

Respiratory Therapist Admissions

The Respiratory Therapy Degree offers a rewarding career in assessing and rehabilitating patients with diseases and disorders of the heart and lungs. For admission to this program, complete the steps listed on this page. Below is the recommended order:

ITEM	COMPLETED
Apply to the Respiratory Therapy program nwtc.edu/Apply	<input type="checkbox"/>
Submit Transcripts Send high school and college transcripts (if applicable) to transcripts@nwtc.edu	<input type="checkbox"/>
Complete Assessment** <i>(If Applicable)</i> The assessment may be waived if your high school or college GPA is 3.0 or higher; or if you have already taken the ACT or Accuplacer. It is important that all transcripts are sent (for review) to determine if the assessment is needed.**	<input type="checkbox"/>
Complete Biology <i>(NWTC Catalog #10806177)</i> Biology is waived if you have completed two semesters of high school biology with a C or better or college level biology with a C or better.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Complete Chemistry <i>(NWTC Catalog #10806134)</i> Chemistry is waived if you have completed two semesters of high school chemistry with a C or better or college level chemistry with a C or better.	<input type="checkbox"/>

****The following items are due at program orientation for program accepted students. They are not required for admissions purposes:**

- Completed American Heart Association BLS Provider CPR course
- CPR certification

**** Do not complete the following if you are a pre-program or waitlisted student. These items will need to be completed by program orientation for accepted students only. Please visit nwtc.edu/cbc or email cbc@nwtc.edu for more information:**

- Caregiver background check
- Vaccine records
- Functional Abilities Inventory

View your application checklist and progress anytime at nwtc.edu/mynwtc! Navigate to "Admissions" and select "Application Checklist". Need Help? Contact us at 920-498-5444 or start@nwtc.edu



The Respiratory Therapy Program has a limited capacity. Once it fills to capacity, students will be offered a place on a waiting list based on their eligibility date. Once all items on page 1 have been completed, you will be able to accept your position on the waitlist. Wait times change often due to fluctuations in student interest. While waiting you can complete the following courses:

Course Name (CATALOG NUMBER)	Credits	Pre-requisite	Completed/ Semester
College 101 (10890101)	1		
English Comp 1 (10801136)	3		
General Anatomy & Physiology (10806177) <i>Grade of B or higher</i>	4	Chemistry (10806134)	
Microbiology (10806197) <i>Grade of B or higher</i>	4	General A&P (10806177)	
Oral/Interpersonal Communications (10801196)	3		
Medical Terminology (10501101)	3		
Intro to Psychology (10809198)	3		
Intro to Diversity (10809172)	3		
Intro to Sociology (10809196)	3		

** When scores are not met, it is important to work with an academic advisor to discuss which additional courses are required for admission. Call 920-498-5444 to schedule an appointment.

Exam Name	Math	Reading	English
ACT	18	21	21
Accuplacer	263	263	263
Accuplacer (Old)	75	95	103
TABE 9/10	12.7	12.6	12.8
TABE 11/12	800	800	800
SAT	430	500	500
COMPASS	49	88	93

FAQs

Q. Vaccination Requirements

A. To learn more about the vaccines, such as flu, Covid19, etc., required for this program, please visit www.nwtc.edu/cbc and select your program from the drop-down list.

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