

Physical Abilities Test Candidate Test Notification Packet

CORRECTIONAL OFFICER

Miami Dade Corrections and
Rehabilitation Department

2017



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The Physical Ability Test (PAT) is one component of the entry-level selection process for the position of Corrections Officer in the Miami Dade Corrections and Rehabilitation Department. The job of a Corrections Officer is physically demanding and a certain degree of physical strength and endurance is necessary in order to complete many of the tasks required on the job. As such, the PAT is geared toward assessing the physical abilities of the Corrections Officer applicant.

Course Description

The PAT measures specific physical abilities through participation in a series of tasks:

1. Stair Climb
2. 150 yard run
3. Obstacle Course
 - a. 40 inch barricade jump
 - b. 24 inch, 12 inch and 18 inch hurdles
 - c. Serpentine (with 9 cones)
 - d. Low Crawl
4. Dummy Drag (150lbs) for 70 feet
5. Repeat Obstacle Course
6. Repeat 150 yard run

This test is conducted in a continuous manner resulting in a total composite score.

Qualified Instructors of Miami Dade College will prepare the PAT course as outlined (*See attached course layout*). Time frames and instructions have been standardized so that all candidates receive the same instructions and the same amount of time to complete the PAT.

Test Results

- *Candidates must complete the PAT course in six (6) minutes and four (4) seconds.*
- Test results are on a pass/fail basis and will be provided to candidates immediately following the test.
- The Assessment Center will provide the pass/fail statuses of each candidate to MDCR after the completion of the PAT administration.
- If you fail the test, you may request to retest at a later date. Retest requests must be made via email to the Assessment Center at nac@mdc.edu.
 - Please include your name, original test date/time and contact phone number.
 - You may only retest three times and must submit another payment form at your scheduled retest date/time.

Schedule

- The PAT is administered Wednesday & Thursday at 1:00 PM and Friday at 9:00 AM
 - PAT administration will begin March 22, 2017 and will end April 21, 2017, weather permitting.
- The *Practice* PAT is administered Wednesdays from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM on a first-come-first serve basis.
- You **MUST** arrive early or on time. You will be disqualified if you arrive late.

Reporting Information

When reporting for the PAT, you **MUST** bring the following items:

- Government Issued Picture ID (e.g. Driver's License)
- Receipt of payment from the Bursar's Office.
 - Location: North Campus, Building 1, Room 1154
 - Bursar's Office Telephone Number: (305) 237-1287
 - Bursar's Office Hours: Mon—Thurs 8:00 A.M.—7:00 P.M.; Fri 8:00 A.M.—4:30 P.M.
 - *Please Note: The Bursar's Office is NOT open on Saturdays.*
- Signed PAT Liability Waiver

Candidates will *not* be allowed to participate in the Practice PAT or PAT without the aforementioned items.

No Exceptions.

Fees

All Physical Ability Test Fees are non-refundable and non-transferable.

- \$40—Correctional Officer Physical Abilities Test
- \$45—Correctional Officer Physical Abilities Test **and** Practice PAT
- \$10—Test Results Duplicate Copy

For more information on the Physical Ability Test, please contact

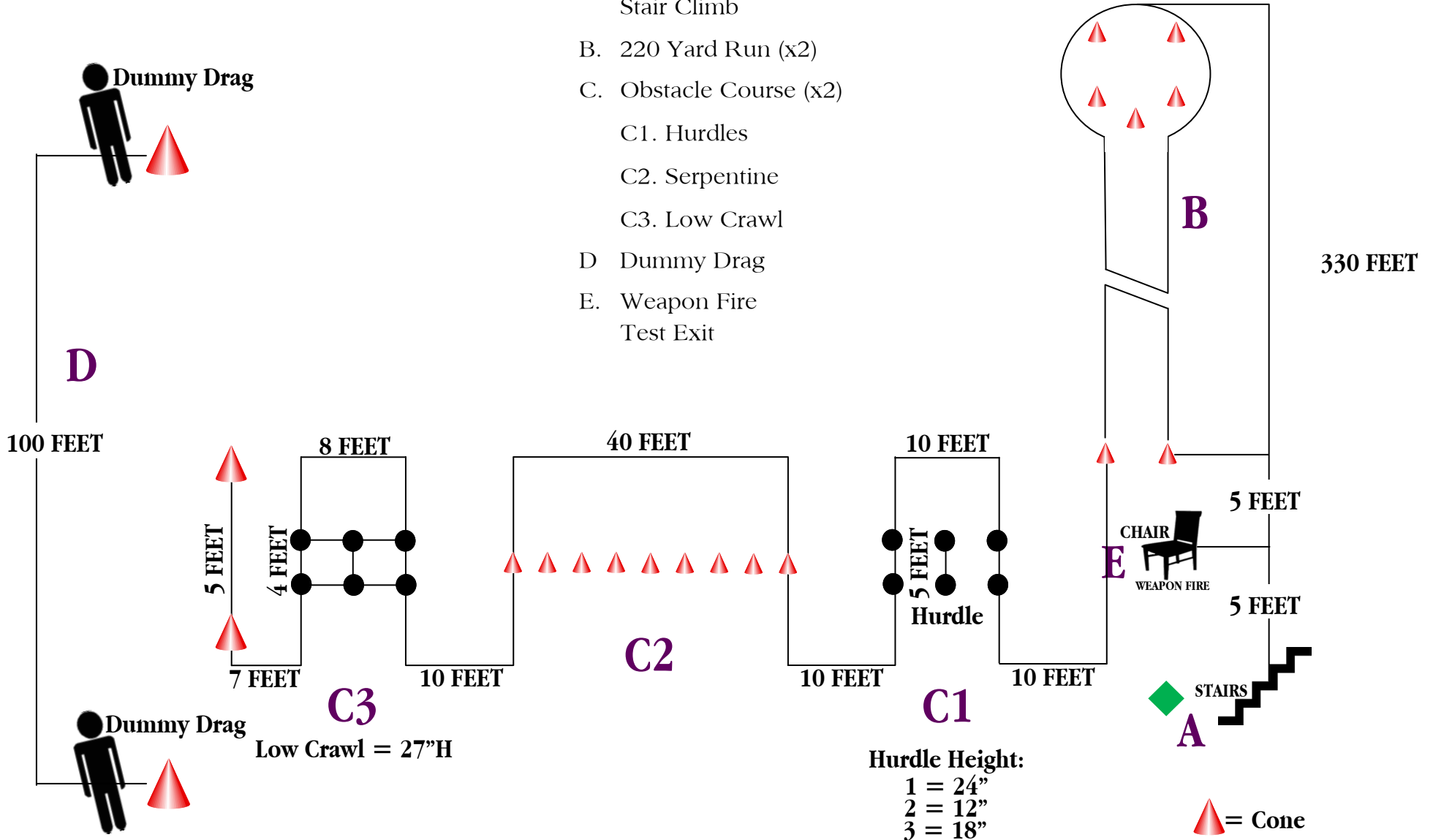
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Miami Dade Corrections and Rehabilitation Department
 Entry-Level Corrections Officer
 Physical Abilities Test Course

Administered by The Assessment Center—Miami Dade College School of Justice

- A. Test Entrance
Stair Climb
- B. 220 Yard Run (x2)
- C. Obstacle Course (x2)
 - C1. Hurdles
 - C2. Serpentine
 - C3. Low Crawl
- D. Dummy Drag
- E. Weapon Fire
Test Exit





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LIABILITY WAIVER
PHYSICAL ABILITIES TEST
MDCR CORRECTIONAL OFFICER

I, _____, do hereby agree to release Miami Dade College, The School of Justice Department, The Assessment Center, and all employees thereof, from any and all claims and liability for personal injury or damages arising from my activities while performing the Miami Dade Corrections & Rehabilitation Department Physical Ability Test on the premises of Miami Dade College, North Campus.

By my execution hereof this _____ day of _____, 2013, I hereby certify I have read and understand the above agreement.

Signature

Date

Name (Printed)

Address

City, State, Zip

Last Four Digits of SSN

Primary Phone Number



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PAYMENT FORM
PHYSICAL ABILITIES TEST
MDCR CORRECTIONAL OFFICER

Instructions

- Turn completed form into the BURSAR’S OFFICE.
 - Location: North Campus, Building 1, Room 1154
 - Telephone: (305) 237-1287
 - Hours: Mon—Thurs 8:00 A.M.—7:00 P.M.; Fri 8:00 A.M.—4:30 P.M.
- *Bring a copy of the receipt of payment to your scheduled practice test and/or test.*

Name: _____

Date: _____ (mm/dd/yyyy)

Last Four Digits of SSN: _____

_____ Corrections Officer Practice Test + Physical Ability Test (\$45)

Payment Type:
(Please Check One) _____ Corrections Officer Physical Ability Test Only (\$40)

_____ Duplicate Test Results (\$10)

I, _____, understand the following:

- The Physical Abilities Test fee **must** be paid prior to arriving at the testing site.
- Payment may be made in cash, credit card or money order.
- All fees are **non-refundable and non-transferable.**
- Receipts are valid for thirty (30) days from payment date.

Candidate Signature: _____

Bursar’s Authorization to Collect Test Fee for
 Physical Abilities Test – MDCR Correctional Officer
Account # 31200103-N31201-40920

Payment Receipt #: _____

Cashier: _____

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PAYMENT FORM FBAT

Instructions

- Turn completed form into the BURSAR'S OFFICE.
 - Location: North Campus, Building 1, Room 1154
 - Telephone: (305) 237-1287
 - Hours: Mon—Thurs 8:00 A.M.—7:00 P.M.; Fri 8:00 A.M.—4:30 P.M.
- *Bring a copy of the receipt of payment to Building 9, Room 9108, thirty (30 minutes prior to the scheduled test time.*

Name: _____

Date: _____ (mm/dd/yyyy)

**Last Four Digits of
SSN:** _____

Payment Type: _____ Law Enforcement (\$45.00)
(Please check one) _____ Corrections (\$45.00)

Payment Type: _____ Study Guide (\$30.00)
**(Please check all that
apply)** _____ Duplicate Test Results (\$5.00)

I, _____, understand the following:

- Payment may be made in cash, credit card or money order.
- All fees are **non-refundable and non-transferable.**
- FBAT results are valid for four (4) years.
- Receipts are valid for thirty (30) days from payment date.

Candidate Signature: _____

Bursar's Authorization to Collect Test Fee for
FBAT
Account # 31200103-N31201-40920

Payment Receipt #: _____ Cashier: _____

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