

Respiratory Therapy

2009-10 RT @ OSU Senior Bank

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OSU Respiratory Therapy Class of 2010

Scroll down to see what some Senior RT students are saying about RT @ OSU.

They have volunteered to discuss their RT education, their academic and clinical experiences, and their career options with students who are considering enrollment in the OSU RT program.

For a student perspective on RT @ OSU, we encourage interested students to contact them by e-mail. To request their addresses, contact [RT @ OSU](#)

Hanan: Respiratory Therapy @ OSU educates students with a much broader scope of practice and with instructors who are experts in the field of Respiratory Therapy. They help us learn in a unique manner with their great clinical and in-class experiences, and as a role model for RT students. There are a variety of areas in a health care where you can work as a Respiratory Therapist, and clinicals at OSU help you to discover all those crucial RT roles. Respiratory Therapy is a field, where you have to be ready to face everyday a new challenge, and it has also a satisfactorily approach as you help people breathe better!!!

Leah: So far, this major has been nothing I expected, but everything I hoped it would be. What I mean is, I have a ton of opportunities to explore once I graduate. It may seem like a pretty specific major, which it is, but there is so much more to it than that! Besides, the instructors are great, they know you by name and stay very involved with how you are doing in your coursework... they want to see you succeed and will do pretty much anything to help you. The people in my class are a great group of people that I would have not met otherwise, and I have formed friendships that will last for a long time. All in all, this is one of the best decisions I have made for my future.

Lacey: My time in the OSU RT program has definitely been worth it. The professors, instructors and preceptors are so supportive and resourceful. They are always adding new experiences and are always willing to answer questions.

Donica: The Respiratory Therapy program at Ohio State has created a challenging and extremely rewarding experience. The opportunity to have actual patient contact begins early in the program which lets you connect skills learned in class to the clinical setting with confidence. The small class size allows relationships to build amongst classmates and the faculty, and everyone supports each other to succeed. The faculty is extremely dedicated to its students and strives to provide us with the best education and experience. I love being part of the program!

Derik: RT at OSU is a good choice not only because it prepares you for a great career but because it exposes you to a great deal of experience even before graduation. Without the personalized teaching and the willingness of the instructors to go out of their way to help you understand the subject matter, RT at OSU wouldn't be the best. Wherever I end up after graduation, I know that I will be ready and will have a lot of meaningful relationships (and contacts) that I have formed during my time here.

Amber: One great thing about RT at OSU is the hands-on experiences you get to have in the hospital. You are exposed to patients from the very beginning, allowing you to build up confidence in working with them. The time spent in the hospital setting is also great because you become familiar in that type of environment.

