



TO: Mayor Linda Gorton

FROM: Jason G. Wells, Fire Chief

DATE: 05/28/2025

SUBJECT: Clinical education agreement between the University of Kentucky College of Nursing and Lexington- Fayette County government on behalf of the Division of Fire and Emergency Services

Request: The Division of Fire and Emergency Services request authorization to establish an agreement between the University of Kentucky College of Nursing and Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (LFUCG) on behalf of the division of fire and emergency services regarding their cooperation in the implementation of education experience opportunities for university students in various fields of healthcare related studies.

Purpose of Request: The Division of Fire and Emergency Services is requesting approval to enter into this agreement to formalize an educational partnership with the University of Kentucky College of Nursing. This collaboration will provide university students with valuable real-world experience in healthcare delivery through participation in field-based operations such as Community Paramedicine. The agreement supports workforce development, enhances student learning, and strengthens LFUCG's public health efforts, all without incurring additional costs to the Division.

Department needs this action completed because: The Division requires this agreement to be in place in order to legally and formally host University of Kentucky nursing students for observational and experiential learning.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? No cost associated

Are the funds budgeted? No budget required

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Cancellation clause: This agreement may be terminated by either party provided written notice is sent to the other party at least ninety (90) days prior to the proposed date of termination.

Director/Commissioner: Wells/Armstrong

