STEP-BY-STEP APPLICATION CHECKLIST FOR THE:
Emergency Medical Science (EMS)/Paramedic Student

____ Complete the MGCCC College Admission Requirements

____ Visit the EMS/Paramedic Program Website page (located under Programs of Study/Health Sciences).

____ Review and Complete the Mandatory Pre-Health Sciences Orientation Session (See website to access)

Register for and successfully complete the following Prerequisites

____ Achieve a minimum Accuplacer English placement Score (Traditional Exam = 175; Next Generation Exam = 502)

____ Successful Completion (“C” or better) of the prerequisite course BIO 2514, Anatomy and Physiology I

____ Applicant must be a Nationally Registered EMT; If not held previously, students must obtain state EMT certification after admission into the program

____ Successfully complete (70% or better) the EMT-Basic Review Exam (See website for registration information)

____ Obtain a Criminal Background Check from a MGCCC Campus Police office. The CBC result is required prior to submitting the application. Please check the program’s website for the Campus Police testing times.

____ Prior to the deadline, but after successful completion of the above program entry requirements, submit the supplemental EMS/Paramedic Application. (See website for steps on submitting the application). Contact an Enrollment Specialist at a campus of your choice for additional questions.

Associate Degree in Applied Science Courses

*If not taken prior to program admission, the following courses* are required for program completion of an Associate of Applied Science degree in Emergency Medical Science.

____ BIO 2524, Anatomy and Physiology II

____ ENG 1113, English Composition I

____ SPT 1113, Public Speaking I

____ Elective Social/Behavioral Science

____ Elective Fine Arts/Humanities

*Upon admission to the Paramedic Program, students must maintain a 2.0 GPA on the required courses and complete each course with a C or better in order to progress to graduation.

Application Deadline: July 1st (Applications accepted beginning April 15th)

(If deadline falls on a weekend, holiday, or college closing, the deadline is 5 p.m. on the next college business day).

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