

COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT OF AFFILIATION

Between

Raytown Fire Protection District

And

Herndon Career Center Emergency Medical Technician Program

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between the HERNDON CAREER CENTER, hereinafter referred to as "School" and Raytown Fire Protection District hereinafter referred to as "Agency".

WHEREAS, the Agency desires to cooperate with the School in providing clinical education for the School's students, and

WHEREAS, the School desires to cooperate with the Agency in accordance with the provisions hereinafter set out,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises, covenants, and benefits to said parties, it is hereby agreed as follows:

I. ADMINISTRATION

- A. Agency shall have complete authority and control over Agency administration and health services and activities. Agency shall provide resources, including facilities, opportunities for learning, and staff time for planning with the School in accordance with the provisions of the agreement.
- B. Agency agrees to provide opportunities for clinical experiences in accordance with the Agencies reasonable capability, keeping in mind appropriate educational needs.
- C. The units on which students are placed for clinical experiences shall have qualified health service personnel in adequate numbers to implement the basic education program as stated in the objectives agreed upon between Agency and the School.
- D. Students shall be permitted to observe, assist, and perform skills or tasks that have been completed in the classroom portion of the program.
- E. Day-to-day administrative matters shall be discussed at conferences between the Primary Contact of the Agency and the EMT Program Instructor of the School, or their designee.

II. EXPENSES

- A. All expenses, including meals, uniforms, medical expenses, and transportation costs, are the responsibility of the student.
- B. Students must report to the Agency Supervisor or designee any breakage or damage to the Agency property or waste of supplies.

- C. Students will receive no salary or stipends relating or incidental to their education experiences.

III. ACCIDENTS, ILLNESS, AND INSURANCE

- A. The School will maintain liability insurance on all students according to the policy set forth by the School. The Agency may request a copy of the policy. The minimum coverage shall be no less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$2,500,000 per year in the aggregate.
- B. The School will provide documentation of Tuberculosis skin testing results, Hepatitis B immunization dates or declination and documentation of instruction regarding safety practices in a healthcare facility and infection control measures including Standard Precautions.
- C. The student shall be responsible for any expenses incurred as a result of any illness or injury contracted or suffered by the student while participating in this clinical experience.
- D. The student shall be responsible for any and all liability, irrespective of the cause that might arise directly or indirectly relative to the program covered under the agreement.
- E. Indemnification: the school shall indemnify and hold harmless Agency and its directors, employees, physicians and representatives from and against all claims, demands, losses, liability, damage, or expense including attorneys and fees arising out of any acts, omission or circumstances of school's students, employees or representatives. The Agency shall indemnify and hold harmless the school, the director, employees, students and representatives from and against all claims, demands, losses, liability, damage, or expense including attorneys and fees arising out of any acts, omission or circumstances of the Agency directors, employees or representatives.

IV. WITHDRAWAL

- A. The Agency may request the removal of any student from its facility who, in its opinion, is not acting in the best interest of resident care.

V. NONDISCRIMINATION

- A. Neither the Agency nor the School will discriminate against any employee, applicant, or student regarding employment, registration, or training under this agreement because of race, color, creed, sex, age, or national origin.

VI. GENERAL POLICIES

- A. Policies of an administrative nature with reference to this program shall be adhered to as designated by the Agency.

VII. TERM

- A. This AGREEMENT shall begin on December 11, 2018 and shall continue for a period of one

(1) year unless terminated sooner as provided herein. At the end of the initial term, this Agreement shall automatically renew for successive one (1) year terms unless earlier terminated as provided herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed.

Herndon Career Center

Raytown Fire Protection District

Cheryl Reichert 11/19
Career Center Director Date

[Signature] 12/11/2018
Administrator Date