Competitive Points for Medical Laboratory Technology Application

Application Item	Description	Points
Competitive Point Classes (Stage 1)	• Points earned by completing the general education courses within the degree. • Points are calculated based on grade earned. • Grade of "A" = 4 quality points per credit hour • Grade of "B" = 3 quality points per credit hour • Grade of "C" = 2 quality points per credit hour • General education courses which earn points: BIO 163, ENG 111, ENG 112, MAT 143, PSY 150, COM 231/COM 120, CIS 113	28 points (35% of total points)
Healthcare Experience (Stage 2)	• Certified Phlebotomist, current experience in clinical lab = 24 points • Previous work experience in a clinical lab = 20 points • Previous work experience in healthcare = 10 points • No healthcare experience = 0 points	24 points (30% of total points)
Volunteerism/Service; acts of service in the community not necessarily healthcare based (Stage 2)	• 50 or more volunteer/service hours= 13 points • 25-49 volunteer/service hours= 12 points • 10-24 volunteer/service hours= 8 points • No volunteer/service hours = 0 points	13 points (16% of total points)
Essay (Stage 2)	• Composition free of grammatical or spelling errors; Displays organized thought and flow of ideas = 9 points • Composition contains 1-3 grammatical or spelling errors; Displays organized thought and flow of ideas = 5 points • Composition contains >3 grammatical or spelling errors; AND/OR Displays disorganized thought and lack of flow of ideas = 0 points	9 points (11 % of total points)
Academic Credits (Stage 2)	• All related courses complete = 6 points • Completion of BIO 163 AND MAT 143 = 5 points • No related courses complete = 0 points	6 points (8% of total points)

- Stage 1: Apply to Medical Laboratory Technology program on WebAdvisor (additional application beyond applying to FTCC) between November 1st and January 30th. Competitive points are calculated for courses completed by January 30th.
- Stage 2: All applicants are invited to information session where additional competitive points (healthcare experience, volunteer hours, prior degree/certification, essay, and academic performance) are collected and calculated. Volunteer/service and observation hours must be documented and signed by those organizing/supervising the activity.