



**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 1<sup>st</sup>. Applicants desiring to start in the spring semester (middle January) should return their completed applications no later than November 1<sup>st</sup>.

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.
- 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@mccck.edu](mailto:lisa.mcguire@mccck.edu).

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

Sincerely,



Lisa McGuire  
Emergency Medical Services Program Coordinator

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**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*First*

*Last*

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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**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:

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

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**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): \_\_\_\_\_

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

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## 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.mcquire@mcckc.edu](mailto:lisa.mcquire@mcckc.edu)

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  - 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 via electronically to [transcripts@mcckc.edu](mailto:transcripts@mcckc.edu).
  - Grade of C or better in Anatomy and Physiology or HLSC 108
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## Current Placement Test Scores Requirement

All applicants must have taken the ACT, COMPASS or ACCUPLACER placement test within the **three years** of the application deadline. Based on scores, the 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	COMPASS	ACCUPLACER	ACCUPLACER (Next-Gen)	Required Class(es)
Math	1-16	*17-49	20-40	***200-240	Math 31
	17-21	*50-99	41-90	***241-300	Math 95
		*Pre-Algebra level	91	***Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra & Stats (QAS) level	
	22-24	**66		****237	Math 120
		**Algebra level		****Advance Algebra & Functions level (AAF) level	
Some programs require more math than others. Contact your academic advisor for further discussion					
Writing	17 or lower <b>must</b> take Accuplacer test	1-34	20-54	200-231	Engl 80
		35-69	55-85	232-245	Engl 90
	18-36	70	86	256	Engl 101
Reading	17 or lower <b>must</b> take Accuplacer test	19-52	20-45	213-229	Read 10
		53-71	46-72	230-247	Read 11
		72-84	73-84	248-255	Read 100
	*18-36	*85	*85	*256	*Not Required
* These scores mean you tested out of reading courses					
ESL PLACEMENT TEST SCORES TABLE					
Reading		Language		Listening	
COMPASS	ACCUPLACER	COMPASS	ACCUPLACER	COMPASS	ACCUPLACER
92	100	86	100	86	81

### Note:

- ▶ If you completed the required math, writing, and reading courses with at least a *UC* letter grade, the courses do not need to be retaken even if you need to retake the ACCUPLACER test. Retaking Engl 101 or Math 120 to improve previous letter grade is acceptable
- ▶ If you are transferring to MCC, and completed Engl 101 and Math 120 with at least a "C" letter grade, you **only** need to take the reading section of the ACCUPLACER test if no previous scores on record.
- ▶ If you are a current or returning MCC student, and completed Engl 101 and Math 120 with at least a "C" letter grade, you **only** need to retake the reading section of the ACCUPLACER 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