



**WIREGRASS**  
GEORGIA TECHNICAL COLLEGE®

# ALLIED HEALTH COMPETITIVE ADMISSIONS PROGRAMS:

**DENTAL ASSISTING**  
**DENTAL HYGIENE**  
*(IN COOPERATION WITH VSU)*  
**PRACTICAL NURSING**  
**RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY**  
**REGISTERED NURSING**  
**SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY**

Admission to the college does not guarantee admission to the programs listed above. The application materials are collected by the Advisement and Retention Center (ARC). Any application received after the deadline will be accepted and considered only on a space-available basis. All applicants are notified of their admission status to the program by the Advisement and Retention Center (ARC). Selection criteria are program-specific and should be discussed with the Allied Health Advisor prior to submission of application.

- Students must be in “good academic standing” on the first day of the term they are admitted for the program.
- Priority competitive admissions application deadlines are May 15th for the Fall Semester, August 15th for the Spring Semester, and March 15th for the Summer Semester.
- The HESI A2 Exam or HOAE must be completed prior to the application deadline.
- All competitive entry programs except Dental Hygiene require successful completion of that program’s specific TCC
- Required TCC GPA for diploma programs is a 2.0 or higher; degree programs is a 2.75 or higher
- Applications can be submitted prior to completion of TCC; however priority selection will be given to those students that are TCC completed by the deadline;
- All of the competitive admissions criteria are current at date of publication but are subject to change with curriculum revisions. Please see your advisor for the most current criteria.

For more information or to apply, please contact  
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## REGULAR ADMISSIONS PROGRAMS:

Programs	Intake Semester
Medical Assisting	Fall
Patient Care Assisting	Fall, Spring & Summer (Varies By Campus)
Pharmacy Technology	Every Other Semester
EMS Professions	Fall & Spring
Paramedicine	Fall
Opticianry	Fall
Phlebotomy	Fall & Spring (Varies By Campus)
Esthetics	Fall & Spring
Neuromuscular Massage Technology	Spring



# Program Specific Criteria for the Wiregrass Competitive Admissions Process

Program	Program Intake Semester	Other Requirements	Courses/TCC Evaluated for Competitive Admissions	Entrance Test	Rank Order	
<b>Dental Hygiene</b> Associate of Applied Science Degree  Min. Age 18	Valdosta Campus Fall	"C" or better in all classes & 2.5 GPA on attempted program courses	<b>VSU Course</b> · ENGL 1101 · ENGL 1102 · MATH 1101 or 1111 · BIOL 2651 · BIOL 2652 · BIOL 2900 · CHEM 1151 · CHEM 1152 · POLS 1101 · HIST 2111 · PSYC 1101 · SOCI 1101 · COMM 1110 or COMM 1100	<b>Wiregrass Course</b> · ENGL 1101 · ENGL 1102 · MATH 1111 · BIOL 2113/2113L · BIOL 2114/2114L · BIOL 2117/2117L · CHEM 1151/1151L · CHEM 1152/1152L · POLS 1101 · HIST 2111 · PSYC 1101 · SOCI 1101 · SPCH 1101	HOAE (minimum score of 200 is required)	See Competitive Admissions Informational Packet for selection criteria  5 Points for CODA Accredited Dental Programs graduate
<b>Radiology Technology</b> Degree  Min. Age 18	Valdosta Campus Fall	"C" or better in all attempted program and TCC courses & 2.75 GPA or higher on successfully completed Radiologic Technician Assistant TCC	Radiologic Technician Assistant TCC: · ENGL 1101 · MATH 1101 or MATH 1111 · BIOL 2113/L · BIOL 2114/2114L · ALHS 1090 · RADT 1010 · IMSA 1100 · COLL 1010 or COMP 2000	HESI A2 (Cumulative score of 75 required)	Radiologic Technician Assistant TCC GPA (40%) + HESI Critical Thinking Conversion Score (20%) + HESI Cumulative (40%)	
<b>Registered Nurse</b> Associate Degree Nursing  Min. Age 18	Valdosta Campus Spring	"C" or better in all attempted program and TCC courses & 2.75 GPA or higher on successfully completed Nursing Technician TCC	Nursing Technician TCC: · ENGL 1101 · MATH 1111 · BIOL 2113/L · NAST 1100	HESI A2 (Cumulative score of 75 required)	Nursing Technician TCC GPA (40%) + HESI Critical Thinking Conversion Score (20%) + HESI Cumulative (40%)	
<b>Surgical Technology</b> Degree  Min. Age 17	Valdosta Campus Fall	"C" or better in all attempted program and TCC courses & 2.75 GPA or higher on successfully completed Central Sterile Supply Processing Specialist TCC	Central Sterile Supply Processing Specialist TCC: · ENGL 1101 · MATH 1111 · Area II Elective · Area IV Elective · BIOL 2113/BIOL 2113L · BIOL 2114/BIOL 2114L · ALHS 1090 · CSSP 1010	HESI A2 (Cumulative score of 75 required)	Central Sterile Supply Processing Specialist TCC GPA (40%) + HESI Critical Thinking Conversion Score (20%)+ + HESI Cumulative (40%)	
<b>Dental Assisting</b> Diploma  Min. Age 17	Valdosta Campus Fall	"C" or better in all attempted program and TCC courses & 2.0 GPA or higher on successfully completed Dental Office Assistant TCC	Dental Office Assistant TCC: · ENGL 1010 · MATH 1012 · PSYC 1010 · ALHS 1090 · ALHS 1040 · ALHS 1011 · MAST 1060 · DENA 1010	HESI A2 (no minimum score required)	Dental Office Assistant TCC GPA (30%) + HESI Critical Thinking Conversion Score (20%) + HESI Cumulative (50%)	
<b>Practical Nursing</b> Diploma  Min. Age 18	Valdosta Campus Fall, Summer  Coffee Campus Spring  Ben Hill-Irwin Campus Fall	"C" or better in all attempted program and TCC courses & 2.0 GPA or higher on successfully completed Advanced Patient Care Assistant TCC	Advanced Patient Care Assistant TCC: · ENGL 1010 · MATH 1012 · ALHS 1060 · ALHS 1011 · PSYC 1010 · ALHS 1090 · NAST 1100 · PNSG 2010	HESI A2 (Cumulative score of 60 required)	Advanced Patient Care Assistant TCC GPA (30%) + HESI Critical Thinking Conversion Score (20%) + HESI Cumulative (50%)	