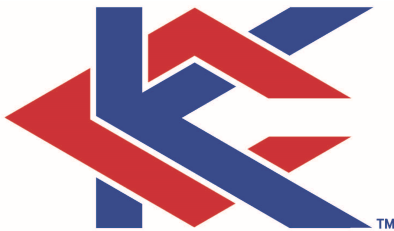


Paramedic Application

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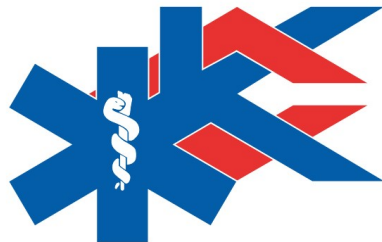
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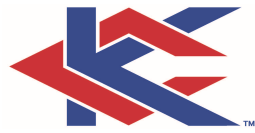
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**COMMUNITY COLLEGE
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Paramedic Program Description

The course is designed to prepare certified Emergency Medical Technicians to provide advanced assessment, care, transport and communication requirements of the sick and injured in the out of hospital setting. After successful completion, the student will meet eligibility requirements to challenge the National Registry certification examination for Paramedics.

Pre-requisites: Current Kansas EMT certification, Anatomy/Physiology, Intermediate Algebra

Didactic training is scheduled during the day or evening, including labs and simulation. Clinical time is set up according hospital criteria, student's individual schedule with day, evening and some weekend shifts available. All clinical shifts are completed in the fall semester of the second year. Field Internships with local fire departments and EMS transport services will be scheduled throughout the spring semester of the second year with weekend shifts available. Successful completion of the course requires each student to meet Kansas Board of EMS requirements, program requirements and CoAEMSP accreditation requirements.

The Kansas City Kansas Community College Paramedic Program is approved by the Kansas Board of EMS, Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs upon the recommendation of the Committee on the Accreditation of Educational Programs for the EMS Professions.

Application Checklist:

- ☐ Three recommendations requested (use forms provided)
- ☐ Copy of all college transcripts
- ☐ Copy of driver's license
- ☐ Resume
- ☐ Completed Application Health Forms and ALL Immunization Records and Diagnostic/Titer Results
- ☐ Copy of military discharge & medical MOS paperwork, if applicable
- ☐ Completed application

Submit application materials to: Jeff Smith, MS, RN, Paramedic
Director, Emergency Medical Education Department
Kansas City Kansas Community College
7250 State Avenue
Kansas City, KS 66112

email. jsmith@kckcc.edu
tel. 913.288.7208



Application Deadline: May 31, 2023

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Kansas City, KS 66112
913-288-7208 or 913-288-7175

Full Name _____ Today's Date _____

Mailing Address _____
Street City ST Zip

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email _____

Date of Birth _____ KCKCC Student ID # _____

Are you a US citizen? _____

Emergency Contact _____ Emergency Phone _____

ACADEMIC RECORD

	Name & Address of School	Dates of Attendance	Major	Did you graduate?	Degree Received
High School / GED					
College					
Vocational / Technical					
Other					
EMT Education					

EMT Certification	Yes / No	Expiration Date	Certification/License #
National Registry			
Kansas			
Missouri			
Other state _____			

PRE-REQUISITE EDUCATION

There are a number of courses required for admission to the KCKCC Paramedic Program. Please indicate below how you have met them.

	School	Semester & Year Taken	Grade Received
Anatomy & Physiology or Anatomy / Lab and Physiology / Lab (must be completed prior to the start of the program)			
Composition I			
Interpersonal Communications or Public Speaking			
Social Science Elective _____			
MATH 0104 – Intermediate Algebra or Higher Level of Math (must be completed prior to the start of the program)			

*****Please include copies of ALL college transcripts with this application. Official copies of all college transcripts must ALSO be sent directly to the Registrar's Office of Kansas City Kansas Community College.**

MILITARY EXPERIENCE

Rate and Rank _____ Branch _____

Dates (from – to) _____ Specialty _____

*****Attach a copy of your discharge status papers. Also attach copies of any medical MOS training certificates that you have completed.**

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Please attach a current resume.

(Highlight in the space below any EMS or Fire experience.)

CRIMINAL BACKGROUND

Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor crime against a person? Yes / No
If yes, please provide details on a separate sheet of paper.

Have you ever been convicted of a felony of any type? Yes / No
If yes, please provide details on a separate sheet of paper.

Have you ever been convicted of a crime in a military court? Yes / No
If yes, please provide details on a separate sheet of paper.

If selected for a position in the program, you will be required to initiate an FBI criminal history clearance. Students are not automatically excluded from consideration if they have been convicted of a crime. Their suitability for program inclusion will be evaluated based on the totality of circumstances such as nature of crime, time since, conviction, etc. Convictions of a felonious nature could impact decisions made by the Kansas Board of EMS to certify/license a person as an EMT-P.

DRIVER'S LICENSE

A valid driver's license is necessary. Should you be selected for admission, you will be asked to provide a copy of your driver's license. Employment opportunities may be severely limited with a significant driving record. A significant driving record consists of having multiple moving violations, accidents, or DUI's in the past three years.

Do you have a driver's license? Yes No

Does your driver's record include moving violations, accidents or DUI's in the past three years? Yes No

Other

Do you have a physical handicap or disability that may require special provisions?	Yes	No
Have you ever been addicted to any chemical substance?	Yes	No
Have you had any disciplinary action brought against you in connection with EMS?	Yes	No
Have you previously attended a paramedic course?	Yes	No

If yes, please provide contact information (program name, phone number/ contact person/date)

If the answer to any of the above questions is “Yes” please attach documentation of the circumstances.

REFERENCES

Please find attached three forms for distribution to your designated references. All forms are to be returned **directly** to Jeff Smith, Director, Emergency Medical Education Department, Kansas City Kansas Community College, 7250 State Avenue, Kansas City, KS 66112. References returned with this application will not be accepted, except in sealed envelopes from the reference. Please indicate below whom you have asked to provide references for you. DO NOT use relatives!

Name / Position	Address	Telephone

Please provide brief responses to the following questions. **Make sure that your answers are written legibly and in complete sentences.**

1. Why do you want to become a paramedic?
2. What are your immediate career goals upon graduation?
3. What are your long-range goals?

4. How did you learn about KCKCC's Paramedic Program?

5. Why did you choose to apply to KCKCC's Paramedic Program?

Kansas City Kansas Community College is committed ***to an appreciation of diversity with respect for the differences among the diverse groups comprising our students, faculty, and staff that is free of bigotry and discrimination.*** Kansas City Kansas Community College is committed to providing ***a multi-cultural education and environment that reflects and respects diversity and that seeks to increase understanding.***

KCKCC Paramedic Program
Affidavit and Authorization to Investigate/Hold Harmless

I attest that all of the facts, dates, and information that I have provided the Paramedic Program by virtue of this application, attachments, and oral statements are true. In submitting an application for admission, I authorize the investigation of all statements contained in it, and, it is understood and agreed that any misrepresentation by me may result in cancellation of my application and/or termination from the program.

If accepted, I will provide, at my expense, proof of a recent (within the past two years) health evaluation certifying my fitness for the program. I will also provide verification of health insurance coverage, immunizations, an FBI criminal background check, and a valid driver's license.

I authorize Kansas City Kansas Community College to make any and all necessary and appropriate investigations to verify information given by me and to examine my fitness for participation in Kansas City Kansas Community College's Paramedic Program. I understand that these investigations may include my criminal background, references, and any other material applicable. I hereby agree to release, defend, indemnify, and hold harmless, any person, company, or corporation as to any and all claims arising due to their supplying information pertaining to my suitability for application to KCKCC.

I understand that my admission to the Paramedic Program is conditional and that I can be dismissed for cause. Such cause includes, but is not limited to, my failure to adhere to program rules, guidelines, or policies and procedures; any criminal activity which would render me ineligible to complete clinical or field internship requirements; or my failure to maintain an 75% average during the course of the program.

I give permission for the Kansas City Kansas Community College, Emergency Medical Education Department faculty and staff to use photos, videos and like for the use of communicating, recruiting and promotion of the College and program on the College website, publications and social media.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____



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Medical History and Physical Examination Form

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Students:

Please review this form carefully. In order for it to be considered complete, you must have:

- Completed the Medical History portion wherein you relate information about your past and current health status
- Completed the Physical Examination portion wherein you have documented that you are medically fit to participate in the program including verification of immunizations
- ** Reviewed the Functional Job Analysis for the profession.**
- Notarized the contents of the form as "accurate to the best of your knowledge"

Be certain to take all documentation of immunizations with you to your physical examination so that the form can be completed correctly. Failure to submit the original form - complete with documentation and notarized may prevent you from progressing to the clinical portion of your program. **Please make copies of the form prior to submitting for your own record.**

Immunization information:

Students must provide valid documentation of immunization **or** have a blood test called a titer which indicates current immunization status **or** receive the indicated vaccinations. Refer to page 3 for specific procedures to follow regarding each of the required titers/immunizations:

- A **Positive Titer Test** indicates that you have either had the disease or have been vaccinated against it. In either case, **you have immunity** to that disease.
- A **Negative Titer Test** indicates that **you do not have immunity** to the disease and that **you will need to be immunized**.

Vaccination for hepatitis is required. In order to confirm immunity, students are advised to have a hepatitis titer after receiving the full series of three vaccinations. Any student who opts not to receive the hepatitis series will need to sign the "Laboratory Tests and Immunizations" page to acknowledge refusal of the vaccinations.

Important: All results of laboratory tests and immunizations must be attached to the Medical History and Physical Examination form.

Student Self Report of Medical History

Student: Complete this section prior to the physical examination for review by the examiner.

Last Name	First Name	Student ID #	
Address	City	State	Zip
Home Phone #	Work Phone #	Cell or Beeper #	
Emergency Contact Name	Relationship	Contact at:	
Email Address		Program Enrolled in:	

Review of Systems / Medical History — please check all that apply		
Abnormal Bleeding		
Allergies		
Anemia		
Anxiety		
Arthritis		
Asthma		
Cancer of		
Chest Pain		
Concussion / Head Injury		
Depression		
Diabetes		
Ear Trouble / Hard of Hearing		
Eating Disorder		
Eye Trouble / Vision Loss		
Fracture of _____		
Headaches / Migraines		
Heart Murmur		
Heart Problems (other)		
Hepatitis		
Hernia		
High Blood Pressure		
Intestinal / Stomach Trouble		
Low Back Condition		
Mononucleosis		
Rheumatic Fever		
Scoliosis		
Seizures		
Sickle Cell Trait		
Sinus Problems		
Splenectomy		
Sprain of _____		
Syncope / Fainting		
Thyroid Disease		
Tuberculosis		

Please indicate any health concerns, if any, that you presently have:

Drug Allergies/Medicine Sensitivity/Latex Allergy

- ☐ None
☐ Latex allergy

☐ Penicillin, Ampicillin
☐ Other _____

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Medical History and Physical Examination

Examiner: Please examine this student as you would for a routine check-up. This student will be working closely with people in various health care settings. Please indicate/comment on any abnormal findings; using additional sheets if necessary or providing further documentation.

HEIGHT: _____ **WEIGHT:** _____ **BLOOD PRESSURE:** _____

SYSTEM	NORMAL	FINDING	COMMENTS/PREVIOUS CONDITIONS/SURGERY
Cardiovascular			
Endocrine/Metabolic			
Eyes/Ears/Nose /Throat			
Gastrointestinal			
Genitourinary			
Integumentary			
Musculoskeletal			
Neurological			
Respiratory			

Is the student under treatment for any medical, surgical or emotional condition?

YES NO

If yes, please provide details:

Is the student now taking any medications?

YES NO

If yes, please list:

Can student participate in unlimited physical activities in the clinical area?

YES NO

If no, please specify limitations:

Does the student require any follow-up health supervision?

YES NO

If yes, please specify:

EXAMINER'S NAME (PLEASE PRINT) _____

PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ **CITY** _____

STATE _____ **ZIP** _____

SIGNATURE OF MD/DO/ARNP _____

DATE _____

LICENSE # _____

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Immunization Verification

Examiner Instructions: To verify immunity, check the appropriate box indicating method of verification utilized or that a titer has been completed or that a vaccination has been provided. Attach results of laboratory tests as indicated and any documentation if required.

Mantoux PPD – Tuberculin Test – required annually	
Test Date:	Attach results of laboratory test
<i>If result of tuberculin test is positive, a chest X-ray is required.</i>	
Chest X-ray Date:	Attach results

Tetanus/ Diphtheria – required within last 10 years	
To verify previous vaccination, attach documentation via a medical record or examiner's statement.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Vaccination Provided	Date:

Rubella – German Measles	
<i>If a rubella vaccination can be documented via a medical record or examiner's statement, a new vaccination is not required. If unable to document vaccination, student must have a Rubella titer to verify immunity or a current vaccination</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> To verify previous vaccination, attach documentation via a medical record or examiner's statement.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Titer Completed - Date:	Attach results of laboratory test
<input type="checkbox"/> If Positive Titer	No vaccination required, immunity verified
<input type="checkbox"/> If Negative Titer	Vaccination Provided Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> Vaccination Provided without Titer	Date:

Rubeola - Measles	
<i>If born on or after January 1, 1957, student must have proof of receiving two MMR or MR vaccines after 1 year of age OR establish immunity through titer OR have a current vaccination.</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> To verify previous vaccination, attach documentation via a medical record or examiner's statement.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Titer Completed - Date:	Attach results of laboratory test
<input type="checkbox"/> If Positive Titer	No vaccination required, immunity verified
<input type="checkbox"/> If Negative Titer	Vaccination Provided Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> Vaccination Provided without Titer	Date:

Varicella - Chickenpox	
<i>Student statement of previous exposure IS NOT considered to be proof of immunity.</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Titer Completed - Date:	Attach results of laboratory test
<input type="checkbox"/> If Positive Titer	No vaccination required, immunity verified
<input type="checkbox"/> If Negative Titer	Vaccination Provided Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> Vaccination Provided without Titer	Date:

Hepatitis B - Required	
I understand that due to my occupational exposure to blood or other potentially infectious materials, I may be at risk of acquiring Hepatitis B virus (HBV) infection. However, I decline Hepatitis B vaccination at this time. I understand that by refusing to take this vaccination, I continue to be at risk of acquiring Hepatitis B.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Student Signature required:	Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> Verification of previous vaccination	Titer Date: Results:
<input type="checkbox"/> Vaccination Provided	Injection 1 Date: Injection 2 Date: Injection 3 Date:

COVID-19 Vaccination - Required

All students are required to be fully vaccinated against the Covid-19 virus. Please verify which vaccine you received and the dates of the vaccinations including a booster dose. Please include a copy of your vaccination card with this application.

<input type="checkbox"/> Pfizer	1st Dose _____	2nd Dose _____	Booster Dose _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Moderna	1st Dose _____	2nd Dose _____	Booster Dose _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Johnson & Johnson	1st Dose _____		Booster Dose _____

I certify that the above tests/vaccinations were performed in this office/laboratory or I have reviewed any documentation relative to the student's immunization record.

SIGNATURE OF MD/DO/ARNP _____

DATE _____

EXAMINER'S NAME (PLEASE PRINT) _____

LICENSE # _____

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN ITS ENTIRETY

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Release of Information

In accordance with 20 U.S.C. 123g (Family Education Rights and Privacy Act) I authorize Kansas City Kansas Community College and its agents to release and disclose the information contained in this form, including my immunization record, to a clinical affiliation site.

_____ I herein give permission to duplicate the requested information and release it to the clinical site.

_____ I do not give permission to duplicate the requested information and release it to the clinical site.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Verification of Compliance with Technical Performance Standards

The Kansas City Kansas Community College Paramedic Program has outlined the Functional Job Analysis that serves to inform students of the skills and/or physical demands necessary for program completion and workplace responsibilities.

After review of the Functional Job Analysis for the paramedic profession:

_____ I have determined that I will be able to perform the standards or essential skills listed.

_____ I have determined that I will be able to perform the standards or essential skills listed but will require reasonable accommodation. I have registered with Student Success and Accessibility Services and will arrange to meet with the Department Head to determine the accommodation necessary.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Permission to Render Medical Treatment

In case of serious illness or accident, I give Kansas City Kansas Community College or its representative(s) permission to secure medical and/or surgical care to include transportation to a physician or hospital of their choice, examination, medication, and surgery that is necessary for my good health. I understand that I am responsible for any cost incurred if not covered by the KCKCC Affiliation Contract. I also understand that every attempt will be made to contact my emergency contact prior to such decisions.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Notarization of Form – to be signed in presence of Notary Public

I acknowledge that the information provided in this form is accurate to the best of my knowledge. My signature below indicates review and compliance with all of the statements above:

Student Signature _____

State of Kansas County of _____

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this _____ day _____, 20____

By _____

Notary Public State of Kansas

STAMP

Personally known _____ or produced identification _____ Type of ID _____

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