



How to Apply to an Allied Health Program – Overview

1. [Apply to OCC](#)

Apply to OCC and obtain your Student ID Number.

2. [Meet with a General Counselor](#)

Schedule an appointment with a general counselor to review program requirements and create a Student Education Plan (SEP).

3. **Take ALH A010 (Health Occupations)**

Take Allied Health (ALH) A010, Health Occupations early to explore Allied Health programs. You will submit your Program Interest Application in this class. If applicable, submit your Advanced Placement (AP) scores and official transcripts to the [Enrollment Center](#).

4. **Complete Prerequisites & General Education**

Finish all required prerequisite and general education courses for your program. Complete ENGL C1000 and College-Level Math as early as possible. If you've attended other colleges:

- Submit official transcripts to the Enrollment Center, allow 4–6 weeks for evaluation
- Meet with a counselor to determine if an academic petition is needed for prerequisite courses taken outside of OCC

5. [Meet with an Allied Health Counselor](#)

After all prerequisites and general education courses are completed and grades are posted, meet with an Allied Health Counselor for a Program-Ready Review. Your official wait time begins once you receive your Program-Ready Date.

6. **Conditional Acceptance**

When it is your turn, the Allied Health Office will send a conditional acceptance email (typically in April) with next steps, including Orientation, Background check, Drug screening, Vaccinations and immunizations.

7. **Start Your Allied Health Program**

Once all requirements are completed, you will be cleared to begin your Allied Health program.

Note for DMS & RADT Students: If you are applying to Diagnostic Medical Sonography (DMS) or Radiologic Technology (RADT), **once you have completed all general education and prerequisite courses with grades posted** (except DMS A110 and/or RADT A100), you must [submit the Allied Health \(ALH\) Prerequisite Form](#) to be placed on the class waitlist. If you submit the form with courses in progress, your form will be deleted and you will need to resubmit. The Allied Health Office will contact you with instructions on when and how to register for your final prerequisite course(s). There may be a wait time before you are able to enroll in DMS A110 and/or RADT A100.

