

# Enrollment Process

## Follow these simple instructions to get started at Bergen Community College

[www.bergen.edu/getstarted](http://www.bergen.edu/getstarted)

### 1. Admissions - [www.bergen.edu/admissions](http://www.bergen.edu/admissions)

Submit a completed application either online or by paper (**both are free**). Be sure to include a valid e-mail address, and indicate a Major Field of Interest (use "General Curriculum" programs if you are "Undecided"). Send all of your supporting documents including high school and previous college transcripts. If you apply online, you may check your status online after 48 business hours. If you have applied for a competitive Health Profession Program, you must wait until the stated deadline to receive a response. Your official letter of acceptance will arrive by mail, along with paperwork that must be completed for the Health Services office, [www.bergen.edu/healthservices](http://www.bergen.edu/healthservices).

Transfer students may visit [www.bergen.edu/transfertobcc](http://www.bergen.edu/transfertobcc) for details on transferring to Bergen from another college or university.

### 2. Financial Aid - [www.bergen.edu/financialaid](http://www.bergen.edu/financialaid)

Remember to apply for all Federal and State Financial Aid online using the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Assistance) official website, [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov).

### 3. Testing Services - [www.bergen.edu/testing](http://www.bergen.edu/testing)

Testing Services will contact you by e-mail - so remember to check your SPAM filter. If you do not hear from Testing Services within 2 weeks of submitting your application, please contact them directly at **(201) 447-7202**. Plan to take your exam at least 2 weeks before you register. REMEMBER TO KEEP YOUR RESULTS! You also may obtain test waiver forms through the testing website if you have previously taken college-level English or math, or if you have a Math SAT of 530 or higher, or a Critical Reading SAT of 540 or higher. It is strongly advised that you prepare for this exam by studying. Study guides are available on the testing website.

### 4. Academic Advising and Registration - [www.bergen.edu/advising](http://www.bergen.edu/advising)

At this workshop you will learn what classes to take and how to register for them. Students then may register online using WebAdvisor, [go.bergen.edu](http://go.bergen.edu) ([www.bergen.edu/registration](http://www.bergen.edu/registration)). Schedules, registration dates, bills and grades will be distributed through your online account on WebAdvisor.

### 5. Bill Payment - [www.bergen.edu/bursar](http://www.bergen.edu/bursar)

Tuition bills can be paid through WebAdvisor or in person in Room A-229. Remember to pay by the assigned due date so your classes do not get dropped for non-payment.

### 6. Orientation - [www.bergen.edu/studentlife](http://www.bergen.edu/studentlife)

Orientation is a great way to become acquainted with the campus and learn your classroom locations. You will also learn more about the College's procedures and meet faculty, staff and other students. All new students are encouraged to attend.

#### Parking Decal, Student ID Card, and Student Email

Students may obtain their parking decal and student ID card during orientation by bringing a paid copy of their bill to the Public Safety office. Students may park in Lots A (lower and specified section of upper) B, C, D, E, F and a specified area in lot G. People with handicapped stickers may park in designated areas. Students may obtain their student email address by visiting [www.bergen.edu/studentemailsignup](http://www.bergen.edu/studentemailsignup).

- The Office of Specialized Services provides academic accommodations and support services for students with disabilities. For more information, visit [www.bergen.edu/oss](http://www.bergen.edu/oss). Students with hearing loss interested in programs through the Center for Collegiate Deaf Education, please visit [www.bergen.edu/ccde](http://www.bergen.edu/ccde). Deadlines to submit documentation for accommodation eligibility: Fall Semester-August 1, Spring Semester-December 1, Summer- before session starts.
- International F-1 visa students must visit [www.bergen.edu/isc](http://www.bergen.edu/isc), or email [intadmissions@bergen.edu](mailto:intadmissions@bergen.edu) for further assistance and deadline dates.

## Other Important Websites

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| ✓ Academic Counseling – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/CAPSS">www.bergen.edu/CAPSS</a>        | ✓ Educational Opportunity Fund (EOF) – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/eof">www.bergen.edu/eof</a>    |
| ✓ Athletics – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/athletics">www.bergen.edu/athletics</a>          | ✓ Library – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/library">www.bergen.edu/library</a>                       |
| ✓ Career & Transfer Counseling – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/coop">www.bergen.edu/coop</a> | ✓ NJ STARS Scholarship – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/njstars">www.bergen.edu/njstars</a>          |
| ✓ Catalogs – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/catalogs">www.bergen.edu/catalogs</a>             | ✓ Registration Office – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/registration">www.bergen.edu/registration</a> |
| ✓ Child Dev. Center – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/cdc">www.bergen.edu/cdc</a>              | ✓ Specialized Services – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/oss">www.bergen.edu/oss</a>                  |
| ✓ Directions – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/directions">www.bergen.edu/directions</a>       | ✓ Student Life – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/studentlife">www.bergen.edu/studentlife</a>          |
| ✓ Distance Learning – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/dlearning">www.bergen.edu/dlearning</a>  | ✓ Tutoring Center – <a href="http://www.bergen.edu/tutoring">www.bergen.edu/tutoring</a>             |

Want to visit us? Go to [www.bergen.edu/tours](http://www.bergen.edu/tours)

**Need Help? Contact us**

Before you apply, email the Office of Student Recruitment: [smartstart@bergen.edu](mailto:smartstart@bergen.edu)

After you apply, email the Office of Admissions Records: [admsoffice@bergen.edu](mailto:admsoffice@bergen.edu)

All information is subject to change. Please visit [www.bergen.edu](http://www.bergen.edu) for the most up-to-date information.

# Academic Programs

## Transfer (A.A. & A.S.) Programs

Transfer programs include a course of study that corresponds to the freshman and sophomore offerings at most colleges and universities and are designed primarily for students planning to transfer into a baccalaureate degree program. In recent years, Bergen has worked to simplify the transfer process by signing articulation agreements with colleges and universities in New Jersey and throughout the U.S. [www.bergen.edu/artifacts](http://www.bergen.edu/artifacts)

### Associate in Arts (A.A.) Degree Liberal Arts

#### Options:

#### General Curriculum (Undecided)

Cinema Studies  
Communication Arts  
Economics  
Global Studies  
History  
Literature  
Philosophy  
Political Science  
Psychology  
Religion  
Social Sciences  
Sociology  
Women's Studies  
World Languages and Cultures

### Associate in Arts (A.A.) Degree Fine and Performing Arts

#### Options:

#### Art (General)

#### Music Arts

#### General

#### Theatre Arts

#### General

Dance  
Acting  
Technical Production

#### Cinema Studies

### Associate in Science (A.S.) Degree Natural Sciences or Mathematics

#### Options:

#### General Curriculum

Biology  
Biotechnology  
Chemistry  
Computer Science  
Mathematics  
Physics

### Associate in Science (A.S.) Option in Engineering Science

#### Engineering

### Associate in Science (A.S.) Degree Professional Studies

#### Options:

#### General Curriculum

#### Broadcasting

#### Business Administration—General

Business Administration—Accounting  
Business Administration—Hospitality Management  
Business Administration—International Trade  
Business Administration—Management  
Business Administration—Marketing  
Business Administration—NonProfit Management  
Criminal Justice  
Education  
Exercise Science  
Information Technology  
Journalism  
Labor Studies  
Music Business  
Music Technology  
Social Work

## Career (A.A.S.) Programs

Career programs emphasize training needed to enter a chosen field of employment. Designed for students planning to begin a career immediately after receiving an associate degree, career programs are available in various technologies, health sciences, human services, and business. Graduates of these programs work as technicians, accountants, paralegals, legal nurse consultants, law enforcement officers, commercial artists, nurses, and professionals in local and nationwide organizations.

### Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) Degree

#### Art

Computer Animation  
Graphic Design/Computer Graphics

#### Business Administration

Accounting  
Banking and Finance  
E-Business Management  
Management Information Systems  
Paralegal Studies

#### Business Technologies

#### Hotel/Restaurant/Hospitality

Catering/Banquet Management  
Hospitality Management  
Culinary Entrepreneurship  
Event Planning and Management

#### Information Technology

Database Programming and Admin.  
Networking Administration  
Web Development and Mgmt.

#### Office Technology

#### \*Health Professions (see back for details)

Dental Hygiene  
Diagnostic Medical Sonography  
Health Science (For current professionals)  
Medical Office Assistant  
Radiography  
Respiratory Therapy  
Veterinary Technology

#### Human Services

Correctional Studies  
Career Ladder Education/Child Development  
Early Childhood Education  
Law Enforcement Studies

#### Industrial and Design Technologies

Drafting and Design Technology  
Electronics Technology  
General Engineering Technology  
Manufacturing Technology  
Technical Studies

#### Medical Informatics

#### Music Business

#### \*Nursing (see back for details)

Full-time Day Program (Fall entrance only)  
Part-time Evening Program  
(Spring entrance only)  
LPN/ADN Career Mobility Track

#### Recording Technology

#### Science Technology

Environmental Technology  
Horticulture  
Horticulture Design/Build  
Science Laboratory Technology

#### Software Development

Game Programming  
Game Testing

## One-Year Certificate Programs and Certificates of Achievement

Certificates award recognition to students who successfully complete a program of specialized courses in a specific discipline. These courses prepare a student for a specific occupation or job responsibility or encompass a specialized body of knowledge in the arts or sciences.

### One-Year Certificate Programs

Computer Aided Drafting (CAD)  
Computer Animation  
Computer Graphics  
Computer Science  
Computer Technical Support  
Culinary Arts  
Culinary Science  
Database Programming & Administration  
E-Commerce: Business Emphasis  
Environmental Technology  
Event Planning and Management  
Exercise Science  
Floral Design  
Grounds Management  
Hospitality Management  
Labor Studies

Landscaping  
Legal Nurse Consultant  
Medical Office Administrative Assistant  
Music Business  
Music Technology  
Musical Theater  
Office Technology  
Piano Instruction/Pedagogy  
Radiation Therapy Technology  
Small Business Management  
Surgical Technology  
Transfer Studies Certificate:  
Liberal Arts  
Science, Technology and  
Professional Studies  
Vascular Technology  
U.S. Studies

### Certificates of Achievement

Accounting Assistant  
Baking  
Biotechnology  
Commercial Music Production  
Environmental Technology  
Geographic Information Systems (GIS)  
Machine Tooling  
Manufacturing Design  
Professional Cooking  
Business Paraprofessional Management  
Career Ladder Education/Child Development  
Real Estate  
Special Imaging for Radiologic Technologists  
Catering  
Commercial Music Production  
Finance

Fire Science  
Forensic Science  
Homeland Security  
Hospitality Operations  
Labor Studies  
Marketing Assistant  
Network Security  
Nonprofit Management  
Private Security  
Quality Assurance  
Retailing  
Sports Management  
Sports Merchandising

**Degree and Certificate programs and courses are subject to change. Please visit [www.bergen.edu](http://www.bergen.edu) for the most current information.**

**\* Health Professions and Nursing programs are competitive and do not feature open enrollment. All requirements can be found online at [www.bergen.edu/hprequirements](http://www.bergen.edu/hprequirements) and sessions about these programs can be found at [www.bergen.edu/tours](http://www.bergen.edu/tours)**

# Bergen Community College Application for Admission

Mail this application along with any supporting documentation to:

Office of Admissions Records, Bergen Community College, 400 Paramus Road, Paramus, New Jersey 07652-1595

## Please print or type

First Name  M.I.  Last Name

Other Name/s Used

Street Address

City  State  Zip Code  County

Day Phone  -  -  Evening Phone  -  -

\*Social Security Number  -  -  \*Date of Birth  /  /   
(if you plan to apply for loans or any type of financial aid, you must include your social security number and date of birth)

\*Required E-Mail   
(required for Web Advisor/grades)

We collect the following information to meet research and federal reporting requirements: (optional)

**Ethnicity:** Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic or Latino? ☐ Yes ☐ No  
Select one or more of the following racial categories to describe yourself:  
☐ White ☐ American Indian or Alaskan Native ☐ Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  
☐ Asian ☐ Black or African-American

**Sex:** ☐ Male  
☐ Female

## I want to start Bergen in:

- ☐ Fall (September-December) Year \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Spring (January-May) Year \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Winterim (January non-degree only) Year \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Summer (non-degree only) Year \_\_\_\_\_

## Academic Program of Interest (Major):

☐ AA / ☐ AS / ☐ AAS / ☐ CERT/COA

### (Office Use Only)

Code: \_\_\_\_\_

## Admit Status:

- ☐ New (no previous college)  
☐ Transfer  
☐ Returning BCC student  
Is this your second degree at BCC? ☐ Yes ☐ No  
☐ High School Dual Enrollment

## Which statement below is your most important educational objective for attending Bergen Community College?

I plan to: (Check only one)

- ☐ Earn an Associate's Degree and transfer to 4-year college  
☐ Earn an Associate's Degree and begin career immediately  
☐ Earn credits & transfer to 4-year college without earning Associate's  
☐ Earn a Certificate  
☐ Attend as visiting student and transfer credits to home college  
☐ Develop job skills without earning degree/certificate  
☐ Learn for self-improvement without completing degree/certificate

## Citizenship:

Country of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

☐ U.S. Citizen

☐ Permanent Resident. Enter your Alien Registration Number A- \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Language \_\_\_\_\_

Length of Time Living in U.S. \_\_\_\_\_

## If you are not a US Citizen or Permanent Resident, please complete the following (required to process application):

Are you in the U.S. now? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, tell us your current visa type: \_\_\_\_\_

If no, do you need a Form I-20 from BCC to apply for an F-1 visa? ☐ Yes ☐ No

### For all visa holders currently in the US,

when does your current visa status expire? \_\_\_\_\_

### For F-1 students in the US only:

If you are attending a school in the U.S., and plan to transfer your SEVIS record to BCC, please write the name of the school that issued you an I-20  
\_\_\_\_\_

F-1 visiting students (Summer or Winter session, or concurrently enrolled students only) check here. ☐

**Note:** F-1 students must submit financial and immigration documentation before being issued an I-20.

See [www.bergen.edu/isc](http://www.bergen.edu/isc) for a complete list of required documents.

# Bergen Community College Application for Admission

**Financial Assistance** U.S. citizens and permanent residents only. In order to be eligible for financial aid, you must be admitted into a degree program. Students must maintain satisfactory academic progress in order to be eligible. For additional information on Financial Aid, visit [www.bergen.edu/financialaid](http://www.bergen.edu/financialaid).

Educational Opportunity Fund (EOF) is a financial and academic support program. For additional information, visit [www.bergen.edu/eof](http://www.bergen.edu/eof)

Do you believe you are eligible for the New Jersey Educational Opportunity Fund Program (EOF)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you plan to apply for financial aid? ☐ Yes ☐ No  
(Social Security number required to receive financial assistance. Visit [www.bergen.edu/financialaid](http://www.bergen.edu/financialaid) for details.)

Are you a veteran? ☐ Yes ☐ No If you are a veteran, you may be eligible for educational assistance.  
(Contact a veteran affairs representative in the Registration Center for details.)

## Residency

Bergen Community College reserves the right to require proof of state and county residency.

Are you presently a Bergen County resident? ☐ Yes ☐ No

## Interests

Are you interested in taking Honors courses? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Would you like to participate in intercollegiate athletics? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you plan to attend

☐ Full time (12 or more credits)? ☐ Part time (less than 12 credits)?

Would you like to receive more information about specialized services?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Would you like to receive more information about the Deaf Center?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you have children between the ages of 2 to 6 years old?

☐ Yes ☐ No

## Educational Background

Are you a high school graduate or soon will be? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "yes" list high school below:

Name of school	City	State	Country	Graduation Date
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If not a high school graduate, do you have a General Educational Development diploma (GED)?

☐ Yes ☐ No What language did you take the GED in? \_\_\_\_\_

► **GED diploma and scores required for Health Professions.**

► **List all colleges, universities or other institutions of higher education previously attended (including BCC):**

Name of Institution	City	State	Dates Attended	Degree Earned

► **Official high school and college transcripts are required if you are seeking transfer credit, if you are applying for Health Professions or Nursing programs, if you are eligible for NJ Stars, or if you are planning to apply for grants and scholarships.**

## Signature

I hereby certify that the above statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that submission of false information may result in dismissal from the College. In addition, upon my enrollment, I will abide by the policies and regulations of the College.

Applicant's Signature (required of all students)

Date

No person acting within the scope of his or her authority and responsibility at Bergen Community College shall discriminate on the basis of color, age, race, creed, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, ancestry, disability, marital or veteran's status.

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# Entrance Requirements For Health Professions

Admission to college programs in health professions is limited to a specific number of candidates each year because of requirements imposed by accrediting agencies and by the availability of faculty, college laboratory, and clinical agency resources. To insure that all applicants are evaluated in the same way, within each discipline, criteria for acceptance have been developed by the School of Health Professions and Student Services. These criteria will be utilized in determining the candidates who will be offered admission. Admission will have a step process: academic eligibility will be determined, as well as a criminal history background check, basic skills testing, and admissions examination for the Dental Hygiene, Nursing, Radiography, Diagnostic Medical Sonography and Veterinary Technology programs.

All eligible candidates for admission to the Dental Hygiene, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Nursing, Radiography and Veterinary Technology programs are required to take a national Nursing/Health Professions standardized admissions examination: the Admissions Assessment Examination by HESI. There is a fee that is payable directly to the examination company. The examination is given off-campus at a testing center. All eligible Dental Hygiene, Diagnostic Sonography, Nursing, Radiography and Veterinary Technology candidates with a clear background report will receive an invitation to take the examination. The invitation will outline all information related to the examination.

If students have not taken the necessary high school prerequisites, the courses can be made up by substituting courses taken at Bergen. These courses must be taken before students apply to Nursing or any Health Professions program. To be considered for most programs, science prerequisites must have been completed within the last five years. Applicable college science courses taken more than ten years ago are not transferable.

All students applying to Health Professions programs must take the basic skills test and successfully complete all remedial coursework prior to application. High school students applying to Dental Hygiene, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Nursing, Radiography and Veterinary Technology programs must sit for the basic skills test prior to being eligible to sit for the Admissions Exam.

A successful candidate for a health professions program at Bergen Community College must possess certain abilities and skills necessary to provide and maintain safe and effective care administered to the patient. The candidate must be able to function on an independent level without any intermediary. These skills and abilities include: observation, communication, motor skills, cognitive and intellectual skills, behavioral and social attributes.

Health Professions students must carry personal medical health insurance, professional liability insurance, and be certified in cardio-pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) by the American Heart Association (Healthcare Provider with AED) or the American Red Cross (Professional Rescue Certification). In addition, all health professions students are required to complete health examination forms upon admission to the program and fulfill the requirement for a yearly Mantoux skin test for tuberculosis.

Students seeking admission to Nursing (Day), Dental Hygiene, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Radiography, Respiratory Therapy and Surgical Technology must submit completed applications including transcripts by February 1 for fall (September) admission. Nursing (Evening) and Veterinary Technology applications are due by October 1, for spring (January) admission.

## Criminal History Background Check Requirement

Clinical agencies mandate criminal history background checks for all individuals engaged in patient care, and all students must undergo criminal history background checks before admission may be offered. These checks are conducted by an external company, and the information is sent to the Dean of Health Professions. All background reports must be clear to be eligible for admission and to be invited to take any Admissions Examination. Any applicant with a background report that is NOT clear will not be eligible for consideration.

# Minimum Entrance Requirements For Health Professions

## DEGREE PROGRAMS

### DENTAL HYGIENE PROGRAM (AAS.HP.DENTL)

Program length: 24 months  
Preadmission Test: Dental Hygiene Admissions Exam  
GPA for admissions eligibility: 2.50  
High School prerequisite courses: Chemistry, with lab; Biology, with lab; Algebra  
College substitutions: BIO109; MAT035; CHM100  
Application Deadline: February 1 of the current year  
Program Admits: Fall semester  
Please Note: High school Biology is waived if college Biology, preferably BIO 109, is successfully completed

### DIAGNOSTIC MEDICAL SONOGRAPHY (AAS.HP.DMS)

Program length: 24 months  
Preadmission Test: Diagnostic Medical Sonography Admissions Exam  
GPA for admissions eligibility: 2.50  
High School prerequisite courses: AP level science; AP level physics; Algebra  
College substitutions: BIO109 (recommended); PHY185; MAT035  
Application Deadline: February 1 of the current year  
Program Admits: Fall semester  
Please Note: This is a regional program that utilizes clinical education centers throughout the state of New Jersey. Students might be required to travel to distant sites and provide their own transportation.

### MEDICAL OFFICE ASSISTANT PROGRAM (AAS.HP.MOA)

Program length: 24 months  
GPA for admissions eligibility: 2.00  
High School prerequisite courses: None  
Application Deadline: There is no deadline date for admission.  
Program Admits: Fall/Spring semester

### RADIOGRAPHY PROGRAM (AAS.HP.RAD)

Program length: 24 months  
Preadmission Test: Radiography Admissions Exam  
GPA for admissions eligibility: 2.50  
High School prerequisite courses: 1 year science (College Placement Bio and Lab); 1 year algebra (Algebra II);  
College substitutions: BIO109; BIO209; MAT035  
Application Deadline: February 1 of the current year  
Program Admits: Fall semester  
Please Note: High school Biology is waived if college Biology, preferably BIO109 is successfully completed.

### RESPIRATORY THERAPY TECHNOLOGY (AAS.HP.RESP)

Program length: 24 months  
GPA for admissions eligibility: 2.00  
High School prerequisite courses: Chemistry with lab; Biology with lab; Math  
College substitutions: BIO109; CHM100; MAT035  
Application Deadline: February 1 of the current year  
Program Admits: Fall semester  
Please Note: High school Biology is waived if college Biology, preferably BIO109 is successfully completed.

### VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY (AAS.HP.VET)

Program length: 24 months  
Preadmission Test: Veterinary Technology Admissions Exam  
GPA for admissions eligibility: 2.00  
High School prerequisite courses: No high school prerequisites  
College substitutions: BIO115; VET102; VET103; CHM112  
Application Deadline: October 1 of the current year  
Program Admits: Spring semester.  
Please Note: Applicants will only be accepted once the pre-requisites stated above have been successfully completed. Applicants are strongly encouraged to meet with a program official regarding application procedures. Travel is required for all students enrolled in this program.

## CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

### MEDICAL OFFICE ASSISTANT PROGRAM (AAS.HP.MOA OR CERT.MOAA)

Program length: 12 months  
GPA for admissions eligibility: 2.00  
High School prerequisite courses: None  
Application Deadline: There is no deadline date for admission.  
Program Admits: Fall/Spring semester.

### RADIATION THERAPY TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM (CERT.RAD.THERAPY)

Program length: 12 months  
GPA for admissions eligibility: 2.50  
Prerequisite courses:  
Registered or registry eligible Radiologic Technologist; two biology, with labs (BIO109 and 209); Algebra/ MAT160; General physics, PHY185. In addition to the above stated requirements, candidates cannot be accepted into the program until at least 2 of the 5 general education courses have been completed: MAT180, MAT250, CIS158, WRT201, COM100. Three of the above listed general education courses may be taken concurrent with the program. Successful completion of all 5 courses is required by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists and the NJ Department of Environmental Protection.  
Application Deadline: February 1 of the current year.  
Program Admits: Fall semester only.  
Please Note: Students who are interested in the program should make an appointment to meet with the coordinator regarding admissions.

### SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM (CERT.SURG)

Program length: 12 months  
GPA for admissions eligibility: 2.00  
High School prerequisite courses: High school graduate, or GED  
College substitutions: none  
Application Deadline: February 1 of the current year  
Program Admits: Fall semester only.

### VASCULAR TECHNOLOGY (CERT.VAS.TECH)

Program length: 12 months  
GPA for admissions eligibility: 2.50  
Admissions Requirement: ARDMS Registry Status. Applicant must be a graduate of a CAAHEP approved sonography program. Students with a bachelor's degree are eligible.  
Application Deadline: February 1 of the current year.  
Program Admits: Fall semester  
Please Note: This is a regional program that utilizes clinical education centers throughout the state of New Jersey. Students might be required to travel to distant sites and provide their own transportation.

### HEALTH SCIENCE PROGRAM (AAS.HP.HLTH.SCI)

Program length: 12 months  
GPA for admissions eligibility: 2.50  
Application Deadline: February 1 of the current year.  
Program Admits: Fall and Spring Semester  
Please Note: Qualified students will be awarded 30 transfer credits. The credits will be applied to the degree in Health Science upon the completion of the curriculum. It is essential to understand that this program does not entitle the graduate eligibility to advanced certification or licensure within the Health Professions discipline.

Students who enter into this program must be aware of the Bergen Community College policy on the number of credits that must be taken at this college. Students enrolled in the AAS degree in health sciences must satisfy the English, Mathematics and Algebra basic skills requirements.

## HEALTH SCIENCE PROGRAM (AAS.HP.HLTH.SCI) CONT'D

Applicant graduated from a program that has acceptable accreditation agencies that is comparable to the College's Health Professions disciplines. Transcripts and credentials will be evaluated by an appointed admissions committee.

## NURSING PROGRAMS

### NURSING DAY PROGRAM (AAS.NURS.DAY)

Program Length: 2 academic years  
Preadmission Test: Nursing Admissions Exam  
GPA Requirement: 2.50  
High School prerequisite courses: Chemistry and Biology with Lab; Algebra  
College substitutions: CHM100, BIO109 and MAT035 or MAT031/032  
Application Deadline: February 1 of the current year for Fall admission  
Program Admits: Fall semester

### NURSING EVENING PROGRAM (AAS.NURS.EVE)

Program Length: 2 academic years  
Preadmission Test: Nursing Admissions Exam  
GPA Requirement: 2.50  
High School prerequisite courses: Chemistry and biology with Lab; Algebra  
College substitutions: CHM100, BIO109 and MAT035 or MAT031/032  
College prerequisite courses: BIO109 and BIO209; WRT101 and WRT201; PSY101 and PSY106; SOC101  
Application Deadline: October 1 of the current year for Spring admission  
Program Admits: Spring semester

### NURSING PROGRAM - MOBILITY LPN TO RN DAY (AAS.NURS.MBL.DAY) (UNDER REVISION)

Program Length: 2 academic years  
Preadmission Test:  
GPA Requirement:  
High School prerequisite courses: Chemistry and Biology with Lab; Algebra  
College substitutions: CHM100, BIO109 and MAT035 or MAT031/032  
College prerequisite courses: BIO109 and BIO209; WRT101 and WRT201; PSY101 and 106; SOC101 Bridge Into Nursing  
Course-registration per permission of Nursing program director  
Application Deadline: Not Available at This Time.  
Please Note: Open only to LPNs with NJ license and one year of work experience.

### NURSING PROGRAM - MOBILITY LPN TO RN EVENING (AAS.NURS.MBL.EVE) (UNDER REVISION)

Program Length:  
Preadmission Test:  
GPA Requirement:  
High School prerequisite courses: Chemistry and Biology with Lab; Algebra  
College substitutions: CHM100, BIO109 and MAT035 or MAT031/032  
College prerequisite courses: BIO109, BIO209 and BIO104; WRT101 and WRT201; PSY101 and 106; SOC101 Bridge Into Nursing Course-registration per permission of Nursing program director  
Application Deadline: Not Available at This Time.  
Please Note: Open only to LPNs with NJ license and one year of work experience.

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