About the program:

Blessing-Rieman College of Nursing & Health Sciences (BRCN) offers a joint Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Care program in partnership with Culver-Stockton College, www.culver.edu and Quincy University, www.quincy.edu. The program allows students to learn the skills needed to provide therapeutic and diagnostic services to patients with heart and lung disorders.

Students:

- Complete respiratory care general education and prerequisite courses on one of the partner campuses
- Begin respiratory courses as well as clinical experiences on the BRCN Campus the sophomore year
- Practice skills at our Simulation Center
- Complete over 900 hours of hands-on clinical experiences

Admissions Requirements:

Freshmen need:

- ≥ 22 ACT/1100 SAT or higher (Currently Waived)
- Minimum high school GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale

Transfers need:

- 22 ACT/1100 SAT or higher (Currently Waived)
- ≥ 2.7 on a 4.0 scale cumulative and prerequisite GPA
- Completion of the following prerequisites (with a grade of ≥ C-):
 - * English Composition I
 - * Introduction to Psychology
 - * Developmental/Lifespan/Child Psychology
 - * Human Anatomy & Physiology I with Lab
 - * Human Anatomy & Physiology II with Lab

How to apply:

Begin by submitting the following materials to the partner school of choice:

- Partner school application and BRCN application
- Official ACT or SAT scores (Optional)
- Official high school transcripts

Once accepted at the partner school, BRCN will review the student file and grant acceptance. Students will take general education and prerequisite courses at the partner school. After successfully completing the freshman year, students will start respiratory classes and clinical experiences the sophomore year at BRCN.

For additional questions, visit our website at www.brcn.edu or contact us at admissions@brcn.edu









