UNIT TERMINAL OBJECTIVE
3-1 At the completion of this unit, the EMT-Critical Care Technician student will be able to use the appropriate techniques to obtain a medical history from a patient.

COGNITIVE OBJECTIVES
At the completion of this unit, the EMT-Critical Care Technician student will be able to:

3-1.1 Describe the factors that influence the EMT-Critical Care Technician’s ability to collect medical history. (C-1)
3-1.2 Describe the techniques of history taking. (C-1)
3-1.3 Discuss the importance of using open and closed ended questions. (C-1)
3-1.4 Describe the use of facilitation, reflection, clarification, empathetic responses, confrontation, and interpretation. (C-1)
3-1.5 Differentiate between facilitation, reflection, clarification, sympathetic responses, confrontation, and interpretation. (C-3)
3-1.6 Describe the structure and purpose of a health history. (C-1)
3-1.7 Describe how to obtain a health history. (C-1)
3-1.8 List the components of a history of an adult patient. (C-1)
3-1.9 List and describe strategies to overcome situations that represent special challenges in obtaining a medical history. (C-3)

AFFECTIVE OBJECTIVES
At the completion of this unit, the EMT-Critical Care Technician student will be able to:

3-1.10 Demonstrate the importance of empathy when obtaining a health history. (A-1)
3-1.11 Demonstrate the importance of confidentiality when obtaining a health history. (A-1)

PSYCHOMOTOR OBJECTIVES
None identified for this unit.