

# ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE IN RESPIRATORY THERAPY TO BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN RESPIRATORY CARE

**KENT STATE'S RESPIRATORY CARE PROGRAM IS FULLY OFFERED ONLINE**

Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Notes on Transfer Coursework to Kent State
<b>Semester One: [15 Credit Hours] Eastern Gateway Community College</b>			
BIO107 Human Anatomy and Physiology I ▲	4		BSCI 21010 (KBS, KLAB)
MTH120 College Algebra	4		MATH 11010 (KMCR)
RES101 Introduction to Respiratory ▲	4		RTT 1X000
RES103 Cardiopulmonary Pharmacology ▲	2		RTT 1X000
CSS106 Succeeding in College	1		TRAN 1X000
<b>Semester Two: [15 Credit Hours] Eastern Gateway Community College</b>			
BIO108 Human Anatomy and Physiology II ▲	4		BSCI 21020
RES102 Basic Respiratory Therapeutics ▲	4		RTT 1X000
RES104 Practicum I ▲	2		RTT 1X000
RES107 Cardiopulmonary/ Renal Anatomy/ Physiology ▲	5		RTT 1X000
<b>Semester Three: [10 Credit Hours] Eastern Gateway Community College</b>			
ENG101 English Composition I	3		ENG 11011 (KCP1)
RES105 Cardiopulmonary ▲	2		RTT 1X000
RES106 Directed Practice I ▲	2		RTT 1X000
SOC205 Social Problems	3		SOC 22778 (KSS) (DIVG)
<b>Semester Four: [12 Credit Hours] Eastern Gateway Community College</b>			
RES201 Critical Care I ▲	4		RTT 2X000
RES202 Cardiopulmonary Pathology ▲	2		RTT 2X000
RES203 Practicum II ▲	3		RTT 2X000
PSY101 General Psychology ▲	3		PSYC 11762 (KSS) (DIVD)
<b>Semester Five: [13 Credit Hours] Eastern Gateway Community College</b>			
HSC122 ACLS Advanced Cardiac Life Support	1		HED 1X000
HSC123 PALS Advanced Cardiac Life Support	1		HED 1X000
RES204 Critical Care II ▲	4		RTT 2X000
RES205 Respiratory Seminar ▲	1		RTT 2X000
RES206 Practicum III ▲	3		RTT 2X000
COM101 Public Speaking	3		COMM 15000 (KADL)
<b>65 Total Credit Hours to Graduate with the AAS Degree from Eastern Gateway Community College</b>			

HSC101 Medical Terminology is recommended prior to the first semester that the student is enrolled in the program.

Student must have or must obtain current Health Provider BCLS and BBP certification. The BCLS card must be valid/current through the duration of program enrollment. See course descriptions for prerequisites and co-requisites.

▲Student must obtain a letter grade of P (pass), or C or better in all courses with this symbol (see Respiratory Therapy Handbook) to progress to graduation/certification.

Students must have a current BCI/FBI Background Check

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<b>Semester Five: [12 Credit Hours] Kent State University</b>			
LIB 30010 Information Fluency in the Workplace and Beyond	3	■	
ENG 21011 College Writing II	3		(KCP2) @ENG102
Kent Core Humanities or Fine Arts*	3		@ (KHUM/KFA)
Kent Core Basic Science	3		@ (KBS)
<b>Semester Six: [12 Credit Hours] Kent State University</b>			
RSPC 30002 Leadership and Management in Respiratory Care	3	■	
RSPC 30004 Educational Instruction in Respiratory Care	3	■	
Kent Core Humanities or Fine Arts*	3		@ (KHUM/KFA)
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<b>Summer: [12 Credit Hours] Kent State University</b>			
RSPC 30000 Professional Practice in Respiratory Care	3	■	
RSPC 30006 Sleep Medicine and Polysomnography	3	■	
Kent Core Additional	3		@
Statistics Elective	3		@ MTH 128 equates to MATH 10041
<b>Semester Seven: [12 Credit Hours] Kent State University</b>			
NURS 46000 Healthcare Policy	3	■	
RSPC 40006 Contemporary Issues and Trends in Respiratory Care	3	■	
RSPC 40008 Chronic Disease Management Principles	3	■	
Upper Division Elective	3	■	
<b>Semester Eight: [12 Credit Hours] Kent State University</b>			
RSPC 40075 Information and Patient Care Technology for Professional Practice	3	■	
RSPC 40002 Research Development in Respiratory Care ▲	3	■	(WIC)
RSPC 40004 Advanced Practice in Respiratory Care	3	■	
RSPC 41092 Practicum for Respiratory Care	3	■	(ELR)
<b>125 Total Credit Hours to Graduate with the BS, including transfer coursework, from Kent State University</b>			

@ Course may be taken at Eastern Gateway Community College and transferred to Kent State. However, please be aware of [Kent State's residence policy](#), which can be found in the Kent State University Catalog.

\* Minimum one course must be selected from the Humanities in Arts and Sciences area (KHUM), and minimum one course must be selected from the Fine Arts area (KFA).

To be able to register for Respiratory Care (RSPC) courses, students must be admitted to professional study. Admission is a selective process. Criteria for admission are the following:

- Official transcript of associate degree
- Evidence of earned CRT or RRT credential
- Evidence of current active license to practice respiratory therapy
- Minimum C grade in PSYC 11762 (or equivalent)

Requirements to graduate with the BS degree program: To graduate, students must have minimum 120 credits hours, 39 upper-division credits hours of coursework, a minimum 2.00 major GPA and minimum 2.00 cumulative GPA. They must also fulfill an approved experiential learning experience, a two-course diversity requirement (domestic and global), complete a writing intensive course with a minimum C (2.000) grade. More specific graduation requirement information can be found in the Academic Policies section of the Kent State University Catalog ([www.kent.edu/catalog](http://www.kent.edu/catalog)).

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It is recommended that students intending to pursue the Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Care through Kent State University consult with academic advisors at both Eastern Gateway Community College and Kent State University.

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