

DURHAM TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

PLAN OF STUDY

Effective 2018-2019

Revised Fall 2017

Day Program

RESPIRATORY THERAPY (A45720)
Associate Degree

The following plan of study is the standard curriculum for the program. Any deviation from the prescribed curriculum must have approval in advance. All prerequisite course requirements must also be met. To graduate the student must successfully complete all the required courses, the required credit hours for electives, and have at least a 2.0 overall grade point average. This plan of study is subject to change when the college thinks such action is in the best interest of the student or the program. It is the responsibility of the student to meet requirements for graduation. If accepted students do not enroll for three successive semesters, they must contact Admissions and Advising Services to determine if readmission is necessary.

Course Title	Hours Class	Hours Lab	Hours Clinical	Hours Credit	Grade	Semester	Remarks
5 Semesters							
FALL SEMESTER 2018							
ACA 122 College Transfer Success	0	2	0	1			
BIO 168 Anatomy & Physiology I* ^{GE}	3	3	0	4			
ENG 111 Writing and Inquiry* ^{GE}	3	0	0	3			
RCP 110 Intro to Respiratory Care	3	3	0	4			
RCP 113 RCP Pharmacology	2	0	0	2			Hybrid only
RCP 114 C-P Anatomy & Physiology	3	0	0	3			Hybrid only
RCP 132 RCP Clinical Practice I	0	0	6	2			
SPRING SEMESTER 2019							
BIO 169 Anatomy & Physiology II	3	3	0	4			
RCP 111 Therapeutics/Diagnostics	4	3	0	5			
RCP 115 C-P Pathophysiology	2	0	0	2			Online only
RCP 123 Special Practice Lab	0	3	0	1			
RCP 144 RCP Clinical Practice II	0	0	12	4			
SUMMER TERM 2019							
RCP 112 Patient Management	3	3	0	4			
RCP 153 RCP Clinical Practice III	0	0	9	3			
RCP 222 Special Practice Lab	0	2	0	1			
FALL SEMESTER 2019							
ENG 112 Writing/Research in the Disciplines ^{GE}	3	0	0	3			
PSY 150 General Psychology ^{GE}	3	0	0	3			
RCP 210 Critical Care Concepts	3	3	0	4			
RCP 214 Neonatal/Peds RC	1	3	0	2			
RCP 223 Special Practice Lab	0	3	0	1			
RCP 234 RCP Clinical Practice IV	0	0	12	4			

SPRING SEMESTER 2020

RCP 211 Adv Monitoring/Procedures	3	3	0	4
RCP 215 Career Preparation	0	3	0	1
RCP 245 RCP Clinical Preparation V	0	0	15	5
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective ^{GE}				3

		See list below

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS REQUIRED FOR AAS DEGREE 73

*DRE 096, DRE 097, DRE 098; or DMA 010, DMA 020, DMA 030, DMA 040, DMA 050, DMA 060; or CHM 094 may be required based on placement test results/course requisites.

^{GE}Fulfills the general education requirements for this degree.

Humanities/Fine Arts Elective – Choose one of the following:

ART 111, ART 114, ART 115, ART 116, ART 117, ART 121, ART 131, ART 171, ART 240, ART 244, ART 281, DRA 111, DRA 122, ENG 231, ENG 232, ENG 241, ENG 242, ENG 273, HUM 110, HUM 115, HUM 120, HUM 122, HUM 150, HUM 160, MUS 110, MUS 112, PHI 215, PHI 240, REL 110, REL 211

Note: Students must demonstrate computer competency with either a satisfactory score on the computer competency test, credit by exam, transfer credit, or completing CIS 110.

V.A. Students: An approval signature from the V.A. Office is required before registering. Some courses may not be certifiable.