

## Technology Delivered Degrees/Weber State University AS, Respiratory Therapy

Department Advisor:           AreaCode/Phone           Name    Email  
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*Program Description:* This program is designed for those seeking involvement in diagnosis, treatment, management, education and long-term care of patients with cardiopulmonary problems. Respiratory care practitioners are competent in basic patient care and assessment. This degree may feed into the Bachelors of Science in respiratory therapy.

*Admission Requirements:* High school diploma or equivalent. Must be N.B.R.C. credentialed as a Certified Respiratory Therapist (C.R.T.) with a minimum GPA of 2.75. Placement test scores will be needed for Math and English classes. Students may have to take preparatory classes to meet requirements for certain classes.

*Graduation Requirements:* A minimum of 60 semester credit hours with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0. Must fulfill WSU's general education requirements. Advanced-level students (RRT-eligible) must complete 2,000 hours of clinical experience in respiratory care prior to graduation. Students must take at least 20 credits from WSU.

*Real Time Requirements:* None.

*Delivery Formats Used/Semesters Delivered:* WSU offers classes online. See grid below for details or visit <http://wsuonline.weber.edu>

Required Courses						
Course Number	Course Title	Cr Hr	GenEd Status	Delivery Format	Semesters Offered	Prerequisites
<i>Prerequisite Courses</i>						
Quantitative Literacy Courses -- QL 1030, QL 1040 OR QL 1050						
ENGL 1010	Introduction to Writing	3		I, IS		
HTH SCI 2230 OR	Introductory Pathophysiology	3				Anatomy & Physiology
MICRO LS1153	Elementary Public Health	3	LS			
COMM 1050 OR	Introduction to Interpersonal and Small Group Communications	3	HU			
COMM 1020	Principles of Public Speaking	3	HU	I		
PSYCH 1010 OR	Introduction to Psychology	3	SS	I, IS		
PSYCH 2000	Interpersonal Relationships	3	SS	I, IS		
HLTH SCI 1110/1111 OR	Biomedical Core	8		I, IS		
Introductory courses in Human Anatomy & Physiology, Chemistry, and Microbiology						
<i>Respiratory Therapy (25 Credit Hours)</i>						
RES THY 3210	Adv Cardiopulmonary Anat/Phys	2		IS		
RES THY 3220	Adv Cardiopulmonary Patho	2		IS		
RES THY 3230	Adv Cardiopulmonary Tech	2		I, IS		
RES THY 3260	Neonatal & Pediatric Resp Care	2		IS		
RES THY 3270	Adult Critical Care	2		IS		
RES THY 3280	Patient Care Cont./Quality Mgmt	3		IS		
RES THY 3760	Neonatal & Pediat Resp Care/Clinical	4		IS		RESTHY 3260 co-req
RES THY 3770	Adult Critical Care/ Clinical	4		IS		RESTHY 3270 co-req
RES THY 3780	Clinical Applications	2		IS		RESTHY 3280 co-req
RES THY 3900	Clinical Simulations Seminar	2	IR			

**LEGEND General Education Status:** C – Composition AI – American Institutions QR – Quantitative Reasoning FA – Fine Arts SS – Social Science H – Humanities LS & PS – Life and Physical Science IR – Institutional Requirement **Delivery Format:** I – Internet IS – Independent Study **Semesters:** S – Spring U – Summer F – Fall O – Open Entry/Open Exit ALL – Generally offered all semesters ARR -- Offered at least once every three years, more frequently depending on demand; see advisor for current annual schedule.

