



**City of Clanton – Job Announcement**  
**Paramedic – Full Time**  
**Closing Date: October 5, 2022 (or until filled)**

The City of Clanton is seeking to fill a full-time hourly position. Paramedics respond to fires, medical emergencies, and other emergency situations to administer life support care to sick and injured persons and to protect life and property.

Duties include but are not limited to:

- Responds to calls for medical aid, including fires, traffic collisions, and rescue situations to provide pre-hospital care. Examples: Vehicle fires, structure fires, commercial fires, brush fires, Haz-mat situations and technical rescues.
- Keeps the public informed of ways fire can be prevented by visiting schools/daycares to meet with children to make sure they are aware of what to do in the event of a fire and/or another emergency situation.
- Performs ALS and BLS on emergency incidents and while in route to the emergency department in a transport unit as needed.
- Administers initial treatment at emergency scene and takes and records patient's vital signs.
- Assesses nature and extent of illness or injury to establish and prioritize medical procedures to be followed and/or need for additional assistance.
- Attempts to restore and stabilize heart rhythm on pulseless, non-breathing patient.
- Initiates intravenous fluids to administer medication or drugs, or to replace fluids lacking in body.
- Performs endotracheal intubation to open airways and ventilate patient.
- Administers injections of medications and drugs.
- Assists in extricating trapped victims and preparing them for transport to a treatment center as needed.
- Observes, records, and reports to physician, patient's condition and reaction to drugs, treatments, and significant incidents.
- Communicates with physician and other medical personnel via radio-telephone.
- Documents patient care reports in accordance with the FD's current health care reporting software.
- Maintains apparatus, quarters, buildings, equipment, grounds, and hydrants.
- Participates in drills, demonstrations, and courses in life support, emergency medical treatment.
- Remains current on treatment techniques, protocol changes, and application of new drugs, material, and equipment as required by the State of Alabama.
- Prepares required reports and maintains records of activities.
- Requisitions and restocks supplies, material, and equipment.
- Operate Fire Department apparatus at emergency and non-emergency incidents.
- Cleans and performs minor maintenance to emergency apparatus.

### Education/Experience/Requirements

High school diploma or general education degree (GED) plus related experience and/or training (Pro Board Accredited Certifications – Firefighter I); or equivalent combination of education and experience in advanced or basic lifesaving support roles is preferred but not a requirement.

Applicants must possess a valid Alabama Driver's License and a current Alabama Department of Public Health, Office of Emergency Medical Services issued EMT-Paramedic License.

### Compensation

Annual compensation for this position is \$48,100.00 (\$16.56 per hour).

Applicant must satisfactorily pass a background investigation and pre-employment drug screen after receiving a conditional offer of employment. General job applications and a complete position description are available at [www.clantonal.gov](http://www.clantonal.gov) or at Clanton City Hall. Applications may be mailed to City of Clanton via P.O. Box 580, Clanton, Alabama 35046, emailed to [ddriver@clantonal.gov](mailto:ddriver@clantonal.gov), or delivered in person.

The City of Clanton is an equal opportunity employer and is a participant in E-Verify.