

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICANTS

- Interest in pursuing a career in the health field, (i.e., EMT, fire fighter)
- Males who are 18–26 years of age
- High School Diploma or GED (No exceptions!)
- San Mateo County resident
- Must have proof of Immunization Record
- Current TB Test
- One letter of recommendation
- Resume
- College transcript (if applicable); will be needed prior to interview if selected
- Driver's License
- Disadvantaged or underrepresented background
- Commit 40 hours a week to the EMS Corps program
- Attend all classes, internships and trainings as required
- Attend mandatory orientation once accepted to the EMS Corps
- No more than THREE (3) absences during the program
- Attend graduation ceremony upon completion of the program
- Applicants accepted are subject to a background check
- Able to meet the EMT background guidelines (Please See State of California EMS Authority EMT Background Guidelines provided in this Application)

ALAMEDA COUNTY EMS CORPS PROGRAM

State of California EMS Authority EMT Background Guidelines

EMT's with the following backgrounds will not be granted certification:

- Committed any sexually related offense specified under Section 290 of the Penal Code.
- Convicted of murder, attempted murder, or murder for hire.
- Convicted of two (2) or more felonies.
- On parole or probation for any felony.
- Convicted and released from incarceration for said offense during the preceding fifteen (15) years for the crime of manslaughter or involuntary manslaughter.
- Convicted and released from incarceration for said offense during the preceding ten (10) years for any felony.
- Convicted of two (2) or more misdemeanors within the preceding five (5) years for any offense relating to the use, sale, possession or transportation of narcotics or addictive or dangerous drugs.
- Convicted of two (2) or more misdemeanors within the preceding five (5) years for any offense relating to force, threat, violence, or intimidation.
- Convicted within the preceding five (5) years of any theft related misdemeanor.

If you've had any DUI's within the last six months to a year, it could compromise your EMT certification.