

First Responders Department

Thank you for your interest in the First Responders Department of I.A.T.S.E. Local 212. Please take a few moments to read the following information, which outlines department specific requirements necessary when applying to the First Responders Department.

The different positions within the First Responders Department include:

- o Registered Nurse (RN),
- o Advanced Care Paramedic (ACP)
- o Primary Care Paramedic (PCP),
- o Emergency Medical Responder (EMR),
- o Advanced First Aid Attendant,

Application Requirements

For Permittee Status

In addition to completing the **“Permit Information Package”** you must meet the following requirement(s):

- o Registered Nurse, - these individuals must be registered with the College of Registered Nurses of Alberta and have a current unrestricted practice permit to practice in the Province of Alberta.
- o Advanced Care or Primary care, Paramedic, - these individuals must be registered with the Alberta College of Paramedics and have a current unrestricted practice permit to practice in the Province of Alberta.
- o Emergency Medical Responder, - these individuals must be registered with the Alberta College of Paramedics and have a current unrestricted practice permit to practice in the Province of Alberta.
- o Advanced First Aid Attendant, - All advanced first aid providers must hold a current advanced first aid certificate from an authorized Alberta Occupational Health and Safety approved first aid training agency.
- o Ability to Provide an "Intermediate Kit" as per Canadian Standards Association. (Previously Level 3 Kit). Please note other items may also be required as instructed by a production based on your role.

Your training and experience will help the Head of the Department (HOD) determine which position you are best suited for. Be sure to clearly indicate how you satisfy the above requirements. For example, on your resume provide detailed information about any previous training/experience (list supervisor names, responsibilities etc.)

Additionally, please provide copies of any relevant licenses, tickets and/or certificates etc. and submit all your documentation with your **“Permit Information Package”**.

Once accepted you will be contacted to meet with a department representative for an orientation.

For Membership

To apply for membership a permit must have a minimum of sixty (60) days worked as an I.A.T.S.E. Local 212 permit.

In addition to completing the **“Membership Application”** you must meet the following requirement(s):

- o Safe Sets International COVID 19 course Level A
- o WHMIS 2015

Please provide copies of any relevant licenses, tickets and/or certificates etc. and submit all your documentation with your **“Membership Application”**.

*Please note: Those courses marked with an asterisk can be taken through I.A.T.S.E. Local 212. You can register by calling the I.A.T.S.E. Local 212 Education Department @ 403-250-2199.

For Sister Status

In addition to completing the **“Sister Status Application”** you must meet the following requirement(s):

- o Have an original letter of good standing from your home local,
- o A copy of your membership card-front and back and
- o An updated resume

Please provide copies of any relevant licenses, tickets and/or certificates etc. and submit all your documentation with your **“Sister Status Application”**.

Applications can take up to six months to process. You will be notified as soon as your application has been reviewed.

Please do not telephone and inquire as to the status of your application.

Should you have any questions related to applying for Permittee Status, Membership or Sister Status with I.A.T.S.E. Local 212, please contact I.A.T.S.E. Local 212 Membership Services @ 403-250-2199.