



LAKE COUNTRY FIRE & RESCUE

115 Main Street, Delafield, WI 53018

LCFR Cadet Program Application

Applicant Information:

Applicant Full Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City _____ Zip _____

Participant agrees to obtain/maintain health care coverage for the duration of the participants time in the LCFR Cadet program.

Yes No Signature (parent/guardian if under 18) _____

Yes No Copy of insurance card provided. (Front & Back)

Parent/Custodian information if under 18:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Emergency Contact (If different than Parent/Custodian)

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____



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CADET & RIDE ALONG RELEASE FORM

Name: _____ D.O.B. _____

Participant's Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

In consideration of being allowed to participate in the Cadet Program, as well as accompany Lake Country Fire & Rescue (LCFR) personnel on Fire & EMS calls and otherwise observe as a ride along with LCFR Staff:

I, the undersigned, binding my heirs, personal representatives, trustees, administrators, and assigns, do hereby release and agree not to hold liable, Lake Country Fire & Rescue, it's members, agents and employees from any and all actions, claims, injuries or death sustained by me or my property while participating in the Cadet program, or any activities with Lake Country Fire Rescue because of the Cadet program. I further agree, my heirs, personal representatives, trustees, administrators, and assigns, to indemnify, hold and save harmless Lake Country Fire & Rescue, its agents, members, and employees from liability, action, claim, damage, award or judgment incurred or suffered by the above Fire & EMS service or individuals as a result of any act of omission by me or caused by me while participating in the Cadet Program/Ride along. In addition, I make the following representations and acknowledgments upon which I intend Lake Country Fire & Rescue service to rely:

- I realize and agree that while participating in the Cadet program/Ride Along, I will not be an agent, servant or employee of Lake Country Fire & Rescue and therefore will not be covered by Lake Country Fire & Rescue for any worker's compensation, death, or disability benefits.
- I realize that as a voluntary participant requesting to participate in the Cadet program/Ride alongs, I may, at unpredictable times, be placed in both foreseeable and unforeseeable positions of considerable danger and agree that neither Lake Country Fire & Rescue nor any of its officers or employees shall be obligated to take any steps or actions to protect my person or provide means of withdrawal or retreat for me, and release them of any duty to do so.
- I agree that any information I may gain, through participation in this program will be used by me only for my personal educational purposes, except where I am summoned as a witness in any administrative or court proceeding. I have gone through HIPPA training and understand that all protected health information obtained through this program will be used solely for educational purposes.

Confidentiality:

The profession of providing emergency medical care to our patients often involves the discovery of personal information about the patient. In order for us to treat our patients effectively, we must have their trust so the patient will be able to relay pertinent information to us in confidence. It is the policy of the Lake Country Fire Department that information about the patient's condition and personal history will not be given out to anyone not directly involved in patient care or those involved in quality assurance. Requests for patient information must be handled with protection of our patient's confidentiality, legal rights and privacy.

I understand that my participation in the above-named program is a privilege subject to revocation at any time by any LCFR Officer.

Participant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature (required for minors) _____ Date: _____

Fire Department Representative Signature _____ Date: _____



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Ride Along Expectations

The Lake Country Fire Rescue Ride-along program is designed to provide clinical or observation experience for students and members of the community interested in Fire/EMS. The program will provide for the opportunity for direct visualization of patient care in the field.

Lake Country Fire Rescue reserves the right to refuse the offer of ride along time to any individual at anytime.

Scheduling:

- Ride-along hours will be restricted to between the hours 7 am and 10 pm. Your ride times and length of stay are determined at time of scheduling. You may come to an agreement with the on-duty crew to extend your stay as long as it does not impede on another students ride time, or go past 10:00 unless you are on an emergency call. It is imperative that you arrive on time, or 5-10 minutes early for your scheduled ride time.
- Weekend Ride Time is discouraged; however it is available on an as needed basis.
- Parking is available in the west side parking lot off Main street. There is a green service door, ring the doorbell and someone will let you in.
- If you have any questions prior to, or after your ride along, please contact Deputy Chief Tanya Reynen-treyne@lakecountryfire.com. If you are unable to make your scheduled shift or have last minute questions, contact Lake Country Fire Rescue at 262-646-6235.

Student Conduct:

- Students should participate in station duties and any other activities as directed by the shift commander.
- Students will participate in daily ambulance checks while accompanied by a member of the ambulance crew. Students must always be accompanied when going into the ambulance.
- Students must follow direction of EMS crew they are working with.
- Students may not participate in patient care. They are to observe only.
- Students must not attempt to operate equipment they are not trained to use. If they have any questions about equipment being used, consult with the EMS crew.
- The training room or kitchen is available to students for studying during the shift hours of 8am – 4pm. Students are welcome to join the duty crew in the day room at break and mealtimes and after 4 pm.
- Students may place their meals in refrigerators and use kitchen facilities. Students may join shift meals if invited by the on-duty shift. Cost of these meals is typically split between all participating.
- Any documentation required by the school will be the responsibility of the student. EMS crew will only complete documentation that is presented to them.
- Any conduct that reflects negatively on Lake Country Fire Rescue will be cause to deny student future ride-along time.
- Students should make the most of their ride time. What you get out of your ride time is directly related to the effort you put into it. Lake Country Fire Rescue is pleased to offer this opportunity and hopes all students have an excellent learning experience.
- **Most of all, enjoy your ride time here and take what you learn with you as you move forward in your future endeavors!**

Dress Code:

- Students must be appropriately attired and groomed. Approval to ride-along may be denied if the student is not properly dressed. All students will adhere to dress code
- School uniform is required as applicable. When not, the following shall apply.
 - All clothing will be in good repair, clean and ironed without excessive insignias, jewelry or patches.
 - Khaki, dark blue or black pants, (no denim).
 - Polo style shirt, (long or short sleeve). School uniform shirt is recommended if available.
 - School identification badge is required if provided by the school. Must be worn above waist level.
 - Shoes or boots to be dark colored, cleaned and in good repair.
- Hair must be clean and neatly groomed. All long hair must be pulled back and secured in ponytail fashion.

Tips for a great time:

- We were all in your shoes once. If you need help with anything, please ask a crew member.
- Find out where you are expected to ride, and if there is any special PPE for you to wear in certain situations (i.e. vests for vehicle accidents)
- If there is a call, move quickly and with a purpose to your assigned rig; crews will leave you behind!!!
- Don't hide out! Participate in crew activities and duties as much as you can
- Allow on shift members to sit first, and NEVER take the last of something unless told to.
- Crews usually pay for their own coffee and condiments; if you would like some ask where you can give a buck or two for the coffee fund.
- Remember that you are a guest at the department; this is the second home and family for the crews you are working with, and some have been there for a long time. Treat them accordingly.
- Remember that every day in Fire and EMS is a job interview; your actions and attitude, good or bad, is noticed and will follow you throughout your career.
- Most importantly, have fun and enjoy your shift!!!