



Cardiovascular Sonography Application Requirements

Entry
Fall 2019

CARDIOVASCULAR SONOGRAPHY APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Below are the general admissions requirements for all health programs followed by the program specific requirements. Please keep in mind that admission to all health programs is a **two-phase process: (1) Application to SPCC and (2) Application to Cardiovascular Sonography.**

PHASE I: Complete your SPCC Admissions File

Step 1. Complete the SPCC College Application at www.spcc.edu

- Application to SPCC must be for 2019 SP, 2019 SU, or 2019 FA term **or** you must have been continuously enrolled at SPCC for the last year. (Continuous enrollment means that you have been enrolled at SPCC and have not stopped out for any reason). On your application to SPCC, you can only apply to one health program (Cardiovascular Sonography).

Step 2. Submit official transcripts from all colleges

- A Transcript Evaluation Request Form **must** be completed and sent to the Registrar for evaluation of prior course credit **every** time a transcript is submitted.
- All foreign transcripts (secondary and post-secondary) **must** be evaluated by an SPCC recognized evaluation company at the student's expense. For specific details, see International Transcript Credit information in the College catalog.

PHASE II: Cardiovascular Sonography Program Requirements

Step 1. Current Professional Certification or Licensure

Proof of current certification in at least one specialty from the following:

- American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT)
- The American Registry of Diagnostic Medical Sonographers (ARDMS)
- Cardiovascular Credential International (CCI)

OR

Proof of graduation from an accredited program in Sonography, Vascular or a Cardiac Sonography credential.

OR

Proof of current licensure as one of the following:

Doctor of Medicine (MD)

Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (DO)

Students with a doctorate must complete the scanning module, including the lab, attached to CVS 165 by the end of week one. (Requirement for students with doctorate, optional for all others).

Step 3. Current Healthcare Provider or Basic Life Support (BLS) or First Aid AED CPR certification from American Heart Association (AHA) or American Red Cross.

NOTE: Online CPR courses are not accepted.

Current SPCC Medical Sonography seniors do not have to repeat items completed in Phase I. Change of program form to add program will be required for 2019FA when you submit your Medical Sonography graduation application to the Registrar.

Disability Services

- SPCC provides an ongoing program of services that encourage students with disabilities to integrate themselves into all aspects of college life. The Disability Services provider is available to assist with registration, counseling, academic advisement and arrangements for appropriate accommodation. Reasonable accommodations are established on an individual basis. Students must provide documentation of a disability from a physician or other licensed professional in order to establish eligibility for services.

Disclosure

- The CV certificate program is an online program, but labs will be held on the OCH campus on Fridays and Saturdays.
- All statements in this publication are announcements of present policies and are subject to change at any given time without prior notice. South Piedmont Community College reserves the right to make changes in program requirements and offerings, in regulations, and in fees. Students in the Cardiovascular Sonography Program will be notified of these changes when they occur.

CARDIOVASCULAR SONOGRAPHY PROGRAM FAQ SECTION

Packet Submission Deadline is June 6, 2019 at 5:00 pm

Where do I go for guidance related to admission to Cardiovascular Sonography?

- Visit Student Services to see an Enrollment Specialist in the Admissions Office or email admissions@spcc.edu or call 704-272-5391.

How do I apply for admission to the Cardiovascular Sonography program?

- Complete Phase 1 and 2 of the admission requirements (pages 1-2).
- Collect copies of Certification/Licensure and CPR certification.
- Go to www.spcc.edu. On the Student Forms page, click on the Cardiovascular Phase II Application (available beginning December 1, 2018).
- Submit the fully completed application with all required documents by June 6, 2019 at 5:00 pm.

When are students admitted into the Cardiovascular Sonography program?

- Students are admitted during the fall semester once a year.
- There is no waitlist and selection is based on first-come, first-filled.
- **All health programs have limited seats, competitive admissions.**
- If all seats are not filled, the application period may be extended. Any extension will be posted on www.spcc.edu.

How will I know if I'm accepted into the Cardiovascular Sonography program?

- Within one month of the program application deadline, you will receive notification of your provisional acceptance by mail.
- **ONCE YOU RECEIVE THIS LETTER**, you *must* complete any steps listed in your provisional acceptance letter by the given deadline(s).

CURRICULUM MAP

Cardiovascular Sonography Certificate (C45160-C) – 17 Credit Hours

2018-2019

Fall Semester					
<u>Course Number</u>	<u>Course Name</u>	<u>Lec</u>	<u>Lab/Clinic</u>	<u>Credit</u>	
CVS 163	Echo I	3	2/0	4	
CVS 165	Intro to Cardiovascular Sonography	1	3/0	2	
SON 111	Sonographic Physics (Credential to Credit)	3	3/0	4	
SON 276	Fetal Echocardiography	1	0/0	1	
			Total	11	
Spring Semester					
<u>Course Number</u>	<u>Course Name</u>	<u>Lec</u>	<u>Lab/Clinic</u>	<u>Credit</u>	
CVS 164	Echo II	3	2/0	4	
CVS 277	Cardiovascular Topics	2	0/0	2	
			Total	6	

The Cardiovascular Certificate Program is offered in the fall semester each academic year.

All classes are online except for SON 276 which meets every other Monday for two hours in the Fall semester. No clinical hours are required with any of the courses.

**SOUTH PIEDMONT COMMUNITY COLLEGE
CARDIOVASCULAR SONOGRAPHY PROGRAM - Estimated Costs**

This is an ESTIMATE of costs effective 07/16/18. Fees are variable and subject to change.

General Tuition and Fees		
In State		\$76.00/credit hour
Out-of-State		\$268.00/credit hour
Technology Fee		\$2.00/credit hour
Student Insurance		\$1.40/semester
Student Activity Fee	1-6 credit hrs. = \$17.50; 7-16 credit hrs. = \$35.00	
Campus Parking Fee (CAPS)	No fee if only taking online classes	\$15.00/semester
	In-State	Out-of-State
Fall - Semester 1 - 1st Year		
Tuition	\$836.00	\$2948.00
Additional Health Course Fee	\$60.00	\$60.00
Textbooks	\$250.00	\$250.00
Lab fee	\$45.00	\$45.00
Liability Insurance	\$13.00	\$13.00
General Fees (Includes Fees Mentioned Above)	\$89.00	\$89.00
Total Fall - Semester 1 - 1st Year	\$1293.00	\$ 3405.00
Spring - Semester 2 - 1st Year		
Tuition	\$456.00	\$1,608.00
Additional Health Course Fees	\$30.00	\$30.00
Textbooks	\$250.00	\$250.00
Lab Fee	\$15.00	\$15.00
General fees (Includes Fees Mentioned Above)	\$46.00	\$46.00
Total Spring - Semester 2 - 1st Year	\$ 797.00	\$1949.00
Estimated Total Cost	\$2090.00	\$5354.00



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