Anesthesia Technology

School of Health Professions

Community College of Baltimore County (CCBC)

Dundalk and Essex Campuses

Admissions Packet

2021-2022



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Welcome

On behalf of the School of Health Professions (SHP), thank you for your interest in CCBC's Anesthesia Technology program. The program is designed to provide theoretical, laboratory and clinical (hands-on experience in the work setting) experiences that enable students to function in the health care environment, as well as, be successful on the national certification examination. We are fortunate that this program is in collaboration with Johns Hopkins Department of Anesthesiology.

I wish you the best with submission of your admission application.

Sincerely,

Cheryl J. McNamara, D.N.P. and

Kimberly Allen, B.A., Cer.A.T.T.

Program Director

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Program Description

The Anesthesia Technology Program is a 1-year program not including the pre-requisites. It is a collaborative program between CCBC and Johns Hopkins Hospital. Many of the anesthesia courses and labs may be located at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, downtown. Students completing the program will earn an Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) degree. The anesthesia technology program provides courses that offer the full range of clinical and didactic experience to practice as an anesthesia technician.

Upon completion of the program, graduates can apply for certification through the American Society of Anesthesia Technicians and Technologists (ASATT). The certification achieved is certified anesthesia technologist (Cer.A.T.T.).

Accreditation

The Anesthesia Technology Program is a candidate for accreditation by the American Society of Anesthesia Technicians and Technologists.

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Admissions Deadline

April 15th

The program begins in June.

Required Prerequisite Coursework

All courses (Prerequisite and General Education), must be completed by the end of the spring semester prior to the June start with a grade of "C" or better. A 2.3 minimum GPA is required on the below prerequisites.

- BIOL 109 Human Anatomy and Physiology (4 credits)
- ENGL 101 College Composition I (3 credits)
- MATH 153 Introduction to Statistical Methods (4 credits)
- ALHL 115 Medical Terminology (3 credits)
- CHEM 107 Fundamentals of Chemistry (3 credits)
- CHEM 108 Fundamentals of Chemistry Laboratory (1 credit)

General Education Requirements

- CMNS 101 Fundamentals of Communication (3 Credits)
- CSIT 101 Computer Technology Systems (3 Credits)
- PSYC 105 Multicultural Psychology (3 Credits)

Admission Criteria

- Minimum Pre-req GPA of 2.3
- Minimum overall CCBC GPA of 2.0 for any courses taken at CCBC
- C or better grade in all prerequisite courses

Steps for Admission

- 1. Apply for admission to CCBC at http://www.ccbcmd.edu/apply
- 2. Participate in assessment testing, if necessary.
- 3. Complete prerequisite courses as necessary.
- 4. Once you have your CCBC Student ID number, log into https://shp.liaisoncas.com/applicant-ux/#/login and apply to the ANESTHESIA TECHNOLOGY program by the application deadline. The non-refundable \$50 application fee is due at time of submission.

- 6. It is the sole responsibility of the student to ensure that all documents have been received or uploaded into the SHP CAS by the application deadline of April 1.
- 7. Applicants will receive an **email** inviting them to complete the **CCBC SHP Supplemental application** once their program SHP CAS application has been verified. Instructions will be in the email.

TRANSCRIPTS

Official transcripts from <u>ALL</u> US colleges and universities attended by the applicant are required to be submitted to the SHP CAS <u>and</u> to the CCBC Registrar. Official AP and CLEP scores should be sent directly to the CCBC Registrar/Office of Enrollment Services. The unofficial score report of AP or CLEP, may be sent directly to the School of Health Professions Admissions office. Do not send AP or CLEP scores to the SHP CAS.

Please read these instructions carefully. Transcripts should be sent to the SHP CAS Transcript Processing Center and to CCBC, 4 to 6 weeks prior to the application deadline. If the program that you are applying only requires an unofficial transcript sent to the SHP CAS, you must still submit Official Transcripts to CCBC for transfer of credit.

How to Send Transcripts to the SHP CAS

- 1. Enter your colleges or universities in the **Colleges Attended** section of the application before requesting any transcripts.
- 2. Click **ORDER** under each school you have listed.
- 3. You may choose to send the transcript electronically (recommended) or as a paper copy through the US Postal System. You only need to submit one transcript from each school regardless of the number of programs you are applying.
 - o To Send an Electronic Transcript
 - 1. Choose one of the e-transcript services listed. CCBC uses Parchment. Search for the school that you attended. Complete the prompts to make an account. You will be asked where you would like the credential/transcript sent, type SHP CAS into the search bar.
 - 2. You will then be asked for the Application ID, this number is found in the 'Order Your Official Transcript' screen in the SHP CAS application, in Step 3. Copy and paste the number in the space on the e-transcript service page.
 - 3. Complete the form request by signing and paying for the transcript. You will receive a receipt that the transcript has been ordered.
 - o To Send a Paper Copy Using the US Postal Service
 - 1. You can use the mail system to send paper copies of your Official Transcript. Click on the word 'Order', chose Option 2: Order a Mailed

Paper Transcript. Click 'Download Transcript ID Form' and print the form. Contact the Registrar at each institution you attended and request one official transcript be sent to SHP CAS.

- 2. Provide the Registrar with the following items:
 - a. SHP CAS Transcript ID Form. Ask the Registrar to attach it to your official transcripts. This form is not required, but strongly recommended as it helps ensure your official transcripts are properly matched to your application. If you cannot use this form, make sure the registrar prints "SHP CAS" and your full SHP CAS ID number on the transcript before mailing it.
 - b. Give the Registrar this mailing address: SHP CAS Transcript Processing Center PO Box 9134 Watertown, MA 02471

How to Send Transcripts to the CCBC Registrar

Use this link to send your transcripts from all colleges attended, except CCBC, to CCBC Enrollment Services: https://www.ccbcmd.edu/Get-Started/Take-classes/Take-a-credit-class/Transfer-to-CCBC-from-another-college.aspx. Evaluation of your application will be delayed if you do not submit transcripts to the CCBC Registrar's Office.

How to Send CLEP, AP and/or International College Transcript Evaluations

Send Official scores and evaluation directly to the CCBC Registrar office using this link, https://www.ccbcmd.edu/Get-Started/Take-classes/Take-a-credit-class/Transfer-to-CCBC-from-another-college.aspx. Unofficial copies can be sent to the SHP Admission Office at, shpseat@ccbcmd.edu.

How to Verify that Transcripts are Received

Applicants are responsible for checking to see that the official transcripts have been received at the required locations (SHP CAS <u>AND</u> CCBC)

- SHP CAS log into your CAS applications and select the Check Status tab in the
 upper right corner. All expected transcripts will be listed and it will be noted if the
 transcript has been received or not. Contact the SHP CAS directly by clicking on the
 blue question mark at the top of the application if you have questions about your
 transcript.
- 2. CCBC Enrollment Services Log into your CCBC SIMON account to determine if your transcripts have been received and to review any transfer of credits. You can contact transfereval@ccbcmd.edu if you have a question about courses that may or may not have been transferred into CCBC.

Admission Response

Admissions decisions are emailed to applicants approximately 6 weeks after the application deadline but could occur sooner. Check the email address used at time of application.

Post Admission

Applicants should be aware that the following items will be required to progress in the clinical/practicum components of the program. Further information will be provided by the program director.

- Provide proof of current CPR certification at the Healthcare Provider Level. If you need information about CPR courses, https://www.redcross.org/take-a-class/bls
- Proof of a recent physical examination with current immunizations including COVID 19,
- Proof of current health insurance,
- · Criminal background investigation, and
- Drug screening.

Who to Contact

Academic Advising – Advising is available at all campuses and extension centers. Please ask to speak with a Health and Science Pathways Advisor only. For the Catonsville campus call 443840-4382 or visit the Student Services Center room 102. For the Essex campus call 443-8401973 or visit the Student Services Center room 120A. For the Dundalk campus, call 443-8403816 or visit the Student Services Center room 102. The hours, addresses and phone numbers for all sites can be found by calling 443-840-2222 or online at http://www.ccbcmd.edu/Resourcesfor-Students/Academic-Advisement/Contact-an-Academic-Advisor.aspx.

School of Health Professions Office of Admissions at 443-840-1989 or email shpseat@ccbcmd.edu