FALL 2026 COHORT SELECTIVE ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

Spring semester prerequisite courses may still be in progress when you submit your Respiratory Therapy Program application. However, your application will not be considered complete and therefore no acceptance/denial will be determined until after the grades for the prerequisite courses have been posted. Your final grades will be assessed at the end of the semester and your acceptance into the program will be based on your grades being high enough to meet the program's selection requirements.

The following courses and labs (or equivalent transfer credit, AP or CLEP) must be completed prior to the final application deadline. Each course and lab must be completed, with a C grade or better. Courses that have not been completed with a C grade or better will not be considered. **BIOL 2320/2325, 2420/2425 & CHEM 1110 must have been completed within seven years prior to application to the program.**

Course Number	Course Description	Credit Hours
Any Composition	EN	3
MATH 1010, or any QL MATH 1050 recommended	Integrated Algebra	4
BIOL 2320 & 2325***	Human Anatomy & Anatomy Lab	4
BIOL 2420 & 2425***	Human Physiology & Physiology Lab	4
CHEM 1110****	Elementary Chemistry	4
RESP 1010	Introduction to Respiratory Therapy	2
Total Credits		21

***BIOL 1610 & 1615 are not required for transfer students who have previously completed Human Anatomy w/ Lab or Human Physiology w/Lab with a "C" grade, or better. **If you are taking BIOL 2320 & 2325 and/or BIOL 2420 & 2425 at SLCC, you must take BIOL 1610 & 1615 first.**

****CHEM 1110 is a required pre-requisite for BIOL 2420/BIOL 2425. Students transferring in with Human Physiology completed, CHEM 1010 is accepted.

IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT TRANSFER CREDIT

- It is the applicant's responsibility to make sure their transfer credit has been fully transferred to SLCC prior to the program's application deadlines.
- If a student has courses they are transferring from another school, their transcripts must be evaluated by the SLCC Transfer Evaluation Office and their **grades must be posted to SLCC DegreeWorks (their MySLCC account),** before the program's application deadline (priority and final application deadlines apply). IT CAN TAKE SEVERAL WEEKS FOR TRANSCRIPTS TO BE EVALUATED.
- Students should declare Health Sciences as their Area of Study, and Respiratory Therapy as the Program of Study when applying to SLCC. If the correct information is not submitted within the transfer evaluation request, courses applicable to the program may not be transferred to SLCC.

VERIFICATION OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION OR EQUIVALENT (GED)

Proof of high school graduation is required to apply. Documentation may include a transcript, diploma or a letter of explanation if you do not have supporting documentation. *You will be required to upload this information as part of your application.*

PREFERRED BUT NOT REQUIRED

- **Graduated from an AHEC program or completed a MA or CNA certification within the last five years** – Must submit certification.
- **Community Engagement** - Applicants that have demonstrated a willingness to serve others through volunteer community engagement will receive additional consideration on their application. Community engagement can be volunteering at food banks, homeless shelters, emergency assistance programs, neighborhood cleanup programs, etc.

  Community Engagement Criteria:
  - Engagement should have occurred within the last five years and since high school graduation
  - Must be performed within the state of Utah
  - Continual experiences encouraged
  - Must be served without payment or reward
  - Service engagement with underserved groups or populations is encouraged
  - Only one experience will be considered for the application

Submit a letter of recommendation from the mentor that supervised community engagement as part of your application. The letter should discuss type of service, length of time committed to serving and where service was performed.

Any document or information you wish to have considered on your application must be uploaded while completing your application. Additional documentation cannot be considered once you have submitted your application.

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HOW TO APPLY

First time applicants to the Health Sciences admissions portal will be required to register to use the site. You can register here https://slcc.my.salesforce-sites.com/HealthSciencesRegistration/ERx_Forms__PageMaker?pageId=Registration.

To login to your applications once you've registered, https://slcc.my.site.com/HealthSciences/ERx_Forms__Portal_Login.