

Diagnostic Medical Sonography/Degree Program

Triton College

Application checklist for fall acceptance

This checklist serves to help the student keep track of the admission steps for the Diagnostic Medical Sonography program.

- _____ Attendance at an Information Session is MANDATORY
- _____ Review the Triton DMS webpage and ALL links: [Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Associate Degree](#)
- _____ Complete Triton College application online: [Triton College](#)
- _____ Complete Mandatory Selective Admission Application for Health Careers online: [DMS Application](#)
- _____ Send proof of High School graduation to Triton College Records department
- _____ Forward official college transcripts to Triton College Records department

Program Prerequisites

Prerequisites listed below must be completed before the start of the program.

- _____ Must read and write at college level; can be demonstrated by course equivalency, or by meeting all current reading and writing requirements for RHT101 placement
- _____ PHY100 (General Physics) or DMS100 (Introduction to Imaging Physics)
- _____ MAT110 (College Algebra) or MAT111 (Pre-Calculus) or MAT124 (Finite Math) or MAT131 (Calculus)
- _____ BIS240 (Human Anatomy and Physiology I)
- _____ AHL120 (Comprehensive Medical Terminology)

**Completion of the Math, Science, and Allied Health prerequisites must not be more than 5 years old.*

**All prerequisite coursework must be completed with a grade of "C" or better.*

**All test scores must be within the last two years.*

General Education requirements

Students awaiting admission to the program are strongly encouraged to complete all other general education requirements prior to entering the program which are required for graduation.

- _____ RHT102 (Freshman Rhetoric & Composition II) 3 credits
- _____ BIS241 (Human Anatomy & Physiology II) 4 credits
- _____ SPE101 (Principles of Effective Speaking) 3 credits
- _____ General education/Social or Behavioral Sciences 3 credits
- _____ General education/Humanities 3 credits

**All coursework for graduation must be completed with a grade of "C" or better.*

**Students are not considered accepted into the program or eligible to register for Diagnostic Medical Sonography courses until they respond to their official program acceptance letter. **

Health Insurance Requirement for Clinicals: All students enrolling in a Health Career Program must have current Comprehensive Health Coverage to attend clinicals. If you need coverage, please review the following options ([Student Insurance Plan](#), [Discounted Health Services](#). Please ensure you have the required coverage before proceeding.

Healthcare background checks with NO record of misdemeanor or felony, drug testing and physical exams are required. Full disclosure is required regarding hits on background checks. Refer to the website for details on the DMS homepage.

Points Calculation

Students must have a **GPA of 2.5 or higher in order to qualify.**

Points are awarded for the following courses using the following grade scale:

A=4 pts, B=3 pts, C=2 pts. No points for anything below a C.

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Additional Points are assigned as follows:

- _____ 1 extra point for BIS241 w/ an A or B
- _____ 0.5 extra point for completing 2 General Education Courses
- _____ 1.5 extra point for completing all General Education Courses
- _____ 0.5 extra point for HTH281 or American Heart Association (AHA) CPR - Basic Life Support (BLS) and First Aid for Health Care Providers

Total Points: _____ / 23 Max

(The higher the score, the better chances of acceptance.)

Application deadline is March 15th:

Prerequisites will need to be completed to be considered.

Accepted students will be notified beginning May 15th.

Mandatory Orientation at the end of May.