



AAS – Respiratory Care to
 BAAS – In Health Services Administration
 Guided Pathway-Catalog Year 2022-202

General Education Requirements – 42 hrs
 Professional Development Electives/6hrs of 300/400
 Upper-Level Courses from a University – 48 hrs
 Required Major Courses – 30 hrs
 Total Hours Required for Degree – 120 hrs



First Year-TSC

PREREQUISITES – 9 SCH		FALL SEMESTER – 13 SCH	
BIOL 2301 Human Anatomy & Physiology I	3 hrs	RSPT 2217 Respiratory Care Pharmacology	2 hrs
MATH 1342 Elementary Statistical Methods	3 hrs	RSPT 2258 Respiratory Care Patient Assessment	2 hrs
ENGL 1301 Composition I	3 hrs	RSPT 1310 Respiratory Care Procedures I	3 hrs
		RSPT 1325 Respiratory Care Science	3 hrs
		BIOL 2302 Human Anatomy & Physiology II	3 hrs

SPRING SEMESTER – 13 SCH		SUMMER III (Extended Summer 10 Weeks) – 2 SCH	
RSPT 1311 Respiratory Care Procedures II	3 hrs	RSPT 1260 Clinical-Respiratory Care Therapy/Therapist	2 hrs
RSPT 2310 Cardiopulmonary Disease	3 hrs		
RSPT 2325 Cardiopulmonary Diagnostics	3 hrs		
RSPT 1166 Clinical-Respiratory Care Therapy/Therapist	1 hr		
PSYC 2301 General Psychology	3 hrs		

Second Year-TSC

FALL SEMESTER – 13 SCH		SPRING SEMESTER – 12 SCH	
RSPT 2314 Mechanical Ventilation	3 hrs	RSPT 2230 Respiratory Care Examination Prep	2 hrs
RSPT 2453 Neonatal/Pediatric Cardiopulmonary Care	4 hrs	RSPT 2219 Mechanical Ventilation for the Neonatal/Pediatric Patient	2 hrs
RSPT 2362 Clinical-Respiratory Care Therapy/Therapist	3 hrs	RSPT 2231 Simulations in Respiratory Care	2 hrs
RSPT 2355 Critical Care Monitoring	3 hrs	RSPT 2363 Clinical-Respiratory Care Therapy/Therapist	3 hrs
		Language, Philosophy & Culture/Creative Arts	3 hrs

Associate of Applied Science – Respiratory Care – 62 SCH

You will need to apply for the associate's degree at your community college. Contact your advisor there for more information.

Texas A&M University-Commerce –58 SCH

7-Week Term		7-Week Term	
ENG 1302 Written Argument/Research	3 hrs	HIST 1301 US History to 1877	3 hrs
Degree Pathway	3 hrs	Degree Pathway	3 hrs
7-Week Term		7-Week Term	
HIST 1302 US History from 1865	3 hrs	PSCI 2305/GOVT 2305 Federal Government	3 hrs
Language, Philosophy & Culture/Creatives Arts (one not taken at TSC)	3 hrs	Professional Development Elective	3 hrs
7-Week Term		7-Week Term	
PSCI 2306/GOVT 2306 Texas Government	3 hrs	HSCB 300 Introduction to the U.S. Healthcare System	3 hrs
Professional Development Elective	1 hrs	HSCB 301 Inter-Professional Communication	3 hrs
7-Week Term		7-Week Term	
HSCB 320 Financial Issues in Health Services	3 hrs	HSCB 380 Culture, Inequalities & Social Justice in Health	3 hrs
HSCB 321 Health Informatics	3 hrs	HSCB 440 Health Policy & Advocacy	3 hrs
7-Week Term		7-Week Term	
HSCB 430 Quality Management & Performance Improvement	3 hrs	HSCB 431 Critical Incident Management in Health Services	3 hrs
HSCB 441 Healthcare Ethics & Legal Issues for Leaders	3 hrs	HSCB 499 Health Services Administration Capstone	3 hrs

- This is not an official degree plan and subject to change at both institutions. Please visit with an advisor or check online for updates.
 For questions concerning the A&M Commerce section of this degree plan, contact CIDadvising@tamuc.edu or becky.smith@tamuc.edu