

Respiratory Therapy Program Pre Admission Guide

Admission to the full time Respiratory Therapy program is competitive. The program admits 25 students each year for the fall semester. Students must complete a separate admission application when they are ready to apply to the Respiratory Therapy program. It's recommended that students consider all of the following to improve their application:

REQUIRED:

1. All applicants must take the TEAS exam. A minimum Reading score of 70 is required in order to be eligible for the program. For information and/or scheduling for the TEAS, please access: <https://www.cpcc.edu/admissions/testing-and-assessment/teas>
2. An overall application score of 18 or higher is required to be eligible for the program.

OPTIONAL:

1. It is highly recommended that students complete general education courses before applying to the program, *but it is not a requirement*. All courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher. A recommended course schedule is:

SEMESTER ONE

Course #	Course Title	Credit Hrs.
ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry (points eligible)	3
BIO 163	Basic Anatomy and Physiology (OR BIO 168 & 169)	5
MED 120	Survey of Medical Terminology (this course requires granted permission and admission to program, MED 121 may be taken instead)	2
ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1
	Total	11

SEMESTER TWO

Course #	Course Title	Credit Hrs.
ENG 112	Writing and Research in the disciplines (OR ENG 113 OR ENG 114)	3
PSY 150	General Psychology OR any of the following: ECO 251, ECO 252, HIS 111, HIS 112, HIS 132, POL 120, SOC 210	3
MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy (OR MAT 152 or MAT 171)	3
ART 111	Art Appreciation OR any of the following: ART 114, ART 115, HUM 120, HUM 130, MUS 110, MUS 112, PHI 215, PHI 240.	3
	Total	12

For additional program information, visit <https://www.cpcc.edu/programs/respiratory-therapy>