



The Respiratory Therapy Program is in the College of Arts and Sciences, within the Division of Nursing and Allied Health.

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Bachelor of Science Degree in Respiratory Therapy

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ABOUT THE RESPIRATORY CURRICULUM

We are pleased to offer the BSRT starting in the Spring of 2009. This two-year curriculum described below outlines the information that we deem necessary for successful completion of the degree. Total credit hours for the degree are a minimum of 120. Students will bring to the program a minimum of 65 associate degree transfer credits, depending on their previous programs. Respiratory therapy coursework to be transferred will be reviewed by the UDC Respiratory Therapy program. Students, who can document advanced critical care clinical practice experience equivalent to baccalaureate level practice, may be awarded up to 6 hours of credit.

Respiratory Therapy Focus Courses (19 Cr)

- ✓ Aspects of Advanced Patient Assessment (2 Cr)
- ✓ Advanced Pathophysiology I (3 Cr)
- ✓ Advanced Pathophysiology II (3 Cr)
- ✓ Pharmacology and Therapeutics (3 Cr)
- ✓ Community Respiratory Care Theory (3 Cr)
- ✓ Respiratory Therapy Capstone (2 Cr)
- ✓ Respiratory Specialty Practicum or Concentration (3 Cr)

MEET OUR PROFESSORS

UDC IS A GREAT PLACE TO EARN YOUR BSRT:

"The faculty has worked hard to develop an advanced degree geared toward the working respiratory therapist."

-Susan Lockwood, Program Director

"The opportunity to advance your career is unlimited and we are positioned to help you accomplish your goals."

-Don Steinert, Respiratory Therapy Professor

"We believe that flexibility is the name of the game. We understand that everyone has busy lives; yet most Respiratory therapist still long to advance their career"

-Elgloria Harrison, Chair of Academic and Progression Committee

"As an alumnus of this great university, I believe there is no better place to come to earn your BSRT"
-Lori Taylor, Respiratory Therapy Professor

SPECIALTY CONCENTRATION (0 - 9 Cr)

- ✓ Advanced Practice in Adult Critical Care Theory (3Cr)
- ✓ Advanced Practice Neonatal/Pediatric Critical Care Theory (3 Cr)
- ✓ Community Respiratory Care Theory(3 Cr)
- ✓ Education Track (9 Cr)
- ✓ Management Track (6 - 9 Cr)

REQUIRED COURSE OFFERINGS

To earn your BSRT the program will offer both a full-time track and a part-time tract: Below are the courses required to matriculate through the program:

University Wide Requirements (18 Cr)

- Literature and Advance Writing I (3 Cr)
- Literature and Advance Writing II (3 Cr)
- Foreign Language I and II (6 Cr)
- Philosophy (3 Cr)
- Fine Arts (3 Cr)

Advanced Respiratory Therapy Required Courses (15 Cr)

- Statistics I (3 Cr)
- Ethics in Health Care (3 Cr)
- Survey of Public Health (3 Cr)
- Ecology of Health, Illness and Aging (3 Cr)
- Critical Skills Development in Psychology - Research methods course (3 Cr)