Surgical First Assist Program Admission Checklist

We are committed to helping you achieve your goals! Follow the steps on this guide to apply for the Surgical First Assist Program. A review of your academic performance and the following requirements are utilized to score your admission placement in the program. Priority acceptance given to students with all requirements completed.

This program offers courses offered online with labs on the Lincoln Campus. See program website for additional information and option details. This program admits new students every Fall semester.

☐ Meet with Faculty Advisor: Schedule an advising appointment contact Cynthia Kreps at 402-437-2785 or ckreps@southeast.edu.

☐ Submit Official Transcripts: Submit official transcripts if applicable showing college coursework completed at a college/university other than SCC, to SCC Admissions Office 8800 O Street Lincoln, NE 68520. Students must receive a grade point average of 2.5 in the science courses listed.
  • Microbiology with Lab
  • Human Anatomy with Lab (within past 10 years)
  • Human Physiology with Lab (within past 10 years)
  • Pathophysiology

☐ Complete Program Professional Awareness Activity: See program website for instructions and forms to submit.

☐ Complete Digital Resume: Using the following link, provide your experiences requested. Paper resumes are not accepted. Digital Resume: https://tinyurl.com/SCC-Digital-Resume

☐ Complete Program Application: Online application link will be available during the application period.
  Fall: February 1 to March 15. Notification of acceptance will be on or after April 15.
  To apply: https://www.southeast.edu/applynow/

☐ Complete Special Program Requirements: Submit the following during the application period. Submit documentation to the Health Sciences Office (Room B4), by fax: 402-437-2592, or email: healthsciences@southeast.edu.
  • Proof of current CPR for Healthcare Providers American Heart Association
  • Complete Student Health Statement (see documentation form on program website)
  • Complete current Tuberculosis two-step skin test (see documentation form on program website)
  • Transcripts showing completion of a CAAHEP Accredited Surgical Technology Program
  • Proof Current National Board of Surgical Technology and Surgical First Assisting certification in Surgical Technology
  • Proof of employment showing 3 years’ experience as surgical technologist along with employer support letter.

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Program Website: https://www.southeast.edu/surgicalfirstassist/

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