

Selection Process

After careful review of all applicants by the program director and faculty, applicants will be notified of their acceptance (conditional) or nonacceptance into the program via email. Before being fully accepted into any Health Sciences Program, students must complete other requirements. The information to complete the additional requirements will be provided to the students, upon acceptance into the program.

The immunization requirements are mandated by the State of Texas for all Health Science students. The student must complete the following list of immunizations **and other requirements** prior to attending clinical rotations (**by requested deadline**), at the student's expense. Failure to complete the required immunizations **will prevent** the student from participating in clinical rotations. The immunizations and other requirements are as follows:

1. Complete and pass a CBC (criminal background check) and a drug screen, at the student's expense.

2. Complete an American Heart Association (AHA) BLS Health Care Provider CPR course for certification (submit a copy of card as verification).

3. You must show proof of current immunization status. The immunization requirements are mandated by the State of Texas for all Health Science students as part of entry into the program. Failure to complete the required immunizations will prevent the student from participating in clinical rotations. The immunizations consist of:

- a. TB skin test x 2 (one per year)
- b. Tetanus/Diphtheria/Pertussis (DTAP)
- c. Mumps/Measles/Rubella (MMR)
- d. Hepatitis A
- e. Hepatitis B
- f. Varicella
- g. Bacterial Meningitis
- h. Annual Flu shot
- 4. HIV screening test
- 5. The student must provide proof of medical/health insurance coverage to the clinical coordinator prior to attending clinical rotations.
- 6. Completion of an interview with Program Faculty.

Classes begin in the fall semester and enrollment is limited to 20 students.