. <http://www.frederick.edu/class-schedules.aspx#catalog>

Students are strongly recommended to consult an FCC advisor to select elective courses. Students planning to transfer may also reference ARTSYS, the Maryland Articulation System, www.artsys.usmd.edu.



Take this course within the first 24 credits.



Milestone course – take within recommend credit range to stay on track for completion.



This course is offered in the fall semester only.



This course is offered in the spring semester only.

1 Recommended First Semester

1	Gen Ed CORE	EN 101 – English Composition		3 credits
2	Gen Ed CORE	Mathematics Gen Ed		3/4 credits
3	Program Requirements	EM 101 – Disaster, Crisis, and Emergency Management		3 credits
4	Program Requirements (choose one)	EM 104 – Disaster Response and Recovery OR EM 106 – Hazard, Risk, and Mitigation		3 credits
5	Gen Ed CORE	General Education Elective		3 credits

2 Recommended Second Semester

6	Program Requirements (whichever not taken)	EM 104 – Disaster Response and Recovery OR EM 106 – Hazard, Risk, and Mitigation		3 credits
7	Elective	Unrestricted Elective (choose in consultation with an advisor)		3 credits
8	Program Requirements (choose one)	EM 110 – Federal Emergency Management OR EM 111 – Preparing & Securing the Homeland		3 credits
9	Gen Ed CORE	Biological & Physical Sciences Gen Ed		3/4 credits
10	Program Requirements	EM 130 – Integrated Emergency Management		3 credits

3 Recommended Third Semester

11	Program Requirements (whichever not taken)	EM 110 – Federal Emergency Management OR EM 111 – Preparing & Securing the Homeland		3 credits
12	Program Requirements	EM 201 – Public Safety GIS & Technology		3 credits
13	Gen Ed CORE	Social & Behavioral Sciences Gen Ed		3 credits
14	Program Requirements (choose one)	EM 213 – Social Impacts of Disaster** OR EM 220 – Emergency Management Planning		3 credits
15	Gen Ed CORE	Wellness Gen Ed (satisfies PE/Health Requirement)		3 credits

4 Recommended Fourth Semester

16	Program Requirements (whichever not taken)	EM 213 – Social Impacts of Disaster** OR EM 220 – Emergency Management Planning		3 credits
17	Gen Ed CORE	Arts & Humanities Gen Ed		3 credits
18	Program Requirements	EM 221 – Public Safety Leadership and Ethics		3 credits
19	Elective	Unrestricted Elective (choose in consultation with an advisor)		3 credits
20	Program Requirements	EM 297 Emergency Management Capstone (meet with advisor before registering)		3 credits

**EM 213 – Social Impacts of Disaster satisfied the FCC CORE Cultural Competence requirement.