

Health Science Program Pre-Requisite Requirements

Effective dates are for the January, May and August 2011 Admission

For admission information, send an email to the Admission office at healthscience@broward.edu

- **Specific program application periods are noted in the right column of each row.**
- **Admission Decisions are made 30 days following the close of noted application period.**
- **Complete program overviews are available in the College Catalog; and BC website by clicking on each program name.**

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Name of Program Degree Awarded Campus Location	Current Pre-Health Career Core, HSC's & CAE's are Required	Required Prerequisites	Application Period
<u>Dental Hygiene</u> A.S. – 2145 Central	HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of medical errors	All prerequisites require completion with a minimum grade of 'C.' The required overall GPA is a minimum of 2.5 unless otherwise noted. <i>See College Catalog for selection criteria.</i>	May 16 – May 15 Admits in August
<u>Diagnostic Medical Sonography</u> A.S. – 2176 North	HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of medical errors	Minimum GPA of 2.5. Graduate of a direct-patient-contact two-year health science program which leads to licensure or registry. Acceptance preference given to ARRT Registered Radiographers. See DMS Website for specific <u>details</u> .	July 1 – February 28 Admits in June
<u>Emergency Medical Services</u> A.S. - 2160 Central, North	HSC0405 – CPR Basic Life Support	Current State of Florida EMT and Paramedic certification. Contact EMS Department for entry conditions: 954-201-6920.	Open Ended* Admits each term
<u>Health Information Management</u> A.S. – 2179 North	HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence	Minimum degree GPA of 2.5. Completion of prerequisite courses HSC 1531 and ENC1101.	September 3- May 12 Admits in August
<u>Health Services Management</u> A.S. – 2129 A.A.S. – A014 Central	N/A	Completed an accredited post- secondary adult vocational or college certificate program in an Allied Health field. Contact the department for entry conditions: 954-201-6904. *HSA2810L must be completed within 12 months of the background check and drug screening or it will be necessary to repeat.	Open Ended*
<u>Nuclear Medicine</u> A.S. – 2102 North	HCP0001 – Health Career Core HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of medical errors	Minimum degree GPA of 2.5. Completion of prerequisite courses BSC 1085, BSC 1085L, CHM1032, ENC 1101, MAT 1033 or higher.	September 3- February 17 Admits in August
<u>Nursing: Classroom Generic RN</u> A.S. - 2127 Central, North, South	HSC0591 – HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of Medical Errors	Minimum GPA of 2.5 in the following prerequisite courses: ENC1101, CHM1032, BSC 1085, BSC 1085L, BSC 1086, BSC 1086L, including HCP 0001. Previous Nursing credit must be evaluated by Nursing Department A2 HESI Test	July 16 – Sept 15, 2010 Admits in January March 1 – May 15, 2011 Admits in August November 1-January 15 - Not all campuses admit in May
<u>Nursing: On-Line Generic RN</u> A.S. - 2127 Central ONLY	Same as Generic R.N.	Same prerequisites as Generic R.N. Previous Nursing credit must be evaluated by Nursing Department A2 HESI Test	July 16 – Sept 15, 2010 Admits in January March 1 – May 15, 2011 Admits in August
<u>Nursing: Classroom LPN-RN Transition</u> A.S. - 21271 Central, North, South	HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of medical Errors	Minimum GPA of 2.5 in the following prerequisite courses: ENC1101, CHM1032, BSC 1085, BSC 1085L, BSC 1086, BSC 1086L, including current State of Florida LPN license without restrictions. Previous Nursing credit must be evaluated by Nursing Department. A2 HESI Test beginning with June 2011 applicants	Open Ended* Admits in May

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Nursing: On-Line LPN-RN Transition A.S. - 21271 Central ONLY	HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 - TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of Medical	Same prerequisites as classroom LPN- RN Transition. Previous Nursing credit must be evaluated by Nursing Department A2 HESI Test beginning with June 2011 applicants	Open Ended* Admits in May
Physical Therapist Assistant A.S. - 2153 North	HSC0591 – HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of Medical Errors	Minimum degree GPA of 2.5. There are no prerequisites required prior to applying however points will be awarded in several categories - check online for details . All students <u>selected</u> for admission must successfully complete an Online Test Drive that is required prior to the start of the program.	August 1- January 20 Admits in May
Radiation Therapy Technology A.S. – 2159 North	HCP0001 – Health Career Core HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of Medical Errors	Minimum degree GPA of 2.5. Completion of prerequisite courses BSC1085, BSC1085L, BSC1086, BSC1086L, ENC1101, MAT1033 or higher.	Sept. 3-May 12 Admits in August
Radiography A.A.S. – A025 Central	HCP0001 – Health Career Core HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of Medical Errors	Minimum degree GPA of 2.5. Completion of six (6) prerequisite courses: CGS1060C, BSC 1085, BSC 1085L, HSC 1531, ENC 1101, MAT 1033 or MTB1310. Hospital Based program applicants must be registered by the ARRT in Radiography. ARRT License in lieu of HSC's.	Sept 3-February 15 Admits in August
Radiography A.A.S. – A026* * Hospital Based Central	N/A ARRT License satisfies HSC requirements	Minimum degree GPA of 2.5. Completion of six (6) prerequisite courses: CGS1060C, BSC 1085, BSC 1085L, HSC 1531, ENC 1101, MAT 1033 or MTB1310. Hospital Based program applicants must be registered by the ARRT in Radiography.	Open Ended* Admits each term
Respiratory Care A.S. – 2132 North	HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence	Minimum GPA of 2.5 in program prerequisite courses. Completion of prerequisite courses BSC 1085, BSC 1085L, CHM1032, ENC 1101, MAT 1033 or higher.	September 3- May 12 Admits in August
Vision Care A.S. - 21891 A.A.S -A031 North	HCP0001 – Health Career Core HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence	Minimum high school/college GPA of 2.0. Completion of all college-prep courses, if needed.	Open Ended* Admits in August
Dental Assisting Vocational Certificate 5217 Central	HCP0001 – Health Career Core HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence	Mandatory sign-off of Program Overview written information. Entry into BC requires a standard high school diploma or GED.	January 3 – March 18 Admits in August
Diagnostic Medical Sonography Technical Certificate 6230 North	HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of Medical Errors	Minimum GPA of 2.5. Graduate of a direct-patient-contact two-year health science program which leads to licensure or registry. Acceptance preference given to ARRT registered Radiographers.	July 1 – February 28 Admits in June

* Open-ended application period means that students are allowed to submit an application for consideration to a specific program until all available seats are filled.

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Emergency Medical Technician Technical Certificate B003 Central, North	HSC0405 – CPR Basic Life Support	Current CPR card for the eight-hour BLS Healthcare Provider course and completed medical history form.	Open Ended* Admits each term Priority Deadline: Fall - Last Wednesday in July Winter - Last Wednesday in November Summer - Last Wednesday in April
Massage Therapy Vocational Certificate 5281 North	HCP0001 – Health Career Core HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of medical Errors	Entry into BC requires a standard high school diploma or GED prior to admission. <i>Complete HCP0001 – Health Career Core and all other HSC's and CAE prior to admissions or by end of first term.</i>	Open Ended* Admits in August
Medical Assisting Vocational Certificate 5215 Central	HCP0001 – Health CareerCore HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0581 – All Hazard Online CAE0528 - Prevention of medical Errors	Original copy of typing test verifying 35 CWPM proficiency. Entry into BC requires a standard high school diploma or GED. <i>Complete HCP0001 – Health Career Core and all other HSC's and CAE prior to admissions or by end of first term.</i>	Open Ended* Admits in August
Nuclear Medicine Technical Certificate 6224 North	HCP0001 – Health Career Core HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of medical Errors	BSC 1085, BSC 1085L, CHM1032, ENC 1101, MAT 1033 or higher, and current license/registry from a minimum one-year health science direct-patient - contact program OR ARRT License.	Sept. 3 – May 12 Admits in August
Paramedic Technical Certificate 6208 Central, North	HSC0405 – CPR Basic Life Support	Florida State EMT certified within the first term of the program. Completed/updated medical history form. CPT scores or college transcript.	Open Ended* Admits each term Priority Deadline: Fall - Last Wednesday in July Winter - Last Wednesday in November Summer - Last Wednesday in April
Radiation Therapy Technical Certificate 6228 North	HSC0591 - HIV/AIDS HSC0522 -TB/OSHA/Hep HSC0405 - CPR HSC0691 - Domestic Violence CAE0528 - Prevention of medical Errors	Completion of an accredited two-year or hospital-based radiography program and be ARRT registered.	Sept. 3 – April 10 Admits in August

Pre-Health Career Core, HSC and CAE Requirements

HCP 0130 Health Career Core	75 contact hrs.	HSC 0691 Domestic Violence	2 contact hrs.
HSC 0405 Basic Life Support (CPR)	8 contact hrs.	HSC 0522 TB / OSHA / HEPATITIS	6 contact hrs.
HSC 0591 HIV/HIV/AIDS	4 contact hrs.	CAE 0528 Prevention of Medical Errors	2 contact hrs.

For course information call the [Continuing Education Health Science Department](#) at 954-201-6768 or 954-201-6783. For registration information, contact your respective [campus Registration Office](#).

NURSING		Health Science programs begin each August, with the exception of the following:		EMS	
On-Line Generic	January & August	Paramedic		Each term	
Classroom Generic	January & August	Emergency Medical Tech		Each term	
On-Line Transition (LPN to RN)	June	Diagnostic Medical Sonography			
Classroom Transition (LPN to RN)	June	Diagnostic Medical Sonography		June	
		Physical Therapist Assistant			
		Physical Therapist Assistant		May	

