**Pre- Respiratory Therapy Advising**

| Area A – Essential Skills | ENGL 1101 and ENGL 1102 (English Comp I & II)  
MATH 1111 (College Algebra) or MATH 1113 (Pre-Calculus) or MATH 2200 (Calculus) |
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<td>Area B – Institutional Option</td>
<td>ITEC 1001-Introduction to Computing</td>
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| Area C – Humanities/Arts | MUSC 1100 (Music Appreciation) or ARTS 1100 (Art Appreciation) FILM 1005 (Intro to Film) or ENGL 2110 (World Literature) or ENGL 2100 (Trans-Atlantic English Literature)  
RELN 1100 (World Religions) or GEOG 1101 (Human Geography) or one semester of foreign language |
| Area D – Science, Mathematics, and Technology | CHEM 1151K and CHEM 1152K (Survey of Chemistry I & II w/Lab)  
ITEC 2110 (Digital Media) or ITEC 2120 (Introduction to Programming) |
| Area E – Social Sciences | HIST 2111 and HIST 2112 (U.S. History I & II) or HIST 1111 and HIST 1112 (World History I & II) or HIST 1121 and HIST 1122 (Western Civilization I & II)  
POLS 1101 (American Government)  
PSYC 1102 (The Psychological Experience) |
| Courses required for admissions to most RT programs | BIOL 2451K and BIOL2452K (Human Anatomy and Physiology I & II w/Lab)  
BIOL 2516K (Microbiology for Allied Health w/Lab)  
MATH 2000 (Statistics) |
| Recommended electives for admissions to most RT programs | PSYC 3305 (Developmental Psychology)  
PHYS 1111K (Introductory Physics I w/ Lab) |

_Students are strongly advised to check with the program they plan to apply to for specific prerequisites._

**What factors are considered in the admission process for B.S. in Respiratory Therapy Programs?**

1. Prior to enrollment, the applicant must have completed a core curriculum of 60 semester hours at an accredited college or university.
2. A grade point average of at least 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale) on all previous college work and an average of at least 2.5 on math and science courses are required for consideration.
3. Two letters of recommendation are required.
4. Current CPR and first aid certification is required prior to enrollment at most RT Programs. CPR for Professional Rescuers is strongly recommended.
5. Applicants are required to shadow respiratory therapists at health care facilities in their area to increase their awareness of the profession.

**B.S. in Respiratory Therapy Programs in Georgia**

1. Medical College of Georgia  
2. Georgia State University  
3. Atlantic Armstrong State University  
4. Macon State College