





Why Choose QCC?

- Access
- Quality
- Affordable
- Transferability







We'll talk about...

- Overview of health programs
- How to apply
- Outcomes & enrollment options
- What is 'High-Demand'?
- Advising for health careers
- Careers
- Next steps













For All Applicants:

- Must have a high school diploma or GED.
- "HS" below means High School, indicating a course taken in high school. GPA based on a 4.0 scale.
- Science courses must be taken within five years of application to the program. Required grade must be earned within two attempts of taking and completing the course.
- College Placement Test may be required to determine Math and English levels if no college level courses were previously completed. Call 508-854-4308 or go to www.qcc.edu/advising.htm to arrange a testing time.
- Required TEAS/HOBET scores must be achieved within 3 attempts of taking the test (unless otherwise stated).
- Required TEAS/HOBET scores must be earned within 5 years of application to the program.
- (Most) Must attend/complete a Health Careers Session.
- "Composite" score must be in one test (cannot be a combination of multiple tests).
- Placement into College Level Mathematics: Place into MATO99, Pass MATO95 or any College level Math class with a C or better.





NURSING PROGRAMS

Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)

Certificates:

- Practical Nursing day (46 credits)
- Practical Nursing Evening (46 credits)

Registered Nurse (RN)

Associate Degrees:

- Nurse Education day (71 credits)
- Nurse Education Evening (71 credits)
- Advanced placement Nursing LPN (64 credits)
- Advanced placement Nursing Paramedic (65 credits)







Practical Nursing Day

Certificate (46 credits)

Program Code: LP

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or completed FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- TEAS: 55% composite (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)
- TEAS: 51%-54% composite (no more than 3 attempts with a 3 year period) with appropriate BIO & GPA as follows:

TEAS score	Overall BIO course grade (4 credit minimum)		Overall college GPA (15 credit minimum)
54%	2.7	OB	2.7
53%	2.8	<u>OR</u>	2.8
52%	2.9		2.9
51%	3.0		3.0

Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements for LP?

 You can start by applying to Healthcare Pre-Nursing program.

All Courses/GPA evaluated must be taken at QCC



Program Contact Email: practicalnursing@qcc.mass.edu



Practical Nursing Evening

Certificate (46 credits)

Program Code: LPE

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or completed FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- TEAS: 55% composite (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)
- TEAS: 51%-54% composite (no more than 3 attempts with a 3 year period) with appropriate BIO & GPA as follows:

TEAS score	Overall BIO course grade (4 credit minimum)		Overall college GPA (15 credit minimum)
54%	2.7	OB	2.7
53%	2.8	<u>OR</u>	2.8
52%	2.9		2.9
51%	3.0		3.0

Need to complete Admissions Requirements for LPE?

 You can start by applying to Healthcare Pre-Nursing program.

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Program Contact Email: practicalnursing@qcc.mass.edu



Nurse Education Day

Associate Degree (71 credits)

Program Code: NUR

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or complete FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- Math: Placement into College Level Mathematics
- Biology: minimum grade of B in HS Bio OR B in BIO 101 (recommended) or other college BIO
- TEAS: 65% composite (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)
 OR
- TEAS: 61%-64% composite(no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)with appropriate BIO&GPA

TEAS score	Overall BIO course grade (4 credit minimum)		Overall college GPA (15 credit minimum)
64%	3.0	<u>OR</u>	3.0
63%	3.1	<u>OK</u>	3.1
62%	3.2		3.2
61%	3.3		3.3

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Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements for NUR program?

 You can start by applying to Healthcare Pre-Nursing program.





Nurse Education Evening

Associate Degree (71 credits)

Program Code: NUE

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or complete FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- Math: Placement into College Level Mathematics
- Biology: minimum grade of B in HS Bio OR B in BIO 101 (recommended) or other college BIO
- BA/BS or higher from an accredited college/university
- TEAS: 65% composite (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)

OR

• TEAS: 61%-64% composite(no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)with appropriate BIO&GPA

TEAS score	Overall BIO course grade (4 credit minimum)		Overall college GPA (15 credit minimum)
64%	3.0	<u>OR</u>	3.0
63%	3.1	<u>OK</u>	3.1
62%	3.2		3.2
61%	3.3		3.3

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Need to complete Admissions Requirements for NUE?

 You can start by applying to Healthcare Pre-Nursing program.





Advanced Placement Nursing-LPN

Associate Degree (64 credits)

Program Code: NUL

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or complete FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- Math: Placement into College Level Mathematics
- Biology: minimum grade of B in HS Bio OR B in BIO 101 (recommended) or other college BIO
- Current LPN license in the state of Massachusetts
- TEAS: 65% composite (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)

OR

• TEAS: 61%-64% composite(no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period) with appropriate BIO & GPA

TEAS score	Overall BIO course grade (4 credit minimum)		Overall college GPA (15 credit minimum)
64%	3.0	<u>OR</u>	3.0
63%	3.1	<u>OK</u>	3.1
62%	3.2		3.2
61%	3.3		3.3

All Courses/GPA evaluated must be taken at QCC

Need to complete Admissions Requirements for the NUL?

 You can start by applying to Healthcare -Practical Nursing program.







Advanced Placement Nursing - Paramedic

Associate Degrees (65 credits)

Program Code: NUP

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or complete FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- Math: Placement into College Level Mathematics
- Biology: minimum grade of B in HS Bio OR B in BIO 101 (recommended) or other college BIO
- Current Massachusetts Paramedic Certification or Current National Registry of EMTs Paramedic Certification
- TEAS: 65% composite (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period) OR TEAS: 61%-64% composite(no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)with appropriate
 BIO&GPA

TEAS score	Overall BIO course grade (4 credit minimum)		Overall college GPA (15 credit minimum)
64%	3.0	<u>OR</u>	3.0
63%	3.1	<u>UK</u>	3.1
62%	3.2		3.2
61%	3.3		3.3

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Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements for NUP?

 You can start by applying to Healthcare Pre-Nursing program.





DENTAL PROGRAMS

Certificates:

Dental Assisting (38 credits)

Associate Degrees:

• Dental Hygiene (79 credits)



Click below to learn about CDC guidelines re: blood borne pathogens:

Blood borne pathogens/potentially infectious materials CDC.gov





Dental Assisting

Certificate (38 Credits) **Program Code: DA**

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or complete FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- TEAS: 45% composite (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)

Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements for DA program?

 You can start by applying to Healthcare program— Pre-Dental Hygiene Option.



Click below to learn about CDC guidelines re: blood borne pathogens:

Blood borne pathogens/potentially infectious materials CDC.gov



Program Contact Email: dentalassisting@qcc.mass.edu



Dental Hygiene Associate Degrees (79 credits)

Program Code: DH

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or completed FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- Math: Placement into College Level Mathematics
- Biology: minimum grade of B in HS Bio OR C+ in BIO 101 (recommended) or other college BIO
- Chemistry: minimum grade of B in HS Chem OR B in CHM 090 or C grade in **CHM 101**
- English: Placement into college level English
- TEAS: 65% composite (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)
- GPA: 3.0 in high school OR 3.0 in college with minimum 10 credits OR 550 Battery Average on GED OR HiSet 45
- 4-hour dental office observation



Click below to learn about CDC quidelines re: blood borne pathogens:

Blood borne pathogens/potentially infectious materials CDC.gov

Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements for DH?

 You can start by applying to Healthcare program -**Pre-Dental Hygiene Option**



Program Contact Email: dentalhygiene@qcc.mass.edu



DENTAL ASSISTING TO HYGIENE BRIDGE

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Dental Assisting to Dental Hygiene Bridge
- Graduate of QCC's Dental Assisting Certificate
- Minimum GPA of 3.3 and minimum grades of B in all DHY courses
- Minimum A- grade in DAS 151, DAS 153, and DAS 155
- Two recommendations from QCC DHY core course faculty of which one is from a full-time faculty member
- BIO 111 and BIO 112 each with a C grade or better
- Current Dental Hygiene requirements including a minimum "B" grade in Biology and as well as Chemistry



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Emergency Medical Services

Certificate:

• EMT Paramedic (45 credits)

Associate Degrees:

• Paramedic Technology (70 credits)







EMT Paramedic Certificate(45 credits) Program Code: PC

Programs Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or completed FYE
 102 with a C grade or higher
- Current EMT-Basic or Advanced EMT (AEMT) certification
- One year experience verified by employer







Paramedic Technology

Associate Degree (70 credits) Program Code: EM

Program Admissions Requirements:

 Current Paramedic certification (any current state paramedic or National Registry Paramedic certification)







MEDICAL ASSISTING

Certificate:

Medical Assisting (40 credits)

Associate Degree:

Medical Support Specialist (67 credits)







Medical Assisting

Certificate (40 credits)

Program Code: ME

Programs Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or completed FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- Math: Placement into College Level
 Mathematics
- English: Placement into college level English

Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements for ME?

· You can start by applying to the Healthcare program.







Medical Support Specialist - Medical Assisting Option

Associate Degree (67 credits)

Program Code: MSMA

Program Admissions Requirements:

 Current Certified Medical Assistant (CMA) through the American Association of Medical Assistants (AAMA)

OR

 Current Registered Medical Assistant (RMA) through American Medical Technologists (AMT)

OR

Graduated from a Regionally accredited Medical Assisting certificate program







Occupational Therapy Assistant

Associate Degree (68 credits)

Program Code: OT

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or completed FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- Math: Placement into College Level Mathematics
- Biology: minimum grade of B in HS Bio OR C+ in BIO 101 (recommended) or other college BIO
- English: Placement into college level English
- TEAS: 53% English, 60% Reading, 54% Math, 40% Science
- (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period-can combine scores from 2 attempts)
- TEAS: English: 49%–52%, Reading: 56%–59%, Math: 50%–53%, Science: 36–39% with appropriate BIO & GPA



Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements for OT?

You can start by applying to Healthcare program.





Occupational Therapy Assistant continue

Associate Degree (68 credits)
Program Code: OT

	TEAS S	Score			Overall BIO course grade		Overall College GPA
English	Reading	Math	Science		(4 credit minimum)		(15 credit minimum)
52	59	53	39	AND	2.7	<u>OR</u>	2.7
51	58	52	38	AND	2.8	<u> </u>	2.8
50	57	51	37		2.9		2.9
49	56	50	36		3.0		3.0

Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements for OT?

 You can start by applying to Healthcare program.

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Radiologic Technology Associate Degree (72 credits)

Program Code: RT

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or completed FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- Math: Placement into College Level Mathematics
- Biology: minimum grade of B in HS Bio OR C+ in BIO 101 (recommended) or other college BIO
- English: Placement into College level English
- Four Hour clinical observation (offered to academically qualified students only)
- Complete all Discovery Activities listed at: www.QCC.edu/radiologic-technology/admission-health-transfer-articulation-agreements
- TEAS: 53% English, 60% Reading, 54% Math, 40% Science
- (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period-can combine scores from 2 attempts)
- TEAS: English: 49%-52%, Reading: 56%-59%, Math: 50%-53%, Science: 36-39% with appropriate BIO & GPA

Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements RT program?

Apply to: Healthcare Program







Radiologic Technology Associate Degree (72 credits)

Associate Degree (72 credits)
Program Code: RT

	TEAS Score				Overall BIO course grade		Overall College GPA
English	Reading	Math	Science		(4 credit minimum)		(15 credit minimum)
52	59	53	39	AND	2.7	<u>OR</u>	2.7
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50	57	51	37		2.9		2.9
49	56	50	36		3.0		3.0

Need to complete Admissions Requirements RT program?

 You can start by applying to Healthcare program.

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Respiratory Care

Associate Degree (75 credits)

Program Code: RS

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or completed FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- Math: Placement into College Level Mathematics
- Biology: minimum grade of B in HS Bio OR B in BIO 101 (recommended) or other college BIO
- Chemistry: minimum grade of B in HS Chem OR B in CHM 090
- English: Placement into College Level English
- TEAS: 65% composite (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)
- TEAS: 61%-64% composite(no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)with appropriate BIO&GPA



Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements RS?

 You can start by applying to the Healthcare program.





Respiratory Care continue

Associate Degree (75 credits)

Program Code: RS

TEAS score	Overall BIO course grade (4 credit minimum)		Overall college GPA (15 credit minimum)
64%	3.0	<u>OR</u>	3.0
63%	3.1	<u>OK</u>	3.1
62%	3.2		3.2
61%	3.3		3.3

Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements for RS?

You can start by applying to the Healthcare program.

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Surgical Technology

Associate Degree (64 credits)

Program Code: SUR

Program Admissions Requirements:

- Health Info Session or completed FYE 102 with a C grade or higher
- TEAS: 60% composite (no more than 3 attempts within a 3 year period)
- TEAS: 56%-59% composite (no more than 3 attempts with a 3 year period) with appropriate BIO & GPA

TEAS score	Overall BIO course grade (4 credit minimum)		Overall college GPA (15 credit minimum)
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Need to complete Program Admissions Requirements for SUR?

 You can start by applying to the Healthcare program.







Program Details

- www.qcc.edu
- Click on 'Academics'
- Click on 'Healthcare'
- Learn more about:
 - Goals
 - Classes
 - Cost and requirements
 - Career







Qualify

- ☐ Apply online at qcc.edu
- ☐ Evidence of high school completion
- ☐ Placement test or prior college credit
- Health Careers Information Session
- ☐ TEAS (Test of Essential Academic Skills)
- ☐ Additional requirements depend on program*

*Immunizations







Test of Essential Academic Skills [TEAS TEST]

- Four-part, web-based, supervised assessment
- Subtests:
 - Reading, Mathematics, Science, English language
- Requirement for healthcare programs
- Scheduling Test
- Practice and Preparation:
- https://www.qcc.edu/center-workforce-development-and-continuing-edu cation







Immunizations

- Physical exam within 12 months of program start date
- Tdap- One time dose within the last 10 years
- Flu vaccine for the current Flu season
- Tuberculin Skin Test (2-Step TST) <u>2 tests</u> done within 12 months of the program start date, the 2nd test must be done within 6 months of the program start date. Health students with a history of having positive Tuberculin Skin Test, must provide Chest X-Ray results done within 12 months of program start date
- Varicella-#1
- Varicella- #2 or results of a positive Varicella titer*
- MMR- #1
- MMR- #2 or positive Measles, Mumps and Rubella titers*
- Hepatitis B vaccination series
- Hepatitis B Antibody Titer*

 test results must demonstrate immunity
- * Titer is a blood test that will show if you are immune or non-immune to a particular disease.





Immunizations cont.

- Each Health Program has a specific deadline date for health information. Students will be notified of this date prior to the start of the program. Health Program health information is in addition to what the student has previously submitted to the Registrar's Office.
- In addition, students are required to demonstrate current CPR certification (Healthcare Provider level, online CPR certification is not accepted) and Health Insurance coverage.
- No student will be allowed to begin the clinical component of any health program until
 proof has been received that all immunization requirements have been completed.











"High-Demand" Definition

High Demand means that we have more qualified students than we have seats available in a particular program within an academic year.

To be fair to all students in our community that want to train for these careers, our college use a criteria based method to determine acceptance to program. This means that the coordinators of the programs establish both academic and testing criteria for their program admissions requirements.

- Each application will be reviewed and evaluated based on the program admissions requirements. If the applicant meets the program admissions requirements, the Admissions Office will provide you a written letter confirming your start term (Fall, Spring or Summer term).
- If applicants do not meet the program admissions requirements yet, you can still start college by applying to the Healthcare program or other program options. Please speak to admissions counselors or see an academic advisors for program options.
- If applicants are put on the waitlist, we recommend that you start taking the general education courses that are part of your degree choice. Speak to or see Academic Advisor from the Advising Center for further program assistance.

It is best to think of this as a 3 step process:

- 1. Qualify (and be placed in program or on waitlist). You will receive a letter from the Admissions Office of your start term (Fall, Spring or Summer term).
- 2. Take general education classes that are part of your program while on waitlist.
- 3. Move from Waitlist status to Accepted status and attend professional classes/clinical portion of program training.





Application Outcomes

You could be placed into one of the following Admissions criteria once the application evaluation take place:

- Qualification and placement on a waitlist
- Qualification and acceptance to the program
- Acceptance to non-waitlisted program AND qualification and placement on a waitlist
- Non-qualification:
 - Acceptance to Health Care
 - Referral to Advising Center







Health Career Session Participation Form

- Please fill out Participation Form
- This form will document attendance at today's session.
- Return this form:
 - By email to: <u>Admissions@qcc.mass.edu</u>.
 - By mail: Admissions Office

Quinsigamond Community College

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CORI/SORI/National Background Check/Drug testing

CORI/SORI/National Background Check/Drug testing is required prior to any clinical placement. A positive in any of these areas may prevent you from participating in a clinical/field rotation.

If you are unable to participate in a clinical/field rotation you will be unable to complete the health program. Details will be explained at your program orientation. Contact Pat Schmohl, Dean of Healthcare, if you have questions: pschmohl@qcc.mass.edu or 508-854-7942.





Please be advised of the following:

- It is important that you complete all necessary immunizations as soon as possible because some immunizations, such as Hepatitis B vaccination series, requires a minimum of six months to complete from start to finish.
- If an accepted student has not completed all immunizations at the time he/she is scheduled to begin, they will be withdrawn from the program. Students will need to re-apply to the health program for acceptance to the next available space.











Academic Advising

We are here for:

- Discuss your Placement Test scores
- Outline your educational and career goals
- Develop your Academic Plan to achieve success
- Map out your program courses and requirements
- Prepare for self-registration/Register for courses







Career Advising

We are also here to help you with:

- Individual program advising, steps to qualify
- Understanding of careers students wish to pursue, academic preparation, personal commitments
- Individual plan with steps to meet min. requirements for program
- Assessment of academic skills to be eligible for entry into Health Career Program







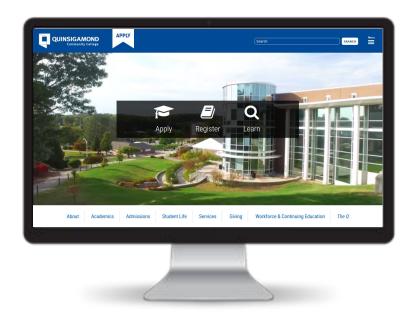
Contact Information

Academic Advising: HLC 2nd floor

- 508-854-4308
- advising@qcc.mass.edu
- Mon-Thurs. 8am to 7pm
- Friday 8am to 5pm

Academic Advising: HLC 2nd floor room 201

- 508-854-4262
- admissions@qcc.mass.edu
- Mon-Thurs 8 a.m. 7 p.m.
- Friday 8 a.m. 5p.m.



In Response to the Coronavirus/COVID-19 crisis, the admissions and advising office are only operating remotely until further notices.









Do not forget to turn in your Health Career Session Participation Form at the end of this session.

