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**Application Deadline**:

# RESPIRATORY THERAPY APPLICANT CHECKLIST

Weber State University | Dumke College of Health Professions

**Program Begins:** 

	WSU-Ogden: <b>February 1</b> of every year	Fall semester of each academic year
	SLC-Farmington: July 1 of every other odd year	Spring semester (2022, 2024, 2026)
	(2021, 2023, 2025)	
	WSU-Davis: <b>July 1</b> every <i>other</i> <b>even</b> year	Spring semester (2023, 2025, 2027)
	(2022, 2024, 2026)	
If yo	ou can check each of the left-hand column blanks, you a	are qualified to apply to the program!
	Have you applied to Weber? If you're not a Weber	student, go to Weber.edu and click Apply.
	Is your college/university overall cumulative GPA	at least <b>2.5</b> ?
	To be eligible to <i>apply</i> you must be able to check or	one (1) course from one of the two Science Options listed
	below, showing you have completed the course wi	
	Required courses within the Science Option must be	
	Science Option 1 OR	Science Option 2
	HTHS 1110	(optional) ZOOL 2100 Human Anatomy
	Int Human Anat/Physiology I	ZOOL 2200 Human Physiology
	HTHS 1111	Chemistry 1010 or Gen Ed Chem
	Int Human Anat/Physiology II	Microbiology 1113
	To be eligible to apply you must be able to check t	two (2) of the following Support courses, showing you
		higher. All Support courses must be completed prior to
	starting the Respiratory Therapy program:	
	REST 1540	REST 1560 or CNA/EMT course
	English 1010	Communication 1020 or 2110
	HTHS 2230 Pathophysiology~	Psychology 1010
	~Best to take HTHS 1110 then 1111 <b>O</b>	<b>OR</b> ZOOL 2100 then 2200 <b>before</b> HTHS 2230
	To be eligible to apply, you must be able to check (	one (1) of the following Math requirements:
	Math 1010 or 0970 with a grade of 'C	" or higher within the last 2 years;
	Math <b>QL</b> (1030, 1035, 1040, 1050 or 1080 – only one) with a grade of 'C' or higher	
	(There is no expiration for Math QL	Quantitative Literacy);
	ACT Math score, ALEKS score or W	SU Accuplacer College Level Math (CLM) score
	with placement into Math 1010, or I	The state of the s
	Math QL is completed and checked of	ff in Cattracks (WSU degree evaluation).
	Submit a completed application by the deadline. To	
	weber.edu/resptherapy Only apply to one program	i, during the application cycle.

## Once I am qualified to apply, how do I improve my chances of getting accepted?

- Complete as many Science Option and Support courses prior to applying, with a grade of 'C' or higher. The more you have completed prior to applying, the more consideration you will receive.
- Complete an AS/AA or BS/BA degree from any regionally-accredited institution.
- Although first-time applicants may be accepted into the program, additional consideration will be given to previously qualified applicants.
- Complete a mock interview with Career Services 801-626-6393 to prepare for the group interviews.
- HIM 3300 Intro to Quality Improvement in Healthcare (3) is highly recommended.

#### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

#### How do my credits transfer from other institutions?

You may visit our online transfer guide at **weber.edu/transferguide** for a list of courses from other regionally-accredited colleges/universities and show how those courses may transfer to Weber State University.

### Is there a time limit to how old my courses can be?

There is no expiration for any other prerequisite courses; however, if students stop at Math 0950, 0990, 0970 or 1010, and do not fulfill Math Quantitative Literacy (QL), Math will expire after two years per WSU policy. Once a student completes the Math QL requirement, there is no expiration.

For Math Placement information https://weber.edu/placement

What should I take? First priority should be the applicant checklist; second priority should be the general education requirements and completing an AS Degree, third would be taking HIM 3300 Intro to Quality Improvement in Healthcare (3) it's highly recommended.

#### Do I need letters of recommendation?

No. The department does not ask for letters of recommendation. The online application consists of a fee, unofficial transcripts from all colleges and universities (including WSU). If students complete the CNA or EMT course or certification in place of REST 1560, proof of this needs to be uploaded.

### What should I expect once I'm accepted into the program?

You will have lab and class three times a week and clinical hours twice a week at your assigned facility. Clinical sites are assigned to you by the department and range from Logan to South Salt Lake. The length of the program varies by location, Ogden is 4 semesters (no Summer), Davis and SLC-Farmington are 5 consecutive semesters.

#### Are there night courses available?

The prerequisite courses may be done at night or online; however, the Respiratory Therapy program is taught during the day (not online). You will need to be available from 8:00-5:00 Monday through Friday for the program.

For additional questions on application requirements or any other Pre-Respiratory Therapy concerns, please contact the Dumke College of Health Professions Admissions Advisement Office. An **advising video** is also available on our website, that has an advisor going over the applicant checklist, along with other videos and helpful information.

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