

Cardiovascular Sonography Program Checklist

As a limited enrollment program, the Cardiovascular Sonography program has a selective, competitive admission process and includes additional requirements over and above standard admission to Wake Tech Community College. Please make sure you have met all requirements below before submitting your Cardiovascular Sonography program application.

- Complete Wake Tech application process at apply.waketech.edu
 - Complete a Cardiovascular Sonography information session at hsinfosession.waketech.edu** for more information. *Students must complete the information session before meeting with a health sciences academic advisor.*
 - Submit ALL educational transcripts.** If you have college transcripts, verify transcripts are evaluated. Log in to Self-Service. Go to Student Planning → Select Transfer Credits from the Academics menu at the top. If your course is not there, please email tranevalreq@waketech.edu. *It is the student's responsibility to follow up with Student Records for transfer credit.*
 - Complete the following courses by the program application deadline with a grade of 'C' or better to be eligible to submit the program application:
 - PHY 110 & PHY 110A – Conceptual Physics & Lab or college level physics with lab
- *It is strongly recommended that the following courses be completed by the program application deadline with a grade of 'C' or higher for competitive entry consideration:
- BIO 163 – Anatomy & Physiology or BIO 168 & BIO 169 (within 5 years of 1st CVS class)
 - ENG 111 – Writing and Inquiry
 - MAT 143, MAT 152 or MAT 171 or equivalent math class (within 10 years of 1st CVS class)
 - COM 110 OR COM 120 OR COM 231
- Take the TEAS test** by application deadline.
 - Register to take the TEAS test at atitesting.com
 - Scores are good for three years. The TEAS test may be taken twice a calendar year with a minimum of 30 days between each test date.
 - Submit official scores through atitesting.com
 - NC Nurse Aide:** Be listed on the NC Nurse Aide Registry, as a Nurse Aide I by application deadline. Nurse Aide as a Nurse Aide I by application deadline. Nurse Aide verifications must stay current through the first day of CVS class. The following are the only exceptions for the Nurse Aide requirement:
 - CNA 2 or LPN licensure verified with submission of BON credential listing
 - Certified Medical Assistant (CMA) or RMA currently working as a CMA or RMA for a minimum of 6 months. Verified by submission of CMA or RMA credential along with a letter from your current employer on letterhead to verify 6 months' work experience
 - Submit Cardiovascular Sonography program application along with supporting documentation to hsadvising@waketech.edu.** For Fall (August) CVS entry - October 1 - January 31. Points will be awarded for classes completed through the Fall Semester

Competitive Entry Acceptance Process

Applicants will be assigned points for general education courses that are part of the Associate Degree Cardiovascular Sonography curriculum and are completed by the program application deadline.

- January 31 application deadline: points will be accrued for classes completed through the prior fall semester.

How to Calculate Your Points

ENG 111	COM elect.	HUM/FA elective	PSY 150	MAT Class	PHY 110/110a	BIO 163
A – 12	A – 12	A – 12	A – 12	A – 12	A – 12	A – 12
B – 10	B – 10	B – 10	B – 10	B – 10	B – 10	B – 10
C - 8	C - 8	C - 8	C - 8	C - 8	C - 8	C - 8

COM elective (choose 1): COM 110 or COM 120 or COM 231

HUM/FA electives (choose 1): ART 111, ART 114, ART 115, HUM 110, HUM 115, MUS 110, MUS 112, PHI 215, PHI 240

You can speak with a Health Sciences academic advisor for other options.

Additional points will be awarded for the following:

- TEAS test: Based on the TEAS composite scores, points will be awarded as follows:
 - 0-62 composite score = 0 points
 - 63-70 composite score = 3 points
 - 71-80 composite score = 6 points
 - 81-90 composite score = 12 points
 - 91+ composite score = 20 points
- Applicants will receive 2 (two) points for reapplying and submitting the program application. The 2 (two) points are only awarded once.
- Applicants will be awarded 2 points for the completion of an Allied Health-related degree (2-year associate degree or higher). Applicants with an Allied Health-related diploma (ie. Practical Nursing, Medical Assisting, etc.) may also qualify for the additional 2 points by submitting proof of six months of work experience or an additional associate degree or higher. Official transcripts and documentation must be provided with program application. Points are awarded upon approval by the Imaging Department Head.
- Students can earn 5 (five) points for completing SON 3100 with a score of 80% or higher. SON 3100 is a Wake Tech Workforce Continuing Education class offered in the Fall and Spring.

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Please note the following:

- For Health Science programs, grades of 'C' or better are required in all program-related curriculum classes.
- To receive points for the math class, the class must be completed within 10 (ten) years of the first CVS class.
- To receive points for BIO 163 (Anatomy & Physiology), the class must be completed within 5 (five) years of the first CVS class. If you completed BIO 168 and BIO 169, the 5-year deadline is based on the BIO 169 date. All BIO classes must have an associated lab.
- If students receive credit based on AP, CLEP, or DANTES exam scores, points will be awarded equivalent to a 'B' – 10 points. AP, CLEP, or DANTES exams will not be accepted for BIO classes.

The Cardiovascular Sonography department reserves the right to make changes to the admission process as needed. Students will be required to meet the admission process in place at the time they submit the program application.