



RT Transfers & AS to BS

- RT @ OSU does not have a separate program for RTs with associate degrees.
- Students interested in majoring in Respiratory Therapy at OSU and who have respiratory therapy credits from other colleges should apply for admission using the standard application prior to established deadlines. The same admission criteria apply to all applicants.
- Students who have earned credits in Respiratory Therapy from accredited collegiate programs will receive transfer credit and may earn additional credit by examination for academic courses or by documentation of equivalent clinical experiences, either in school or on-the-job.
- The number of credits needed to earn a bachelor's degree in RT @ OSU is 199-quarter hours. To earn any degree from OSU, students must earn at least 45 credits through regular course enrollment at OSU, and to major in Respiratory Therapy students must earn at least 33 credits in Respiratory Therapy.

RT Courses via Transfer

Courses will transfer as these OSU equivalents, if courses were completed < 3 years ago and if the student is in active practice; or equivalency evaluation would be applied.

- RT 320 (4) Components of Respiratory Health
- RT 400 (6) Basic Respiratory Care
- RT 410 (4) Introduction to Clinical Respiratory Care
- RT 595 (1) Introduction to RT
- RT 489.2 (3) Clinical Experience: Phase I
- RT 489.3 (3) Clinical Experience: Phase II

RT Courses via Evaluation

Credit by examination (EM) may be earned for these courses as a result of equivalency testing or documented clinical experiences.

- RT 420 (3) Pulmonary Rehabilitation and Continuing Care
- RT 430 (3) Pulmonary Function Testing
- RT 450 (3) Arterial Blood Gas Analysis
- RT 475 (4) Mechanical Ventilation
- RT 476 (3) Mechanical Ventilators
- RT 480 (2) Respiratory Disease
- RT 489.4 (9) Clinical Experience Phase III
- RT 595 (1) Careers in Respiratory Therapy

RT Courses via Enrollment

These courses comprise some of the required 45 credits earned through regular course enrollment at OSU

- RT 489.5 (2) Clinical Experience: Phase IV
- RT 500 (5) Neonatal and Pediatric Respiratory Therapy
- RT 515 (5) Intensive Respiratory Care
- RT 520 (3) Administration of Respiratory Therapy Services
- RT 525 (3) Teaching in Respiratory Therapy
- RT 589 (4) Advanced Clinical Practice
- RT 593 (8) Individual Studies in Respiratory Therapy
- RT 600 (3) Fundamentals of Respiratory Care Research

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