Welcome to the TEAM!

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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 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 and 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 due to Stroke
  - Arthritis

- **COGNITIVE EXAMPLES:**
  - Dementia
  - Stroke
  - Brain Injury

These illnesses may limit one’s ability to drive safely. Depending upon the nature of the illness or combined illnesses, one may have certain restrictions placed upon their driving privileges (e.g. Daylight Hours Only or Within City Limits), adaptations to the vehicle (e.g. mechanical aid) or even participating at a local Driving Evaluation Rehabilitation Center of the driver’s choosing.

WHY WE NEED YOU?

The goal of the Kansas Division of Vehicles is to have the most progressive and knowledgeable Medical Advisory Board. MAB is needed so that you may assist our Medical / Vision Unit in keeping Kansas roads safer. 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 may have a comprehensive board with the most current knowledge available in the medical / vision profession.

Would you like to be a part of this exciting change that is happening at the Kansas Division of Vehicles?

Please write a letter of interest to:

Medical.VisionUnit@ks.gov

An application will be sent to your email address in response, which will need to be completed and returned via the email above or faxed to (785) 296-5857.