# Competitive Points for Pharmacy Technology Application

| Application Item | Description | Points |
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| 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, PSY 150, COM 231/COM 120, CIS 113
 | 60 points(50% of total points) |
| Healthcare Experience(Stage 2) | * Previous work experience in a pharmacy = 12 points
* Previous work experience in healthcare = 10 points
* Observation hours or job shadowing in a pharmacy (minimum of 8 hours) = 6 points
* No healthcare experience = 0 points
 | 12 points(10% of total points) |
| Volunteerism/Service; acts of service in the community not necessarily healthcare based(Stage 2) | * 50 volunteer/service hours= 12 points
* 25-49 volunteer/service hours= 10 points
* 10-24 volunteer/service hours= 6 points
* No volunteer/service hours = 0 points
 |  12 points(10% of total points) |
| Prior degree/certification(Stage 2) | * Bachelor Degree = 9 points
* Associate Degree = 6 points
* Certification = 3 points
* No degree = 0 points
 | 9 points(7.5% 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(7.5% of total points) |
| Math course performance(Stage 2) | Required PHM Math Course: MAT 110 or MAT 143* A in MAT = 6 points
* B in MAT = 3 points
* Have not taken MAT = 0 points
 | 6 points(5% of total points) |
| Academic Credits(Stage 2) | * All related courses complete = 6 points
* Three or more related courses complete, one is MAT = 4 points
* Two or more related courses complete = 2 points
* No related courses complete = 0 points
 | 6 points(5% of total points) |
| Attendance at Information Session(Stage 2) | * Prompt, professional appearance = 6 points
* Late and/or unprofessional appearance = 0 points
 | 6 points(5% of total points) |

* Stage 1: Apply to the Pharmacy Technology program (additional application beyond applying to FTCC).
* 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.