

Welcome to the TEAM!



Medical / Vision Unit

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HOW WE CAN IMPACT THE PROCESS



KANSAS MEDICAL ADVISORY BOARD

What is the role of the Kansas Medical Advisory Board (MAB)?

The MAB assists the Director of Vehicles and our Medical / Vision Unit in interpreting conflicting information and formulating action based on the recommendation of doctors and specialists. The board also helps determine the driving eligibility of complicated cases.

Every effort will be made to assist drivers on their journey to obtain and maintain their driving privileges. Our office is ADA and statutorily compliant with all of our requests and requirements. We do not discriminate by age or impairment; however, we are charged with the duty to determine a driver's safety on the roadways in Kansas.

Are you a member of General Medical (MD, DO, Internal Medicine), Neurology, Ophthalmology, Psychiatry, Driving Occupational Therapy or an Optometrist? Our office needs your expertise!!!

ILLNESS CAN AFFECT THE ABILITY TO SAFELY DRIVE

- SENSORY EXAMPLES:

Cataracts
Hearing Loss
Neuropathy

- MOTOR EXAMPLES:

Parkinson's Disease
Paralysis / Stroke
Arthritis

- COGNITIVE EXAMPLES:

Dementia
Stroke
Brain Injury

These illnesses may limit a driver's ability to drive safely. Depending upon the nature of the illness or combined illnesses, the driver may have restrictions placed upon their driving privileges (e.g., Daylight Hours Only or Within City Limits), adaptations to the vehicle (e.g., Mechanical Aid) or required to take and pass a Driving Rehabilitation Assessment, with a provider of the driver's choosing.

WHY WE NEED YOU?

The goal of the Kansas Division of Vehicles is to have a progressive and knowledgeable Medical Advisory Board. MAB is needed to assist our Director of Vehicles and Medical / Vision Unit to keep Kansas roads safe. There are a number of high-risk drivers on our roads including those who speed, drive while under the influence of drugs or alcohol and others who drive while medically / visually impaired. We are actively recruiting candidates in the previously mentioned specialties so that we have a comprehensive board with the most current knowledge available in the medical and vision professions.



Would you like to be a part of this exciting change that is happening at the Kansas Division of Vehicles? If so, please email your name, contact information, medical or vision specialty and license number, along with your office location to: KDOR_Medical.VisionUnit@ks.gov

Further information or next steps will be sent to your email address in response.