

Associate in Applied Science - 71 Credit Hours **Jamestown Campus**

The Radiography program has a selective admissions process with a limited enrollment of 20 students each fall. Program enrollment capacity may be limited, based on the number of clinical sites available. This packet will outline minimum criteria, program coursework, and the application/selection process. Before applying, it is recommended to review the Technical Standards and Essential Functions required for the program. Reading these standards carefully along with conducting a realistic assessment of your own personality, interests, abilities, strengths, and weaknesses will ensure that you choose a program and career path that is the best fit for you.

Please read the contents of this packet carefully and in its entirety as some requirements are time-sensitive.

PROGRAM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- √ Complete the GTCC General Admission/Readmission Process (new and returning students).
 - o Students currently enrolled at GTCC do not need to complete a new application for admission. These students will begin with the remaining steps and make sure the NC Residency is current.
 - See page 2 and 3 for details on this requirement.
 - It is highly recommended to have this step completed by May 2nd.
- ✓ Complete the REQUIRED online Program Information Session by May 9th.
 - See page 3 for instructions for accessing the session.
 - Sessions completed for previous admission cycles are NOT acceptable.
- ✓ Demonstrate "college readiness" for English and Mathematics.
 - See page 3 to view options for meeting this requirement.
- ✓ Demonstrate BIOLOGY competency
 - See page 4 to view options for meeting this requirement.
- ✓ Complete the ATI TEAS exam and achieve a minimum composite score of 66.
 - Accepting ATI TEAS exam scores from VERSION 7 only.
 - Prior versions of the TEAS will not be accepted
 - See page 4 for information on scheduling an exam
- ✓ Submit the Fall 2025 Radiography Program Application
 - Program applications can be submitted April 14th through May 16th.
 - See page 4 for details on program application submissions

Note: Meeting all criteria listed above does not guarantee acceptance to the program. However, all criteria must be met to apply and be considered for selection.

PROGRAM CURRICULUM OUTLINE

General Education Courses			
These courses may be taken prior to applying to the program to lighten the academic load and for possible award of ranking points.			
BIO 163	Basic Anatomy & Physiology (must be completed 2015 or later)	5 credits	
ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry	3 credits	
PSY 150 or SOC 210	General Psychology or Introduction to Sociology	3 credits	
MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy or higher-level MAT COURSE	3 credits	
COM 231	Public Speaking	3 credits	
HUMANITIES/FINE	Humanities/Fine Arts Elective: Select from <u>Humanities Fine Arts</u>	3 credits	
ARTS ELECTIVE			
Total General Education Credits: 20 cred			

Radiography Program Courses These courses are taken once accepted to the program.			
Fall 2025			
RAD 110	Radiography Intro and Patient Care	3 credits	
RAD 111	Radiography Procedures I	4 credits	
RAD 113	Radiography Lab Elective	1 credit	
RAD 151	Radiography Clinical Education I	2 credits	
Spring 2026			
RAD 112	Radiography Procedures II	4 credits	
RAD 121	Image Production I	3 credits	
RAD 161	Radiography Clinical Education II	5 credits	
Summer 2026			
RAD 122	Image Production II	2 credits	
RAD 141	Radiation Safety	2 credits	
RAD 171	Radiography Clinical Education III	3 credits	
Fall 2026			
RAD 211	Radiography Procedures III	3 credits	
RAD 231	Image Production III	2 credits	
RAD 251	Radiography Clinical Education IV	7 credits	
Spring 2027			
RAD 261	Radiography Clinical Education V	7 credits	
RAD 271	Radiography Capstone	3 credits	
	Total Program Course Credits:	51 credits	
	TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED FOR DEGREE:	71 credits	

LIMITED ENTRY ADMISSION PROCESS – GTCC HEALTH SCIENCES PROGRAMS MEET PROGRAM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Complete the GTCC General Admission Process (New and Returning Students)

- New and returning GTCC students must complete the GTCC general admission, including the North Carolina Residency
 Determination Service (RDS). To get started, visit https://www.gtcc.edu/admissions-and-aid/apply-now.php
 - **Returning students=** students previously admitted to GTCC and have not been enrolled in courses for more than 12 months
- Submit your official transcripts to the GTCC Admissions Office by email at transcripts@gtcc.edu. Once received, transcripts are evaluated by GTCC's Admissions staff. Approved transfer credits will be added to your academic record as appropriate.

 (Note: it is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that all official transcripts have been received by GTCC's

Admissions Department. Please visit https://transcripts.gtcc.edu/ to verify that your transcripts have been received.)

- Please allow a minimum of TWO WEEKS for evaluation to occur. This process takes longer near the beginning
 or end of a semester. Transfer credits from an Institutionally Accredited College or University must appear on your
 GTCC Student Planning transcript in order to be considered for meeting program requirements and/or earning
 ranking points.
- Activate your GTCC Titan Account. You should be able to do this within 48 hours of completing your GTCC Application.

Need help with this requirement? For assistance with any part of the general admission process, you can contact the Admissions office at 336-334-4822, ext. 31125 or email admissions@gtcc.edu.

Complete the Required Online Program Information Session by 5pm, May 9th

Information Sessions completed for previous application cycles are not acceptable for purposes of meeting this requirement!

This session will provide you with a detailed overview of the program, faculty and student expectations, class schedules and clinical requirements, the minimum program admission requirements, submitting your program application, and the selection and notification process for the incoming class.

- You must have an activated Titan account to access the information session.
- Enroll yourself in the Limited Entry Program Information Session: Radiography, AAS course
- You must pass the information session with a score of 100% to receive credit for completing this task. Access to the module will close at 5pm on May 9th!

Demonstrate College Readiness for English AND Mathematics

You must be able to demonstrate that you have achieved the appropriate levels of college readiness in both subject areas. The chart below shows options for meeting these requirements.

COLLEGE ENGLISH READINESS	COLLEGE MATHEMATICS READINESS	
☐ Option 1: You have completed or received transfer credit for ENG 111.	☐ Option 1: You have completed or received transfer credit for <u>one</u> of the following MAT 143, MAT 152, MAT 171 (or a higher-level math).	
☐ Option 2: You have completed or received waiver credit for <u>all</u> of the following: DRE 096, DRE 097, DRE 098	☐ Option 2: You have completed or received waiver credit for <u>all</u> of the following: DMA 010, DMA 020, DMA 030,	
☐ Option 3: You have completed or received waiver credit for ENG 002 with a minimum grade of P2	DMA 040, and DMA 050 Option 3: You have completed or received waiver credit for MAT 003 with a minimum grade of P2	
Option 4: You have completed or received waiver credit for ENG 011	☐ Option 4: You have completed or received waiver credit for <u>one</u> of the following: MAT 043, MAT 052, or MAT	
☐ Option 5: An earned Associate or Bachelor's degree from an Institutionally Accredited College or University	071 ☐ Option 5: An earned Associate or Bachelor's degree from an Institutionally Accredited College or University	
☐ Option 6: Completion of placement test within the past 10 years and achievement of appropriate scores. If you took the placement test elsewhere, you MUST submit those scores to GTCC Admissions!	☐ Option 6: Completion of placement test within the past 10 years and achievement of appropriate scores. <u>If you took the placement test elsewhere, you MUST submit those scores to GTCC Admissions!</u>	
☐ Option 7: Graduate of a US high school within the last 10 years, with an unweighted cumulative GPA of 2.8 or higher	☐ Option 7: Graduate of a US high school within the last 10 years, with an unweighted cumulative GPA of 2.8 or higher	

^{**}If you are unsure whether you meet either of these requirements, it is YOUR responsibility to speak with a Limited Entry Advisor for clarification PRIOR TO submitting your Program Application.

Demonstrate Biology Competency

This can be met one of the following ways:

- College-level BIO/lab course with a "C" or better, completed within 10 years of program start date (since 2015)
 - O The course must be reflected on your transcript in **Student Planning**.
- High school-level BIO/lab course with a "C" or better, completed the 2022-2023 school year or later
 - O Your high school transcript must be on file in Admissions.

Complete the ATI TEAS Exam (version 7) and Achieve a Minimum Composite Score of 66

You may schedule your ATI TEAS exam through the GTCC Assessment Center or an ATI-approved testing center. **Your ATI TEAS exam scores must be VERSION 7 only.**

To schedule an exam with the GTCC Assessment Center, visit https://www2.registerblast.com/gtcc/Exam/List.

- For questions related to scheduling the exam at GTCC, please contact the Assessment Center (testingcenter@gtcc.edu or 336-334-4822, ext. 50574).
- For more information about the exam, study materials, and other testing locations, visit www.atitesting.com.
- NOTE: Do not send exam scores to GTCC. You will be required to upload a copy of your exam score to your program application.

SUBMITTING YOUR PROGRAM APPLICATION

Program Applications will be accepted April 14, 2025 through 5pm on May 16, 2025.

Once you have completed all of the program admission requirements, it's time to submit your program application. This will be completed electronically through the *Limited Entry Program Information Session: Radiography, AAS* course in Canvas. Once you have completed the information session with a score of 100% the link for the application can be accessed starting April 14, 2025.

- Only one submission will be permitted for each applicant
- You will be required to upload a copy of your ATI TEAS exam score
- If applicable, you will upload documentation of other ranking criteria
- It is critical that you check your Student Planning transcript to make sure all coursework is accounted for, including
 transfer credits. Ranking points will only be given for courses that are on record. It is your responsibility to ensure all
 official transcripts have been submitted to Admissions and processed for transfer credits.
- Incomplete and/or ineligible applications will not be moved forward to the Selection Committee
- Program applications will not be reviewed by the Limited Entry Programs Office until after the May 16th deadline. It is
 important to make sure all requirements are met BEFORE submitting your program application.

PROGRAM APPLICANT SELECTION AND NOTIFICATION PROCESS

Ranking and Selection Process

Two to three weeks following the May 16th deadline, all application submissions will be screened by the Limited Entry Programs Office to confirm all minimum criteria have been met. All applicants will be notified via GTCC email if their submission will be moved forward to the Selection Committee for the final ranking review.

Each applicant will be notified via GTCC email of the results of the screening and next steps:

- Program applications meeting all program admission requirements will move forward to the Selection Committee for the ranking review process.
- Applicants not meeting program admission requirements will not move forward to the Selection Committee for ranking review. Applicants will be advised on requirements needed to apply for the next program entry.

The next 2-3 weeks following the initial screening, the Health Sciences Review Committee (comprised of Health Sciences Program Directors and faculty, Dean of Health Sciences, and Limited Entry Programs Office Staff) will review all eligible applications.

Applicants are ranked using a points system and will be selected based on the total points earned (see below). Ties will be decided based on the following criteria: 1) The total points earned in the "General Education Courses" ranking section; 2) The ATI TEAS exam composite score; and 3) The date of the Limited Entry Program Application for the program of interest.

CALCULATION OF POINTS FOR RANKING AND SELECTION

(NOTE: Courses that have received "Pass/Fail" or "Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory" grades will be considered equivalent to a "C".)

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES REQUIRED FOR THE DEGREE	Points Awarded
BIO 163 - Basic Anatomy & Physiology (completed 2015 or later)	A = 8; B = 4
ENG 111 - Writing & Inquiry	A = 4; B = 2
PSY 150 - General Psychology or SOC 210 - Introduction to Sociology	A = 4; B = 2
MAT 143 - Quantitative Literacy (or higher-level MAT course)	A = 8; B = 4
COM 231 - Public Speaking (COM 110, COM 120, or COM 140 may also be substituted)	A = 4; B = 2
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective Select from: Humanities Fine Arts	A = 4; B = 2

ADDITIONAL COURSES NOT REQUIRED FOR THE DEGREE	Points Awarded
BIO 168 <u>and</u> BIO 169 with grades of "B" or higher completed 2015 or later. Points for each course are averaged for final point score. *No points awarded for completion of BIO 163.	A = 8; B = 4 (A+A =8; A+B=6; B+B=4)
*HUM 115 Critical Thinking with a grade "B" or higher (preferred humanities course)	2
CIS 110 or CIS 111 with a grade of "B" or higher (completed 2015 or later)	2
ACA Course (i.e., ACA 111, ACA 118, or ACA 122) with a grade of "B" or higher	1

AP (Advanced Placement) courses: applicants who earned AP credit for general education courses may earn ranking points based on the following criteria: AP score of 5 = grade of "A" AP score of 4 = grade of "B"

College Board scores must be on file in the GTCC Admissions Office to earn AP course credit, and AP scores are valid for five years (from 2020).

OTHER RANKING CRITERIA	Points Awarded		
College-Level Programs: Points awarded for HIGHEST level completed – TRANSCRIPT MUST STATE DEGREE AWARDED OR CONFERRED & BE ON FILE IN ADMISSIONS!			
Completion of a Master's Degree or higher in any field of study from an Institutionally Accredited College or University	6		
Completion of a Bachelor's Degree in any field of study from an Institutionally Accredited College or University	4		
Completion of an Associate's Degree in any field of study from an Institutionally Accredited College or University	3		
Completion of a Diploma in any field of study from an Institutionally Accredited College or University	2		
*Current Health-Related Certification/Licensure (up to three separate items may be submitted) MUST SUBMIT DOCUMENTATION.			
Current NA I Registry listing (CNA certification)	2		
*May attach up to two additional separate CURRENT certifications/licensure for one point each. Must be from an officially-recognized regulatory body. CPR/First Aid/BLS is NOT acceptable. Certificates of Completion are not accepted.	1-2		

TOTAL RANKING POINTS	Points Awarded
General Education Courses Required for the Degree	
Additional Courses Not Required for the Degree	
Other Ranking Criteria	
TOTAL RANKING POINTS EARNED:	

Notification Process

Final results will be sent electronically to the applicant's GTCC email address *within approximately 6 weeks after the application deadline* – it is the applicant's responsibility to check this email account frequently to avoid missing important communications from GTCC.

- Applicants offered a seat must accept or decline a program seat by submitting an Intent to Enroll Form within 5 calendar days of the date on the acceptance letter. Failure to respond within the stated timeframe will result in the seat being offered to an alternate. Once a student declines a program position, the decision may not be reversed.
- Applicants have 7 business days from the date of the notification letter to contest the results of the selection process. The request for a review of the results must be submitted in writing to the Dean of Health Sciences, (Mr. David Frazee drfrazee@gtcc.edu). The Dean will render a decision within 7-10 business days of receipt of the written request. The Dean's decision is final.

PROGRAM ORIENTATION, ADVISING/REGISTRATION, AND ENROLLMENT

Once a seat in a program of study is accepted, the student will then communicate with the Program Director regarding all matters related to program orientation, advising/registration, and enrollment.

The student is required to attend all program orientations, meetings, or other events scheduled prior to the start of classes. Failure to attend these meetings without prior approval from the Program Director will result in removal from the health program; an alternate student will be selected to fill the vacant position, as directed by the Program Director.

The student must enroll in program classes prior to the first day of the semester. Failure to enroll without prior approval of the Program Director will result in removal from the health program.

A student who enrolls in first-semester classes for the program and withdraws from the program or is dropped from the program that semester must complete the entire program admission process if he/she wishes to apply for a future program entry.

The GTCC Health Sciences Limited Entry Process is not to be regarded as a contract between GTCC and students. GTCC reserves the right to change any provisions or requirements with adequate notice and minimum disruption to students.

Important Notes to Health Science Program Applicants

Program faculty reserves the right to revise or change course requirements in accordance with applicable state laws, college requirements, accreditation standards, and/or at the discretion of the faculty. By accepting admission into the program, students agree to at all times abide by the program requirements and procedures as set forth in the Student Handbook and the respective course syllabus issued at the beginning of each term for each course. The student is bound by such requirements and procedures regardless of whether they were established before or after the date of enrollment in the program. Changes made after the publication of the Handbook will be posted as an addendum to the Handbook.

Most programs require students to have a criminal background check, a drug screen, and an OIG review (Office of Inspector General) upon admission. Healthcare agencies that are utilized for clinical and/or internship experiences require this evaluation. If a student is denied agency access due to a positive check or screening, the students may not be able to complete the clinical education experiences, which will result in the inability to continue in the health science program. Screening may also be required after graduation by examination boards, state licensing boards, and employing agencies. Pending the outcome, a graduate may be disqualified from examination eligibility, state licensure, and/or employment.

Students must achieve a GPA of 2.0 or better in order to graduate. Students who receive a grade of "D" in a general education course (other than BIO or CHM) can graduate as long as their GPA is at least 2.0. However, a grade of "D" in a general education course will not transfer to another institution, nor will GTCC accept a grade of "D" for credit from another institution. Students must achieve a "C" or better in BIO, CHM, and program major courses. Students who do not achieve a "C" or better in these courses will be suspended from the program.

If You Have Questions about the Health Sciences Limited Entry Admission Process, Please Contact:

Limited Entry Programs Office

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