

LIFE FORCE COMMUNICATION SPECIALIST II JOB SUMMARY AND QUALIFICATIONS

Job Summary:

The Communications Specialist II employed by Erlanger Health System is responsible for operating all base radios, information systems, and related equipment associated with the LIFE FORCE Communications Center and Chattanooga MedComm.

Education:

Required:

Graduate of an accredited EMT-Paramedic training program.

Preferred:

Emergency Medical Dispatch (EMD) certificate preferred.

Experience:

Required:

A minimum of two (2) years field experience or two (2) years emergency communications experience.

Experience in EMS and dispatch is required. Experience must reflect general knowledge in pre-hospital practice and skills; knowledge of current trends and new developments; knowledge of principles and practices of emergency communications and pre-hospital medicine, applicable to those areas requiring special education.

Preferred:

Computer proficiency in word processing, spreadsheets and database management is preferred.

Position Requirement(s): License/Certification/Registration

Required:

Current licensure to practice as an EMT-Paramedic in the State of Tennessee. Current BLS certification.

Preferred:

Nationally Registered EMT-P (NREMT-P), ITLS or PHTLS, PALS or PEPP and ACLS strongly preferred. NAACS certification is preferred.