# Admissions Requirements for the Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital Paramedic Program Fall 2024



Please read this entire packet carefully & follow the step-by-step instructions.

### Paramedic I-II-III

Fire 2278-2279-2280

## THIS PACKET IS **ONLY** FOR STUDENTS INTERESTED IN

# **ADVOCATE GOOD SAMARITAN HOSPITAL**

**Beginning Fall 2024 through Summer 2025** 

**Application deadline:** 

June 3, 2024, at 3 p.m.

Classes run September 2024 through August 2025

PLEASE MAINTAIN A PERSONAL COPY OF THIS PACKET FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

**Note:** Students are not accepted into this program until they have received an official acceptance letter from Good Samaritan Hospital EMSS. Completion of Health Requirements, CPR completion, criminal background check, and proof of insurance are independent activities to prepare for entrance into health programs at College of DuPage and/or participation in clinical sites within health programs. Funds paid to Occupational Health or to a personal health care provider, <u>CastleBranch.com</u>, and/or insurance companies are not eligible for any sort of refund from College of DuPage if the course is not successfully completed.

#### PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital's Paramedic Program is nationally accredited by the Committee on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) and is partnered with the College of DuPage so that students completing the program can receive 36 hours of college credit. Students interested in pursuing a degree in paramedicine can work with the College of DuPage on additional coursework requirements. Good Samaritan's program is based upon the U.S. Department of Transportation's National Education Standards and is approved by the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) to provide Paramedic education.

Since 1981, Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital has been designated as an EMS Resource Hospital by the State of Illinois. This designation specifies responsibilities related to the delivery of pre-hospital patient care, including the education of Paramedics. Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital's Paramedic Program begins in August and is approximately eleven months in length, including an internship. Registration is through the College of DuPage with didactic sessions, labs and clinical rotations being held at hospital facilities. Course administration is the sole responsibility of the Medical Director, Program Dean, and Program Director of Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital.

#### **PROGRAM INFORMATION DISCLAIMER**

This information packet is published for informational purposes; however, the information in this packet is not to be regarded as an irrevocable contract between the student and the program. The program reserves the right to change, at any time, without notice, requirements, fees and other charges, curriculum, course structure and content, and other such matters as may be within its control, notwithstanding any information set forth in the program information packet in accordance with COD policies and procedures.

#### **PROGRAM & COURSE DESCRIPTION**

The Paramedic Certificate Program is composed of three courses. The <u>certificate requirements</u> and <u>course</u> descriptions for the Paramedic program can be found in the Course Catalog under the Fire Science discipline.

#### **ATTENDANCE**

Class attendance is **mandatory**. Students are expected to arrive to class on time and not to leave early. Unforeseen circumstances can be discussed with the Program Director. Paramedic students can miss only a predetermined number of classes to remain in the program. Students must adhere to deadlines for the completion of clinical rotations and must meet cognitive, psychomotor, and affective domain requirements to remain in the program. Students will meet program faculty for Advocate Good Samaritan on entrance testing day and will receive a brief orientation at that time. Class (lecture/lab) is generally held on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from approximately 9 to 1; clinical experiences are completed during off-class hours. The internship, which begins in June, is completed on a 24-hour shift basis.

#### **TUITION/FEES/FINANCIAL AID**

The Paramedic program consists of 36 semester hours of college credit at the <u>prevailing tuition rate</u>. College of DuPage payment policy states payment will be due immediately following registration. If you are unable to pay the amount in full, you must sign up for the payment plan offered by the college. If you are expecting financial aid or other assistance, you may be able to sign up for a deferred payment plan. If you have questions regarding the payment plan or the payment policy, please contact the Cashier's office at (630) 942-2206. Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital and the College of DuPage reserve the right to drop students for non-payment of tuition.

Lab/supplies/book fees are payable to Advocate Good Samaritan EMSS upon acceptance into the program. Students also need a stethoscope, watch, calculator, computer, email address, printing capability, appropriate clothing (uniforms), and transportation to and from class and clinical sites. Costs associated with accommodations are the responsibility of the student.

Financial Aid is available to any eligible student enrolled in the college for six or more eligible credits. Grants, loans, on-campus employment, veteran's grants, and scholarships are options available to help students meet their education expenses. If you are planning on applying for financial aid and have not already done so, please

<u>visit our website</u> or contact the Financial Aid office at (630) 942-2251. It can take 6-8 weeks for processing, so if you have not already completed your FAFSA form, you may need to sign up for the standard payment plan and be reimbursed once your financial aid is processed.

If you are a veteran and are planning to use veteran's benefits, please <u>visit our website</u> and <u>the United States</u> Department of Veteran's Affairs.

If a company will be paying for your tuition or you have a chargeback agreement from another community college, please download our Third Party Billing/Chargeback form or speak with a representative at (630) 942-2377.

Students enrolled in the Paramedic program are considered full time students. To receive a letter documenting full-time status, visit the Records office (SRC 2015). A request form needs to be completed. There is a \$5 processing fee for this request, payable by cash or check. This request takes five to 10 days to process. For additional questions, call (630) 942-2431 or (630) 942-3022.

#### **NON-DISCRIMINATION STATEMENT**

The College prohibits discrimination in its admissions, employment, and educational programs or activities based on race, color, sex, religion, creed, national origin, age, ancestry, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, arrest record, military status or unfavorable military discharge, citizenship status, and physical or mental disability. The College will protect an individual's right to express their viewpoint or opinion, so long as it does not violate State or Federal law and is not detrimental to the College.

This Policy against discrimination applies throughout all College environments, whether on campus, at work assignments off campus, at college-sponsored social functions, or otherwise.

Procedures to facilitate the College's prohibition of discrimination will be promulgated consistent with the Policy. (Board Policy 20-5).

#### **STUDENT E-MAIL POLICY**

College of DuPage will send all official communications to students through official COD email (dupage.edu). Students cannot use a preferred personal email account. Students do have the option of forwarding college communications to a personal email account, if desired.

Check out your COD email to get messages about:

- Official COD communications
- Financial aid communications
- Petition to graduate
- Transfer credit evaluation
- Prerequisite proof
- FERPA-related communications
- Transcript order

https://cod.edu/student\_life/resources/information\_technology/email/email-policy.aspx

#### **PROGRAM PREREQUISITES**

<u>Required:</u> Illinois licensed Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) and acceptance into the Paramedic program. FIRE 2271 with a grade of B or better or equivalent. <u>Preferred/Not Required:</u> ANAT 1500 with a grade of C or better or equivalent, HLTHS 1110 with a grade of C or better, or equivalent and ENGLI 1101 with a grade of C or better, or equivalent or consent of instructor. (see statement on page #9).

#### CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK INFORMATION

All health care workers and student health care workers are required to undergo a criminal background check to function in a clinical setting. A student with a positive background check containing disqualifying conditions as defined by Federal and State law will not be allowed to enter the clinical portion of the program. A student with a positive background check containing disqualifying conditions as defined by Illinois State Law (225ILCS46/25) and 77 Ill Adm. Code 955 Section 955.160 will not be allowed to enter the clinical portion of this program, thus preventing the student from obtaining mandated certification and/or licensure.

**NOTE:** You may have been convicted and not sent to jail. People are often fined or given probation or conditional discharge rather than jail time, but these are still considered convictions. If you are unsure as to whether an arrest resulted in a conviction, contact the county in which you were arrested and speak to a representative in the Circuit Clerk's office, State's Attorney's office, or your attorney.

<u>Criminal background checks only need to be completed once accepted into the program. Instructions will be forwarded to eligible applicants after entrance testing has been completed.</u>

#### **MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION**

For additional information about any programs at COD, consult the college *Catalog*, the *Class Schedule*, or visit <a href="www.cod.edu">www.cod.edu</a>. For questions specifically concerning the <a href="Paramedic program">Paramedic program</a>, contact the Fire Science Program Manager, Ryan Lambert, at (630) 942-2107 or <a href="lambertr835@cod.edu">lambertr835@cod.edu</a>

#### POLICY FOR PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT AT CLINICAL SITES

Please visit the College of DuPage Fire Science Program Policy for Professional Conduct Policy at https://www.cod.edu/academics/programs/fire/health-requirements.aspx

#### **HEALTH REQUIREMENTS**

Once accepted into the Paramedic program, the student will be required to meet the health requirements (including mandatory immunizations) of the program prior to the first day of class. Flu immunization will be required in the fall when it becomes available. Failure or inability to follow health requirement procedures will disqualify the student from participation in the program. Details to follow once accepted. Please do not complete these requirements until instructed to do so. Students are responsible for all costs involved. Health insurance is required during the program and may be available through the college.

#### **ACCREDITATION**

The Advocate Good Samaritan Paramedic Program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) upon the recommendation of the Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the Emergency Medical Services Professions (CoAEMSP).

<u>To contact CAAHEP:</u>
9355 - 113th St. N, #7709
Seminole, FL 33775
727-210-2350
www.caahep.org

To contact CoAEMSP: 8301 Lakeview Parkway Suite 111-312 Rowlett, TX 75088 214-703-8445 www.coaemsp.org

#### FUNCTIONAL ANALYSIS/TECHNICAL STANDARDS-PARAMEDIC

#### Qualifications

To qualify for EMS licensure, an individual must successfully complete a State-approved course and achieve full competency in cognitive, affective, and psychomotor domains. In addition, the individual must achieve a passing score on the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT) licensure examination.

EMS personnel must be at least 18 years of age. The knowledge, skill, and responsibility required of Paramedics demand a minimum of a high school education or equivalent.

EMS personnel must possess the ability to:

- communicate verbally, in person and via telephone/radio in English
- lift, carry and balance up to 125 pounds (250 pounds with assistance)
- interpret written, oral, and diagnostic instructions
- use good judgment, set priorities, and anticipate issues in high-stress situations
- work effectively in an environment with loud noises, chaos, and flashing lights
- function efficiently throughout a 24-hour shift, including when awoken from sleep
- act calmly under time constraints, managing time effectively
- · read and understand English language manuals
- interview patient, family members, and bystanders
- document all relevant information
- communicate effectively with coworkers and hospital staff
- follow and apply oral and written directions
- stay organized and meet deadlines
- demonstrate a desire to care for all people and be culturally competent
- demonstrate ability to focus and provide attention to detail
- recognize an emergency
- apply knowledge in an emergency
- make sound critical-thinking decisions under duress
- maintain self-discipline and emotional stability
- understand the principle of "first do no harm"
- relate to and communicate with diverse clientele of all ages
- remain flexible in ever-changing situations
- uphold ethical standards, morals, and professionalism under pressure
- draw valid conclusions and defend them as necessary
- apply best practices in an unstructured environment
- remain safe and take measures to avoid errors
- be assertive, assume a leadership role, and direct a crew
- understand personal/professional strengths, weaknesses, and limitations
- work efficiently and accurately in time-sensitive situations
- accept accountability for self and crew
- advocate for patients and loved ones
- maintain sound mental, emotional, and physical health

EMS personnel must possess manual dexterity and prove the ability to perform all tasks related to quality patient care. The ability to bend, stoop, and crawl on uneven terrain and ability to withstand varied environmental conditions such as extreme heat, cold, and moisture is vital. The ability to work in low light, confined spaces, and other dangerous environments is required. Paramedics must be able to function in chaotic, noisy environments.

#### **Description of Tasks**

- Receives call from dispatcher, responds appropriately to emergency calls, reads maps to use most expeditious route and observes traffic ordinances and regulations.
- Determines nature and extent of illness or injury, takes pulse, blood pressure, visually observes changes in skin color, auscultates breath sounds, makes determination regarding patient status, establishes priority for emergency care, renders appropriate emergency care; administers intravenous medications or fluid replacement.
- Use equipment such as a defibrillator & electrocardiograph; performs endotracheal intubation to open airway and ventilate patient; calculates drug dosages; applies BSI, splints, and bandages.
- Assists in lifting, carrying, and transporting patient to ambulance and to a medical facility.
- Reassures patients and bystanders, utilizing therapeutic communication techniques.
- Extricates patient from entrapment, assesses extent of injury, uses prescribed techniques and appliances, radios dispatcher for additional assistance or services, provides light rescue service if required, provides additional emergency care following established protocols.
- Complies with regulations in handling the deceased, notifies authorities, and arranges for protection of property and evidence.
- Determines appropriate facility to which patient will be transported, reports nature and extent of injuries or illness to the facility, asks for direction from hospital physician or ECRN.
- Observes patient in route and administers care as directed by physician or ECRN or according to published protocol.
- Performs detailed/organized patient assessment; determines a clinical impression.
- Applies critical thinking skills; develops and executes care plans; reassess patient and situation.
- Reports verbally and in writing concerning observations about the patient; patient care at the scene and in route to facility; aids emergency staff as required.
- Maintains familiarity/competency with all specialized equipment.
- Replaces supplies, sends used supplies for sterilization, checks all equipment for future readiness, maintains
  ambulance in operable condition, ensures ambulance cleanliness and orderliness of equipment and supplies,
  decontaminates vehicle interior, determines vehicle readiness by checking oil, gasoline, water in battery and
  radiator and tire pressure.
- Performs drug calculations in emergency situations.
- Acts ethically with empathy, integrity, and compassion; maintains confidentiality.
- Behaves consistently in the nature of an adult learner and of a professional healthcare provider.

#### **NOTES TO APPLICANTS:**

Completion of the steps of the application process in an organized and complete manner is an example of one's ability to follow directions and to give attention to detail. These abilities are crucial in emergency care of the sick and injured.

In addition, the application process is an exercise that requires meeting deadlines and following through on tasks.

Maturity, accountability, and self-motivation are crucial to success in any challenging endeavor, such as this

Paramedic program. Please read the application instructions thoroughly and complete the required steps accordingly.

After reading this document in its entirety, ask questions, if necessary, to ensure that you are a top candidate for the program.

Finally, please make certain to use personal insight when carefully reading the above lists of abilities and tasks to ensure that you can fully meet program and career expectations. If you have reservations, please talk with Fire Science Program Manager Ryan Lambert at 630-942-2107 or <a href="mailto:lambertr835@cod.edu">lambertr835@cod.edu</a> or college career counselors.

If selected into the Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital Paramedic Program, the student will be responsible to complete mandatory health requirements, purchase textbooks, pay a lab fee, and obtain uniforms required for the program by published deadlines.

If the student successfully completes the Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital Paramedic Education Program, they will be eligible to test for National Registry of EMT's (NREMT) Certification, and upon successful completion, apply for State of Illinois Licensure. The student is responsible for all fees and scheduling associated with these processes.

#### OCCUPATIONAL RISKS DISCLOSURE

Occupational risks related to the Paramedic profession include infectious disease exposure, assault and battery, accidental injury, lifting injuries, sprains and strains, behavioral health issues, sleep disorders, hazardous materials exposure, hyperthermia and hypothermia, extreme stress, and worsening of chronic health issues. This is not meant to be an all-inclusive list.

#### Thank you for your interest in our Paramedic Program!

Applying to our Paramedic Program means that you are preparing to advance in the healthcare profession. The knowledge and skill which a Paramedic brings to an emergency can mean the difference between life and death. The attitude the Paramedic brings to an emergency is equally important. Paramedics represent their profession, their employers, and the entire health care system when they are caring for patients.

With over forty years of experience as an IDPH-approved EMS Resource Hospital, Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital has developed a faculty with the expertise needed to provide the cognitive, psychomotor, affective, and clinical experiences which are necessary to develop exceptional health care providers. Our graduates are capable of immediately entering the workforce in various healthcare environments. We routinely evaluate our students in the affective (behavioral) domain to develop health care practitioners who possess the qualities required of the Paramedic profession.

The Advocate Good Samaritan Paramedic Program is nationally accredited by CAAHEP and meets the requirements of the Illinois Department of Public Health and the U.S. Department of Transportation for Paramedic education. Our program is a rigorous one; a full year of focus and hard work is required for successful completion. We fully address the National EMS Education Standards. Candidates should be certain that the timing is right before accepting a seat in our program.

We are pleased to note that 100% of the graduates of our program have achieved success in challenging the national certification examination. Good Samaritan's graduates realize great success in finding employment in the healthcare arena. Many of our graduates also choose to continue their healthcare education (CCEMT-P, RN, PA, MD) post-graduation.

While attending Advocate Good Samaritan's Paramedic Program, students have access to clinical experiences within our EMS System's Associate Hospitals and EMS Provider Agencies. Affiliation with the College of DuPage provides students with college credit, educational tracts, and degree possibilities. Counseling and financial aid programs are also available through the College of DuPage.

We look forward to receiving your completed application packet and towards evaluating you as a candidate for our program. The firm deadline for receipt of completed applications is June 3, 2024, at 3 p.m. (CT).

Applicants that complete the application process will be invited to entrance testing in May or June. Be sure to email me to schedule your testing date immediately after you submit your application!

Testing will take place at various times on May 15<sup>th</sup>, June 12<sup>th</sup>, and June 17<sup>th</sup>.

Questions? Feel free to email me at lauren.tvrdik@aah.org.

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Paramedic Program Director and Lead Instructor

#### **ADVOCATE GOOD SAMARITAN HOSPITAL PRE-REQUISITES**

- 1. Provide a copy of a current State of Illinois EMT-B License (if pending, proof of passing the licensure exam)
- 2. Provide transcripts from the highest level of education completed (high school, Associates, Bachelors)
- 3. Provide a current healthcare provider CPR card
- 4. Provide a copy of a health insurance card (with **student's** name affixed or proof of insurance document)
- 5. Provide a copy of a valid IL driver's license
- 6. Provide proof of military service, if applicable; honorable discharge paperwork required for points.
- 7. Provide proof of working with a provider agency within our EMS System, if applicable.
- 8. Agree to the sharing of the above information with Advocate Good Samaritan program personnel.
- 9. Be offered a seat/position in the program
- 10. Be at least 18 years old

Submit copies of the above along with the completed application by the application deadline to the designated email box as described in the Application Steps on pages 10-11.

#### **Not Required:**

- **1.** Have completed or be enrolled in an Anatomy & Physiology course (COD Anatomy 1500 or equivalent or 1551/1571 <u>and</u> 1552/1572) with a grade of 'C' or better within the last 10 years. (see statement below) \*
- 2. Have completed or be enrolled in a Biomedical Terminology course (COD HLTHS 1110 or equivalent) with a grade of "C" or better within the last 10 years. (see statement below) \*

\*These previous requirements are now preferred only for the 2024 - 2025 program. However, if one or both courses are available during the Spring or Summer 2024 terms, students are encouraged to complete them.

Note: References and background checks will be requested later and are not part of the application submission.

ADVOCATE GOOD SAMARITAN PARAMEDIC PROGRAM
Advanced Placement, Transfer of Credits & Experiential Learning Credits

**POLICY**: The Advocate Good Samaritan Paramedic Program does not allow advanced placement or transfer of credits for students seeking a certificate of completion from the Paramedic program. Accepted students must complete all program cognitive, psychomotor, and affective domain requirements successfully.

**Advanced Placement and Transfer of Credits:** Students wishing to pursue an associate degree in emergency medical services should seek guidance from the College of DuPage Counseling & Advising department to determine if prior educational experiences qualify as being credit worthy for general study requirements.

#### PARAMEDIC PROGRAM APPLICATION STEPS:

It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that all items listed below have been completed, submitted, and received by the designated office by 3 p.m. (CT) on June 3, 2024. Please retain a copy of this packet for your records.

- 1. If you have not been admitted to College of DuPage, please complete the non-refundable \$20 College of DuPage General Admissions Application online. This application is for general admissions to College of DuPage only; it is not an application to the Public Services Fire Science Limited Enrollment Paramedic program.
- 2. To ensure that all your eligible credits are evaluated towards the admission requirements, you must turn in <u>ALL</u> official Transcripts from institutions that you have attended. Immediately:
  - a. Submit your official transcript(s) to **College of DuPage**, <u>Office of Student Records</u>. *If College of DuPage is the only institution you have attended, you <u>do not need to request official transcripts</u>.*
  - b. Verify receipt of your transcript(s). Log into myACCESS account, click on 'myACCESS for Students', select 'My Profile'. The receipt status of your transcript will be listed under 'Transcript Institutions'.

NOTE: If you have an international transcript from high school or college, it must first be evaluated. Please visit the following website <a href="https://www.cod.edu/records/transcript-evaluation.aspx">https://www.cod.edu/records/transcript-evaluation.aspx</a> for details.

- 3. Complete the non-refundable \$25 Paramedic Program Limited Enrollment Application online.
  - Log into MyAccess for Students
  - Near the bottom of the MyAccess Student Menu/Screen, locate Health Careers Applications
  - Then select Fire Science Applications
  - Agree to Statement of Understanding
  - Confirm Demographic Information
  - Select Paramedic Certificate for the program you are applying for
  - Term: Fall 2024
  - Select Good Samaritan Hospital as program
  - Be sure to complete process and submit payment

Once term is selected and application submitted, you may not change the term or program.

If you do not have a credit card, you can purchase a prepaid credit card from your local retailer

- 4. Scan ALL Documents (no photos please) listed below into a single PDF, and attach to an email to: <a href="mailto:emsrequirements@cod.edu">emsrequirements@cod.edu</a>. DO NOT send links to shared drives such as Google Docs, and DO NOT submit photos. Scan and email as a single PDF by the application deadline of June 6, 2024 at 3 p.m.
  - Completed Good Samaritan Hospital Application found on pages 13 through 15 of this packet
  - Completed FERPA release form found on page 16 of this packet. This document is <u>REQUIRED</u> to process your application and send your information to Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital.
  - Copy of each of the following:
    - State of Illinois EMT license (if pending, proof of passing NREMT exam letter)
    - Current Healthcare Provider CPR Card
    - Health Insurance Card (with applicant's name listed or proof of insurance document)
    - Valid Driver's License
    - o Provide proof of military service, if applicable; honorable discharge paperwork required

**DO NOT** submit any transcripts to this office along with your application (see directions in step 2).

Recommendation Forms/Letters are not requested currently. Applicants successfully completing the entrance exam will be given direction regarding any recommendation forms/letters.

Your name will be added to the applicant list and forwarded to Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital. Once testing is completed, Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital will provide an approved class list to COD. Only students on the approved list will be allowed to register. Approved students will receive an email regarding the registration process to their dupage.edu e-mail address.

NOTE: If you have been accepted into another Paramedic program prior to the application deadline, please e-mail <a href="mailto:emsrequirements@cod.edu">emsrequirements@cod.edu</a> to withdraw your application. You will not receive a refund for the \$25 application fee and this request is asking that you be removed from further considered for all programs you have applied for.

\*It is the responsibility of the applicant to verify that all items are submitted & completed.

"All application documents delivered to the College of DuPage pertaining to a Paramedic program admissions file become the property of the College of DuPage and will not be returned to applicants. This includes but is not limited to transcripts, letters of recommendation, clinical evaluation forms or outside test reports."

Requests for admission are **not** automatically carried over to the following cycle. Applicants who were not accepted for the cycle in which they originally applied are asked to pay the \$25 non-refundable paramedic program application fee and submit any/all supporting documents as listed on the Admissions Checklist of the Application Packet requirements (if applicable).

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#### ADVOCATE GOOD SAMARITAN HOSPITAL 2024- 2025 PARAMEDIC EDUCATION PROGRAM APPLICATION

Personal Information							
Last Name:	First Name:			Middle Name:			
Address: Apartment/Unit #:							
City:	State:			Zip:			
Home Phone: ( )	Cell Phone: ( )						
Email Address:							
Date of Birth: Social Security #:							
Have you ever been known by another name? Yes No If yes, please list:							
Emergency Medical Technician Information	on						
Current Level of Licensure or Certification:  State of Licensure or Certification:							
State EMT Number:	Expiration Date: (Must be valid throughout entire course):						
National Registry: Yes No	E	Expiration Date:					
CPR Certification  Healthcare Provider Instructor or Trainer							
Have you ever applied to a paramedic education program before?  Yes  No  If yes, where, and when?							
ii yes, where, and when:							
Have you ever attended a paramedic education program before: Yes No  If yes, where and when?							
What was the reason for dismissal from the paramedic education program?							
List all EMT-B & healthcare experience, including dates and hours involved:							

Military Service					
Branch:	From: To:				
Rank at Discharge:	Type of Discharge:				
If other than honorable, please explain:					
Education					
High School:	Address:				
From: To:	Did you graduate? Yes No Degree:				
College:	Address:				
From: To:	Did you graduate? Yes No Degree:				
EMT Training:	Address:				
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Dates of Employment:	Reason for Leaving:						
Criminal Background							
Have you ever been accused / convicted of any crime Yes No							
If Yes, give details, including year/age and whether the offer	ense was a	felony:					
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Lock Name:		First No.					
Last Name:			First Name:				
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City:	State:				Zip:		
Office Phone: ( )			Office Fax Number: ( )				
Health Insurance: ( )							
Applicant Signature							
Date		-					

# College of DuPage Paramedic Program Application FERPA Release Form

College of DuPage, in compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), is required to protect the privacy of student education Records. The College cannot disclose non-directory or personally identifiable information to a third party without the student's written consent.

I hereby authorize College of DuPage to notify the partner hospitals i.e. Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital, Advocate Good Samaritan Hospital/Cadence Health, Edward Hospital, or Loyola University Medical Center, of my intent to pursue the paramedic program indicated above, and upon my application, to release details of my educational records for admission consideration. Educational records may include, but are not limited to, College of DuPage transcripts and transcripts from previously attended institutions.

Student Name (Please Print)	COD ID Number
Student Signature	Date

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