SEWARD COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

MEMORANDUM AGREEMENT

This Agreement, by and between Seward County Community College and Kansas High School Students who have successfully completed a state approved Health Science Career Cluster Program Pathway, is made to provide students enrolling in Health Science Career and Technical Pathways the option to earn a certificate or an associate degree from Seward County Community College. It is the intention of the parties that this cooperative effort will enhance the education and employment opportunities of the students. Now, therefore, it is agreed by and between the parties as follows:

The awarding of the Certificate and/or Associate Degree is contingent upon the graduating high school's continuance of their KSDE approved Career Cluster Pathway.

1. The terms for this agreement shall begin 01-01-2025.

2. This Agreement is subject to change or cancellation by the Legislature at any time in accordance with Article 6, Section 5 of the Kansas Constitution.

3. Seward County Community College will provide the courses listed on the College website for the Allied Health Programs of Study.

4. SCCC and any high schools offering the approved Career Cluster Pathway may advertise the programs and will jointly advise the students that this option is available to them.

5. Achieve Completer status in one of the following pathways:
    a. Health Science - CIP 51.9999
    b. Medical Laboratory Technology – CIP 51.1004
    c. Phlebotomy – CIP 51.1009

6. The Phlebotomy certificate, Medical Laboratory Technology AAS, and Sports Medicine AS may be granted through Seward County Community College joint agreement. The awarding of such a certificate/degree is contingent upon the graduating high school's continuance of their KSDE approved career cluster pathway.

7. Both parties agree to evaluate this program on an annual basis and in the context of student benefit, program efficiency, content, and effectiveness.

8. Successful completion of the following Health Science Career Cluster Pathway course(s) will result in the student being awarded college credit for the following equivalent course(s):

9. The details of this agreement are outlined below:
    a. Credit will only be awarded for a grade of C or better in all courses.
    b. No fee will be assessed for the credit awarded.
    c. Credit will only be awarded for Care and Prevention of Athletic Injuries if the high school can provide documentation that the instructor of Sports Medicine I, Care of Athletes, and Sports Medicine II is a certified athletic trainer.
    d. Credits may not apply toward the College/University residency requirements.
    e. Student must declare one of the following as their major area of interest: Phlebotomy, Medical Laboratory Technology or Sports Medicine.
    f. College credit will be available for award after the student has successfully completed the next course in the sequence depending on their major area of study according to the following:

Major Area	**Sequence Course to Complete**
Phlebotomy	MT1203 Introduction to Medical Technology HI1023 Medical Terminology
Medical Laboratory Technology	MT1203 Introduction to Medical Technology MT2206 MLT Hematology and Coagulation MT2406 MLT Clinical Chemistry MT2703 MLT Urinalysis and Body Fluids
Sports Medicine	PE2621 Sports Medicine Practicum I

10. To receive a certificate or associate degree, students much complete a minimum number of credit hours. Admission for the Medical Laboratory Technology program requires a minimum cumulative grade point average of a 2.5 or better. Students must have a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or better to be eligible for a certificate or associate degree from Seward CountyCommunity College.

Major Area	**Credit Hours Required**
Phlebotomy	12
Medical Laboratory Technology	68
Sports Medicine	64

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties accept and approve the AGREEMENT.

	1-3-25	Kristie Dowell	1/3/2025
KSDE Representative	Date	SCCC Representative	Date