**Emergency Health Careers Activity**

Emergency health workers help people in need of medical attention. Some emergency health careers include EMTs, ER nurses and doctors, and ICU nurses and doctors. The people in these careers must work quickly and under pressure. Their choices and actions can help save a person’s life. This activity is a way to thank someone who is an emergency health worker.

# Materials

* writing utensil and paper
* envelope

# Directions

1. Read the **PebbleGo Next Health** article “Emergency Health Careers.” Think about which emergency health career sounds most interesting to you.
2. Write a letter to someone in an emergency health career. Share what you have learned about their career. Thank them for the work they do. Place the letter in an envelope and address it to the health worker you chose.
3. Gather the letters you and your classmates wrote. Ask a trusted adult to deliver them to a local hospital.

# Critical Thinking

1. Describe the different types of emergency health careers. Why did you choose the health career in your letter?
2. Why are emergency health workers important?
3. Compare and contrast two emergency health careers.