4 STEPS TO APPLY TO A HEALTH CAREERS PROGRAM

Complete the FAFSA. That's the Free Application for Federal Student Aid online form that you and your parents/guardians submit (if you are age 24 or younger) to be eligible to receive financial aid. [FAFSA.gov](http://FAFSA.gov)

You should file the FAFSA as soon as possible after October 1 of each year for the next school year. You can tell FAFSA that you and your parents/guardians will be filing your taxes and use estimated figures for the form. Once you and your parents/guardians have filed your taxes, you both can go back to your FAFSA and use the IRS Data Retrieval Button to securely pull in tax information from the IRS database. ICC’s Financial Aid Code: 006753

Acceptance into an ICC Health Careers program is competitive, based on an earned point total. Students earn points based on grade point average, SAT/ACT scores, previous degrees, work experience, etc.

1 Complete and submit an ICC admission form ([icc.edu > Apply Now](http://icc.edu))

You must apply to ICC before you can apply to a specific Health Careers program.

2 Complete the READING placement test ([icc.edu/testingCenter or 309/694-5234](http://icc.edu/testingCenter or 309/694-5234)).

*If you wish to apply to the Nursing Assistant program complete steps 1 and 2, then call 309/999-4275

3 Meet with a Health Careers advisor to determine program-specific eligibility. (309/690-7530)

Be prepared to answer the following*:

- To which Health Careers program do you wish to apply?
- What is your reading score?
- What was your SAT/ACT score?
- Do you have any health career certificates, licensures, or degrees?
- Have you worked in a health career field?
- Do you have volunteer experience in a health career field?

*additional questions are program specific

. . . and YOU MUST bring copies of your high school and college transcripts

*If you wish to apply to the EMT program, you only need to complete steps 1, 2, and 3.

4 Submit required documentation after meeting eligibility requirements.

You must submit the following documentation to apply to a specific Health Careers program:

- Program-specific checklist
- Official transcripts from issuing institution(s)
- Health degree(s) and/or certifications
- Work/volunteer form

Send documentation to:

ICC Health Careers, 5407 N. University Street, Cedar Hall, Room 105, Peoria, Illinois 61635-0001.

If you have questions don’t hesitate to call – 309/690-7530

Application deadline for all ICC Health Careers programs is January 15.

Note that the Phlebotomy and Medical Laboratory Technician programs admit students twice a year. Spring term application deadline is October 1.
**APPLICANT NAME:** ___________________________________________________________________

**ICC STUDENT ID NUMBER:** _____________________

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**course descriptions. See the ICC College Catalog for course numbers.**

### A College Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA)

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**POINTS EARNED**

**MAXIMUM OF 10 POINTS**

### B SAT/ACT Score

- SAT 1100-1120 or ACT 22 or higher = 5 points
- **Documented completion of a bachelor or associate degree** = 5 points

In lieu of SAT/ACT: ICC 110, ORIEN 099, ORIEN 110 READ 115, STUDY 089, or STUDY 101 with a grade of “B” or better = 3 points

**POINTS EARNED**

**MAXIMUM OF 10 POINTS**

### C Prerequisite Courses

- **Points are awarded for courses that are required prior to applying to the program.**

**MOST RECENT GRADE**

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<td>One year high school chemistry or CHEM 115</td>
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**POINTS EARNED**

**MAXIMUM OF 24 POINTS**

### D General Education Courses Taken

**MOST RECENT GRADE**

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<td>FCS 110 or FCS 120</td>
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**POINTS EARNED**

**MAXIMUM OF 10 POINTS**

### E Previous Health Degree, Certification, or Licensure in a Health Discipline

- Certified Dental Assistant = 10 points
- Other health career = 5 points

**POINTS EARNED**

**MAXIMUM OF 10 POINTS**

### F Work or Volunteer Experience in a Healthcare Related Field

- **Work Full Time (24 months or more)** = 7 points
- **Work Full Time (6 months to 23 months)** = 5 points
- **Work Full Time (less than 6 months)** = 4 points
- **Work Part Time (24 months or more)** = 5 points
- **Work Part Time (6 months to 23 months)** = 3 points
- **Work Part Time (6 months or more)** = 3 points
- **Healthcare Volunteer (100 hours or more)** = 2 points
- **Healthcare Volunteer (100 hours or less)** = 1 point
- **ICC 104 with grade of “B” or better** = 2 points

**POINTS EARNED**

**MAXIMUM OF 10 POINTS**

### G Previous Application

If you submitted an application to the Dental Hygienist program in the previous year and were qualified to enter the program, = 5 points

**POINTS EARNED**

**MAXIMUM OF 5 POINTS**

### H Work/volunteer form MUST accompany your application.

- **Points earned**
  - A
  - B
  - C
  - D
  - E
  - F
  - G

**ADD all “POINTS EARNED”**

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**TOTAL POINTS**

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**INSTRUCTIONS/NOTES FOR EACH SECTION APPEAR BELOW**

**A**

- College cumulative grade point average is calculated by all points earned divided by hours attempted for all college course work you have taken. An official transcript(s) must accompany your application.

**B**

- Points based on your SAT/ACT score (generally taken your junior year of high school) OR if you have completed specific college coursework. SAT 1530 prior to March 1, 2016.

**C**

- The point value you select should be based on the most recent grade you received in the specified course(s).

**D**

- The point value you select should be based on the most recent grade you received in the specified course. In the case of “BIOL 205 + BIOL 206”, grade is based on the average of the two.

**E**

- Points based on a previous degree or certification as a certified dental assistant or licensure in another health career.

**F**

- In this category points are awarded based on your work and/or volunteer experience.

**G**

- If you applied last year to the Dental Hygienist program and were qualified but not accepted, you will be awarded 5 points.

**H**

- This is where you total up the points you have earned in sections A – G. (Note the maximum allowed for each section)

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**ICC Health Careers’ Point Calculation Sheet – Dental Hygienist**

-- for post-high school students --

COMPLETE THIS FORM WITH THE HELP OF YOUR HEALTH CAREERS ADVISOR