

**RESPIRATORY THERAPY ASSOCIATE DEGREE
COMPETITIVE ADMISSIONS POINTS – Effective FALL 2027 Entry**

PROGRAM RELATED COURSES – STAGE I		POINTS EARNED
First Attempt BIO 163 or BIO 168 &169 (BIO 168 or 169 only)	A = 10 Points B = 7 Points (A=5 pts. ea.; B=3.5 pts. ea.)	
Second Attempt BIO 163 or BIO 168 & 169 (BIO 168 or 169 only)	A= 5 Points B = 3 Points (A=2.5 pts. ea.; B=1.5 pts. ea.)	
CIS 113 or CIS 110	A = 4 Points B = 3 Points C = 2 Points	
COM 120 or COM 231	A = 4 Points B = 3 Points C = 2 Points	
ENG 111	A = 4 Points B = 3 Points C = 2 Points	
MED 120	A = 4 Points B = 3 Points C = 2 Points	
PSY 150	A = 4 Points B = 3 Points C = 2 Points	
ADDITIONAL DEPARTMENTAL POINTS – STAGE II		POINTS EARNED
Academic Rigor	*Completion of every related course prior to close of application with a passing score on first attempt = 5 pts *Completion of A&P course(s) with an A on first attempt = 5 pts *Completion of A&P course(s) with a B on first attempt = 3 pts	
Prior Degree/Diploma/Certification	*Bachelors or higher = 10 pts; Associates = 5 pts; Certificate = 3 pts	
Healthcare Work Experience	*13+ months = 10 pts; 3-12 months = 5 pts; <3 months = 1 pt	
Proof of 10+ Hours of Volunteer Service	*Provided proof of community service = 5 pts *No Documentation = 0 pts	
Successful Completion of the FTCC Prospective Respiratory Therapy Virtual Information Session	Yes = 2 pts No = 0	
8 Hours of Job Shadowing with a Respiratory Therapist	Yes = 5 pts No = 0	
Professional Letters of Recommendation	2 letters = 10 pts 1 letter = 5 pts	
Respiratory Therapy Test	90-100 Score = 20 pts 60-69 points scored = 5 pts 80-89 Score = 15 pts <60 points scored = 0 pts 70-79 Score = 10 pts	
Health GPA	3.71 - 4.0 = 4 pts 2.81 – 3.10 = 1 pt 3.41 – 3.70 = 3 pts 2.5 – 2.8 = 0 pts 3.11 – 3.4 = 2 pts	

No points will be awarded for Science courses with 3 or more attempts.

- *Science courses must be a “C” or higher and must be taken within the last five (5) years at the time of entering the Program. **Note: A proposal to require a “B” or higher has been submitted.
- Health GPA is calculated on related courses: BIO 163 or BIO 168 & 169, ENG 111, COM 120 or 231, CIS 110 or 113, MED 120 and PSY 150. A minimum Health GPA of 2.5 is required and is presented on the Health Applicant Rating Form (HARF).
- Documentation of healthcare work experience, volunteer service, job shadowing, professional letters of recommendation, and previous education must be submitted to the FTCC Respiratory Therapy Department. These documents consist of copies of degrees/diplomas/certificates, letters from employers/managers/HR, volunteer services coordinators, Respiratory Therapy department managers, and previous employers/instructors/etc. These documents must be emailed to dunigank@faytechcc.edu with the subject “Respiratory Therapy Application Documentation” by March 1st.
- Email: regana@faytechcc.edu with the subject “Virtual Respiratory Therapy Information Session Certificate” upon completion of the session by March 1st.
- Email: barretr@faytechcc.edu with the subject “Respiratory Therapy Test Results: with score results of the Respiratory Therapy Test by March 1st.”

Total Possible Stage I Points: 30
Total Possible Stage II Points: 76
Total Possible Combined Points: 106