

HISTOTECHNOLOGY



ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS FALL 2020

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Vance-Granville Community College (VGCC) Histotechnology program is to provide our students with a comprehensive education in histotechnology to prepare them to enter the histology profession as a competent entry-level histotechnician.

ADMISSION PROCEDURES

Students are admitted to the Histotechnology program (A45370) in accordance with policies set by VGCC. Each applicant is required to meet the minimum admission eligibility requirements as set by the College. Meeting minimum eligibility requirements does not guarantee admission into the program, only an opportunity for consideration.

The selection process for this program includes PROGRAM APPLICATION Completion (must be completed for consideration for the Histotechnology Program), and Acceptance Status. **Regulations**, **procedures**, **and course requirements are subject to change as necessary and without prior notice**.

CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK: VGCC cautions applicants that the National Examination for certification, on its registry form, asks the following question: "Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony (excluding a minor traffic violation)?" The National Examination reserves the right to refuse to allow graduates to sit for the registry based on their past criminal record.

NOTE: This program is offered at the Main Campus in Henderson.

STEPS FOR PROGRAM APPLICATION

- Apply to VGCC. Designate Histotechnology as the desired program of study. Deadline for application to VGCC for the 2020 Histotechnology program is the last business day of February, 2020. Applications will continue to be processed until program has reached capacity. Applicants will be placed into a Pre-Health Curriculum (Associate in General Education-General Science A10300S), until selected into the program.
- 2. Submit official transcripts of high school graduation or equivalency to the Admissions Office.
- 3. Students must be eligible to enroll in ENG 111 and MAT 110, or 143 in order to be eligible for admission into the Histotechnology program. Students that need to take a co-requisite with either ENG 111, MAT 110, or MAT 143 are not eligible for admission.
- 4. Achieve cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher as calculated on the last business day of February, 2020. A grade of "C" or better is required for all general education courses. BIO course(s) required for the program must be completed within 10 years of the beginning of Fall 2020 entry date.
- 5. Meet with a Student Learning and Success Center Academic and Career Coach to complete a PROGRAM APPLICATION by the last business day of February, 2020. Please email **studentsuccess@vgcc.edu** or visit **www.vgcc.edu/CounselingServices/advising** for more information.

Students will be notified of acceptance or selection as an alternate beginning April 1, 2020. Health insurance is required for this program by the start of Fall 2020 semester and failure to obtain health insurance by this date will result in loss of enrollment in the program.

Questions? Please contact:

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