



Respiratory Care Technology Information Sheet

Respiratory Care Selection Process

APPLY TO COPIAH-LINCOLN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

- 1. Must have high school diploma or GED
- 2. Complete Copenhaver-Lincoln Community College official application
- 3. Must have a transcript from an accredited high school showing graduation, or satisfactory scores on the GED test, or a transcript from previous college attendance on file with:

Copenhaver-Lincoln Community College
 Director of Admissions
 11 Co-Lin Circle
 Natchez, MS 39120

RESPIRATORY CARE SELECTION PROCESS REQUIREMENTS

- 4. Have on file with Co-Lin an ACT required score of 18
- 5. Submit Completed Health Occupations Application.
- 6. Complete Prerequisites:
 - o BIO 2513: Anatomy and Physiology I – must obtain a grade of “C” or above
 - o BIO 2511: Anatomy and Physiology I Lab – must obtain a grade of “C” or above
 - o BIO 2523: Anatomy and Physiology II – must obtain a grade of “C” or above
 - o BIO 2521: Anatomy and Physiology II Lab – must obtain a grade of “C” or above
- 7. Interview with instructor and/or committee
- 8. Submit Completed Health Occupations health certificate signed by a medical doctor
- 9. If accepted, all applicants must participate in a drug and alcohol testing and a criminal history background check
- 10. Submit proof of having eight hours of clinical observation at a hospital-based Respiratory Care Department (*See Back for Details*)
- 11. Attend mandatory Orientation/Preregistration

TIMELINE FOR AUGUST CLASS

Action	Deadline
Complete steps 1-5	April 26
Complete step 6	Prerequisites should be completed prior to August
Receive Interview Letter or email	May 6
Receive Notification of Respiratory Care Selection	No later than June 28
Complete Steps 8-9	July 26
Complete Steps 10-11	August 8 (1 p.m.)

General FAQs

Who can I call to request an application or for more program information?

Contact the Career-Technical Department at 601-446-1165

How can I send my GED scores to Co-Lin?

To request a copy of your scores call 601-432-6338 or visit <https://www.parchment.com/u/registration/34121/institution>.

How can I send my official high school transcript or previous college transcript to Co-Lin?

Call or visit your high school or last college attended and request that an official transcript be sent to Co-Lin.

To what address should my information be sent?

Copiah-Lincoln Community College, Career-Technical Counselor, 30 Campus Drive, Natchez, MS 39120

When does the Respiratory Care Technology program accept new students?

Application process begins in January and a new class begins each August.

How do I submit proof of having eight hours of clinical observation at a hospital-based Respiratory Care Department?

Applicants will receive a clinical observation form during the Interview process to be returned at orientation.

What if I don't meet the minimum ACT score or have never taken the ACT?

Your first step is to register to take the ACT. For more information or to register, please call the Copiah-Lincoln Community College Counseling Center at:

Wesson: 601-643-8490; **Natchez:** 601-446-1217; **Simpson:** 601-849-0126

For more information email: courtney.nichols@colin.edu or retha.scott@colin.edu

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