

## COOPERATION AGREEMENT

THIS COOPERATION AGREEMENT made as of the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June 2017 by and between Labette Community College, Parsons, Kansas, hereinafter "LCC," and Seward County Community College, Liberal, Kansas, hereinafter "SCCC."

### WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, the parties to this Agreement desire to enter into a cooperation agreement in order to provide Medical Laboratory Technology (MLT) program for the purpose of sharing resources and to prevent unnecessary and costly duplication of these services; and

WHEREAS, each of the parties, by its approval of this Agreement, has authorized the provision and/or receipt of services as permitted by applicable laws and in the manner contemplated by this Agreement;

NOW THEREFORE, the parties to this Agreement hereby declare in contemplation of the continuing relationship between the parties in consideration of the mutual benefits derived from cooperation; as follows:

1. Description of Service. LCC will offer students the opportunity to take the courses required for the first year of the MLT program and help the students with admittance into the MLT program at SCCC. In return SCCC will agree to accept qualified candidates into the second year of the MLT program and upon successful completion will offer the students an Associate of Applied Science Degree.

2. Commitment to Student Contingency Plan. Should this agreement be terminated by LCC, LCC will ensure program continuance so that the students participating in the MLT "prerequisite" courses will have the ability to complete their degree within a reasonable period of time depending on their academic standing and subject to action by the Kansas Legislature.

Should this agreement be terminated by SCCC, SCCC will ensure that all students currently participating in MLT courses will have the ability to complete their MLT degree not to exceed four years depending on their progression in the curriculum.

Should the current laboratory/clinical site become unavailable for student use, LCC will negotiate student placement with a site that has previously expressed interest in participating as a clinical/laboratory site which also meets the facility criteria previously indicated. This transition will occur within a reasonable period of time, guaranteeing students the appropriate number of course hours as identified in SCCC's curriculum.

3. Term and Renewal. This Agreement shall be in effect for a term of four years commencing June 30, 2021, subject to action by the respective state legislatures and any other state accrediting and governing body. This Agreement shall be reviewed annually by LCC and SCCC. This agreement may be terminated by either party by giving the other institution a two-year written notice of termination.

4. Property. Each party shall be responsible for acquiring, holding, and disposing of any real and personal property used in the cooperation program which shall remain the sole and separate property of each party.

5. Student Tuition and Fees. Each institution will determine the amount and will collect and retain all tuition and fees payable from the student while he/she is enrolled at each institution.

6. Severability. If any provision of this Agreement shall be determined to be void, invalid, unenforceable, or illegal for any reason, it shall be ineffective only to the extent of such prohibition and the validity and enforceability of all remaining provisions shall not be affected thereby.


7. Modification. This Agreement may be amended at any time only upon the mutual agreement in writing of the parties.

8. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed under the laws of the State of Kansas, and shall be subject to limitation, changes, or termination by the Kansas Legislature.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the authorized representatives of the parties have executed this Agreement effective as of the date first hereinabove written, by the authorized representatives of the parties.


LABETTE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

SEWARD COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

 V.P.A.A.  
Representative

Date signed: 5/4/2017

Representative

Date signed:  5/24/17

The following information is required to submit **military articulation information** for the KBOR website. Note that institutional approval & signatures are required before it will be posted.

**Institution:** \_\_\_\_\_ Seward County Community College \_\_\_\_\_

**Program:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Medical Laboratory Technology** \_\_\_\_\_

**Military Designation and Name:** MOS: 68K Medical Laboratory Specialist; NEC: HM 8506 Medical Laboratory Technician

**Skill Level:** 50

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours
BI2705	General Microbiology	5
MT1203	Introduction to Medical Technology	3
MT1304	Phlebotomy	4
MT1903	MLT Immunology	3
MT2206	MLT Hematology/Coagulation	6
MT2406	MLT Clinical Chemistry	6
MT2703	MT Urinalysis and Body Fluids	3
MT2306	MLT Pathogenic Microbiology	6
MT2506	MLT Immunohematology	6
MT2907	MLT Clinical Practicum	7

**Total Hours 49**

For more information, email [registrar@sccc.edu](mailto:registrar@sccc.edu) or call 620-417-1061.

Website: <http://www.sccc.edu>

*Suzanne Campbell PhD, MLS(ASCP)<sup>CM</sup>*

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Program Director/Department Chair

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Vice President of Academic Affairs/Provost

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5/1/2017  
Date

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5-24-17  
Date

The following information is required to submit **military articulation information** for the KBOR website. Note that institutional approval & signatures are required before it will be posted.

**Institution:** Seward County Community College

**Program:** Surgical Technology

**Military Designation and Name:** Operating Room Specialist

MOS 68D

**Skill Level:** 40

Course ID	Course Title	Credit Hours
ST1004	Introduction to Surgical Technology	4
ST1013	Principals & Practices	3
ST1013	Principals & Practices Lab	3
ST1124	Surgical Procedures I	4
ST1126	Surgical Procedures I Lab/Clinical	6
ST1303	Pharmacology for the ST	3
ST1125	Surgical Procedures II	5
ST1127	Surgical Procedures II Lab/Clinical	7
ST1111	ST Certification Review	1

**Total Hours 36**

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