Lake Region State College

Admission to the Medical Laboratory Technician Program

Admission to the LRSC MLT program is on a competitive basis. The following are perquisites for consideration for Admission to the Medical Laboratory Technician Program:

Program Requirement	Description
Cumulative GPA	Applicants must have a cumulative GPA of **2.0 or higher**. High school GPA is used unless the student has completed **12 or more college-level credits**, in which case the **college GPA** will be used.
Required Course Grades	All required college courses must be completed with a grade of **2.0 (C) or higher**. No required course may have a grade below **2.0 (C)**. • If a student repeats a required science course or previous nursing course, a grade of **2.0 (C) or higher must be achieved on the first repeat**. • An appeal process may be available if a student has failed science courses more than **two times**. • Critical courses completed more than **7 years prior to program application must be repeated**, including **Anatomy and Physiology II**
College Math Readiness	Applicants must meet **one** of the following: 1. Complete a developmental math course (ASC 093 or another qualifying prerequisite math course) with a grade of **Satisfactory** or **C or higher**. 2. Complete a higher-level math course, such as **MATH 103 College Algebra**. 3. Earn qualifying **ACT, SAT, or Accuplacer** scores (taken within the past two years). – **Accuplacer (College Algebra):** 255 or higher – **ACT (Math):** 21 or higher – **ACT Aspire (Math):** 431 or higher – **SAT (Math):** 530 or higher
English Language Proficiency	A sufficient level of English proficiency is required for academic success in the Medical Laboratory Technician (MLT) Program and for patient safety. Applicants whose primary language is not English (including international and U.S. residents) or who have not attended four years of U.S. high school and earned a high school GPA of **3.0 or higher** must meet additional English language proficiency requirements. These requirements must be satisfied before the application can be considered for admission.
Disclosed Information	Applicants must disclose additional information at the time of application, including: • Any previous dismissals and/or suspensions from institutions of higher education (community college, college, or university) or from other MLS/MLT programs prior to application. • The applicant's ability to meet the Essential Functions (Technical Standards) required for the Medical Laboratory Technician Program. • Failure to complete the application accurately and fully will result in the application not being considered and may result in denial of admission.
Admission Application	Applicants must be accepted to **Lake Region State College** and submit a completed **Medical Laboratory Technician (MLT) Program application** by the published deadline.

Applications Open December 5th

Early Application Deadline: February 1st (notified of acceptance by March 1st)

Final Application Deadline (if space is available): October 1st (notified of acceptance by Nov. 1st)

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Checklist for the Medical Laboratory Technician Program

☐Complete an application for admission to Lake Region State College

☐Complete the electronic application for the Medical Laboratory Technician Program

☐Provide proof of College Readiness (GED, ACT, Accuplacer) or College Transcripts

☐If required by English or a Second Language (ESL) applicants, TOEL/Duolingo exam results

Incomplete applications cannot be processed and will be declined.

After you are accepted into the Program, the program administrator will be sending you information on how to enroll in **CastleBranch** which is a software program that will guide you through completing a Background Check and Drug Screen as well as keeping track of the required immunizations for the MLT Program. The total cost is **$210.00**

Required Immunizations once you are admitted to the LRSC MLT Program:

- **Measles, Mumps & Rubella** vaccine x2 or positive blood titer or repeat series
- **Varicella (Chicken Pox)** vaccine x2 or positive blood titer or repeat series
- **Hepatitis B** x3 or positive anti-HBS titer or repeat series
- Influenza (Flu)
    - to be administered between September 1st - November 1st of the current flu season
- **Tuberculosis (TB)** Negative reading of 2-step tuberculosis test within the past 12 months or QuantiFERON Gold blood test or T-Spot blood test
- **Tetanus, Diphtheria & Pertussis (Tdap)** History of one Tdap. Tetanus within the last 10 years
- Other immunizations may be required by clinical affiliates.