

**Board of Trustees Mission:** Preparing students, serving communities creating opportunities for all.

**CBHE-Approved Mission Description (December 2023):** Metropolitan Community College is a community college located in Kansas City, Missouri. It is responsible for serving the residents of its taxing district and its CBHE-approved service area.

Metropolitan Community College serves its CBHE-approved service region by offering academic programs leading to the Associate of Arts and the Associate of Science degrees, which transfer to four-year institutions, and postsecondary instruction in the liberal arts and sciences, and general education (including dual credit) that prepare students for transfer to four-year institutions. Metropolitan Community College also offers many programs in career and technical education leading to the Associate of Applied Science degree and certificates, and provides basic, workplace skills training for career preparation and advancement as well workforce skills training and customized training for businesses. MCC has particular strengths in the Health Sciences, Cybersecurity, Public Safety, industrial production technologies, business administration, and manufacturing.

Metropolitan Community College further fulfills its CBHE-approved mission by offering continuing education services in its region to promote and sustain economic development, small business development, and workforce development, in addition to a broad range of academic and cultural activities and events, and the shared use of facilities (libraries, theatres, galleries, etc.) and other types of institutional assets not available elsewhere in the region.

Every five years, Metropolitan Community College will provide to the Coordinating Board, in a manner determined by the Coordinating Board, evidence of fulfilling its CBHE-approved mission.