METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

Paramedic Program
Application

This application is NOT required to enroll in the Emergency Medical Technician (EMS 150) course

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the Paramedic Program of Metropolitan Community College to further your education and advance your career in the medical profession. The MCC Paramedic Program is offered at our state-of-the-art Health Science Institute facility in Kansas City. We offer the latest and most advanced technology and instructional methods to provide you with the necessary education to earn a certificate or Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) degree in Paramedic Science. Our program is nationally accredited by the Commission on Accreditation on Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) upon the recommendation of the Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Profession (CoAEMSP).

Please complete the application and return it to the program offices at your earliest convenience. Applicants desiring to start in the fall semester (late August) should return their completed applications no later than June 15. Applicants desiring to start in the spring semester (middle January) should return their completed applications no later than November 1st.

The application process consists of:
    1.) Completion of the enclosed application
    2.) Submit a copy of your college transcript. Applicants with less than 30 hours of college credit should include their high school transcript. Transcripts should be submitted directly to the Paramedic Program. Stating transcripts "on file" is not acceptable for this process. Student copies of transcripts are accepted.
    3.) Submission of three letters of recommendation.
    4.) A candidate interview with the EMS Program Coordinator and staff.

Prerequisites for acceptance to the Paramedic Program include:
    1) General admission to the Metropolitan Community College
    2) Current licensure as an EMT or AEMT in the state of Missouri. Applicants who hold National Registry certification, out of state licensure, or are in the process of completing an approved EMT course may be considered for provisional admission.
    3) Successful completion of an Anatomy and Physiology course with a "C" grade or better from an accredited collegiate institution. Applicants may be provisionally admitted and complete the Anatomy and Physiology course during the first semester of paramedic classes.
    4) An overall grade point average of 2.5 or greater. If the applicant has earned less than 30 college credit hours, then the applicant should have an overall grade point average of 2.5 in all high school work as well.

If you have any questions regarding the program or this application please call (816) 604-4810 or email me at lisa.mcguire@mcckc.edu.

Thank you for considering our Paramedic Program for your professional and educational needs.

Sincerely,

Lisa McGuire
Emergency Medical Services Program Coordinator

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: _____

First   *First*   *Last*   *MI*

Address: _____

City:_____ State:_____ Zip:_____

Telephone:_____ Email:_____

If current or former MCC student, what is your student ID number:_____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

High School:_____ Year Graduated:_____

EMT or AEMT School:_____ Year Graduated:_____

College: _____ Hours Completed:_____

Degree(s) Awarded:_____ Year{s):_____

Have you completed a college level anatomy & physiology course with a grade of "C" or better?

Yes No_Currently Enrolled

If yes, or currently enrolled, please indicate below the date and institution where you completed or are

completing the course:

_____

(Must be verified by a transcript from an accredited collegiate institution.)

CURRENT EMS LICENSURE/CERTIFICATION

Are you currently licensed or certified as an EMT or AEMT: ____ Yes No

IF YES:

Missouri EMT or AEMT License Number:_____

National Registry EMT or AEMT Certification Number (if applicable):_____

Out-of-State EMT or AEMT License Number {if applicable):_____

Are you currently attending an EMT or AEMT course? Yes No

Name of EMT or AEMT School:_____

Anticipated date of graduation (month/year):_____

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Signature   Date

• Submit this application along with a copy of your Missouri state EMTB, Out-of-State EMT or AEMT license. or NREMT EMT or **AEMT** card

Program Prerequisites and Application Process

Please mail your completed application packet to:

Emergency Medical Services Program
MCC-Health Science Institute
3444 Broadway
Kansas City, Missouri 64111

Electronic submissions are permissible and may be submitted to:

lisa.mcguire@mcckc.edu

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- Submit a copy of your college transcript. Applicants with less than 30 hours of college credit should include their high school transcript. Transcripts should be submitted directly to the Paramedic Program. Stating transcripts "on file" is not acceptable for this process. Student copies of transcripts are accepted.
- Submission of a one page hand written essay detailing why you are pursuing education in Emergency Medical Services.
- A candidate interview with the EMS Program Coordinator and faculty.

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- Academic GPA of 2.5 or greater.
- **Submit all non-MCCKC official transcripts to the Student Data Center.** Transcripts must be received and evaluated from all colleges and universities you have attended **prior** to the application deadline. Send official transcripts to: Metropolitan Community College, Student Data Center, 3200 Broadway, Kansas City, MO 64111. Or electronically to transcripts@mcckc.edu.
- Grade of C or better in Anatomy and Physiology or HLSC 108. Candidates may be provisionally admitted and complete this requirement during the first semester of paramedic classes. A grade of less than C in this requirement will drop the candidate from the program.

Current Placement Test Scores Requirement

Based on scores, the prospective applicant would need to take and pass the indicated courses before they would be eligible to apply to the program. The scores are as follows:

PLACEMENT TEST SCORES TABLE

Subject	ACT[1]	Require Class(s)	Accuplacer (Classic)	Require Class(s)	Accuplacer (Next-Gen)	Require Class(s)
*MATH	1-14 & HS GPA[1]	Math 31	20-40	Math 31	200-240[2]	Math 31
	15 & HS GPA[1]	Math 95	41-90	Math 95	241-300[2]	Math 95
	18 & HS GPA[1]	Math 120	91	Math 120	[2]**Quantitative, Reasoning, Algebra, & Stats (QAS) level**	
	[1]**For additional ACT math scores & HS GPA questions contact your assigned academic advisor**				237[3]	Math 120
					[3]**Advance Algebra & Functions (AAF) level**	
	*Some programs require more math than others. Contact your assigned academic advisor for further discussion.					
*Writing	1-17	English placement undetermined	20-54[1]	Engl 80	200-231[2]	Engl 80
			55-79[1] OR 80-85 and reading required	Engl 90	232-241[2] OR 242-245 and reading required	Engl 90
	18-36	Engl 101	80-85 and no reading required OR 86-120	Engl 101	242-245 and no reading required OR 246-300	Engl 101
			[1]**Must take MCC Writing test (essay)**		[2]**Must take MCC Writing test (essay)**	
	*Contact your assigned academic advisor for further discussion.					
*Reading	1-17	Reading placement test undetermined	20-44	Read 10	200-229	Read 10
			45-71	Read 11	230-247	Read 11
			72-84	Read 100	248-255	Read 100
	18-36	No reading	85-120	No reading	256-300	No reading
	*Reading scores <u>must</u> be current when submitting an application.					

ESL PLACEMENT TEST SCORES TABLE

Reading	Language	Listening
110	**100**	**81**

Note:
- All applicants **must** have a current (less than three years old) ACT or ACCUPLACER reading score in order to be consider for the program.
- If you completed the required math, writing, and reading courses with at least a "C" letter grade, the courses do not need to be retaken even if you need to retake the ACCUPLACER test.
- If you are a current, returning, or transfer student, and have completed Engl 101 and Math 120 with at least a "C" letter grade, you **only** need to retake the reading section of the ACCUPPLACER test if scores are over three years or no previous scores on record.
- If you have completed or tested out of ESL, you are expected to take and complete Read 100 with at least a "C" letter grade or scored 110 on the ESL reading section of ACCUPLACER test (less than three years old).