Medical Exam for Paramedic Students Policy

**PURPOSE:** To ensure consistency of student’s physical examination.

**POLICY:** All students in the paramedic program need to have a current and complete physical examination

**DATE:** September 23, 2014

**PROCEDURE:**

1. All paramedic students must have a physical examination as proof of their physical ability to perform all aspects of the training and the job.
2. Physical exams will be due two weeks after the start of the semester to allow appointments with the college physician if needed.
3. Qualifying examinations:
   1. DMV physical
   2. Palomar College EME physical form
4. All physicals are good for 2 years and the students are responsible for maintaining the status.
5. If student uses the DMV physical, they must turn in the actual form, not just the DMV card.