



### Cardiovascular Technology Echo Program

Students petitioning for the CVT Echo program must meet the following minimum criteria.

#### Qualifying Criteria Rubric

Qualifying Criteria	Criteria met/not met
1. C+ or higher: NATSCI-197	Yes or No
2. Cum. GPA is 2.5 or higher (must include 6 Cr. Hr. from MATC)	Yes or No
3. Completion of the HP entrance exam with a score of 80% or higher	Yes or No

Upon meeting the minimum criteria, the CVT Echo program selection committee will separate the petitioners into 3 groups based on cumulative GPA.

Group 1: students with 3.5 - 4.0 Cumulative GPA; will compose 40% of program capacity

Group 2: students with 3.0 - 3.49 Cumulative GPA; will compose 35% of program capacity

Group 3: students with 2.5 - 2.99 Cumulative GPA; will compose 25% of program capacity

The CVT Echo program selection committee, composed of program faculty, other health program faculty, and a student success liaison will then score the students in each grouping. For example, group 1 students will be rated only against other group 1 students; group 2 students will be rated only against other group 2 students, etc. The scoring will be based on the rubric provided below. Students who achieved the top scores in each group will be selected for entry into the CVT echo program. The number of students selected in each group is based on program capacity. Students not selected are encouraged to re-petition during the next petition window.

After the selection committee has completed the selection process, students will be notified as to their status within 4-5 weeks of the petition window closing.



### Selection Criteria Rubric

Selection Criteria	Points Awarded
1. Grade earned in Microbiology	A= 14 points A- = 12 points B+ = 10 points B= 8 points B- = 6 points
2. The number of times the student has petitioned for admittance to the program.	1x = 10 2x = 20 3x = 35 4x = 50
3. The score earned on the program entrance exam, HPA2	94—100 = 15 90—93 = 13 85—89 = 11 80—84 = 9 79 = and below = 0
Non-traditional (male)	+5 points
Non-Caucasian	+5 points
Veterans	+5 points
In District	+5 points
One year or more of healthcare experience (CNA, phlebotomist, transporter, HUC etc)	+5 points
Proof of job shadow in Echo Lab in cardiology.	+5 points