

City of Lawrence, KS Job Opportunity Bulletin

FIRE CHIEF

LAWRENCE-DOUGLAS COUNTY FIRE MEDICAL
STARTING SALARY RANGE: \$131,473 TO \$144,621 ANNUALLY DOQ

Lawrence-Douglas County Fire Medical is a progressive, fast-paced organization committed to the pursuit of excellence, providing fully-integrated EMS and Fire Services to the City of Lawrence community. This commitment to excellence has yielded international accreditation through the Commission on Fire Accreditation International, and an Insurance Services Offices (ISO) rating of 1; one of only five departments state-wide and seventy-one internationally with this distinction. Ideal candidates for this position will possess superior communication skills, passion for public service and the community, and a predisposition for creativity and innovation.

RESPONSIBILITIES: Direct and review the strategic planning, organizational activities and operations, and executive-level administration of the Fire Medical Department. This includes all emergency medical and ambulance services, fire suppression, prevention, technical services and administration across seven stations and two support facilities with 143 sworn staff and supplemental civilian support teams. Coordinate assigned activities with other city departments and outside agencies; inform and evaluate City Policies and Procedures regarding Emergency Management; provide highly responsible and complex administrative support to the City Manager.

QUALIFICATIONS: Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university with major course work in fire science, emergency medical care, public administration, or a closely related field. Ten years of increasingly responsible command experience in an organized fire and emergency medical department including four to six years of high-level command, administrative, and supervisory responsibility. Experience working with an ISO-1 rated department and familiarity with accreditation process preferred. Must establish permanent residence within the incorporated boundaries of the City of Lawrence, Kansas within the first six (6) months after date of employment. Possession of, or ability to obtain, a valid KS driver's license and Kansas Registry EMT or Paramedic license by date of hire.

BENEFITS:

<u>Health/Dental/Vision/Life</u> Various dependent on coverage levels available; FREE Well Care Clinic

<u>Insurance:</u> through LMH; free/discounted gym memberships, other wellness benefits/perks

Paid Time Off: 12 Vacation days, 12 Sick days accrued per year;

2 days Personal Leave, 9 Paid Holidays

Retirement: Kansas Police and Fire (KPF)

MUST SUBMIT ONLINE APPLICATION BY:

Monday, April 8th, 2018

WWW.LAWRENCEKS.ORG/JOBS



*The City of Lawrence is pleased to provide an online application process. If you do not have access to a home computer to submit an application, computer access is available at public libraries, the Lawrence Workforce Center or City Hall, Human Resources.

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City of Lawrence, Kansas Web Page: <u>www.LawrenceKs.org</u>
Employment Information Line: (785) 832-3333

"We consider applicants for all positions regardless of race, sex, religion, color, national origin, age, ancestry, sexual orientation or disability."

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