

SELECTIVE ADMISSION CRITERIA
Hazard Community & Technical College

Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program

The overall criteria of each applicant will be considered and assigned a point value as indicated below:

I. ACT

Minimum Score for preference: ACT Composite of 21

<u>ACT Scores</u>	<u>Points</u>
30-36	7
25-29	6
23-24	5
21-22	4

Preference may be given to:

1. Applicants with an ACT composite score of 21 or above.
2. Applicants who have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better (4 point scale) in 12 hours of college credit applicable to the Diagnostic Medical Sonography Program.
3. Applicants who have completed the biological and physical sciences course with a grade of “C” or better.
4. Applicants who have graduated or are graduate eligible from a two-year accredited Allied Health program or have the minimum of an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) Degree in a clinically related field.

II. Cumulative GPA:

*Applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better in 10 or more college hours applicable to the program.

<u>GPA</u>	<u>Points</u>
3.75 - 4.00	4
3.50 - 3.74	3
3.25 – 3.49	2
3.00 – 3.24	1
< 3.00	0

*Cumulative GPA is calculated based on all post-secondary course work, including transfer credits from all post-secondary institutions.

III. Biological Science and Physical Science Courses:

Completed courses with a grade of “B” will receive 2 points each and completed courses with a grade of “A” will receive 3 points.

Nine (9) points maximum for completion of the following science courses:

BIO 137 (BSL 110) / BIO 139 (BSL 111);
PHY 152 / PH 171 or courses greater than PH 171.

IV. Allied Health Program Graduates (Associate of Applied Science):

Applicants who have graduated or are graduate eligible from a two-year accredited Allied Health program or have the minimum of an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) Degree in a clinically related field will receive 8 points. A copy of the applicant’s current license must be submitted to receive points. Applicants who have completed a two-year Associate of Applied Science Degree from an accredited Allied Health program or pending graduation from an accredited Allied Health program must submit a letter documenting completion date from the program coordinator/director.

NOTE: A total of 28 possible points.