**ADMISSION GUIDELINES**

**REQUIREMENTS for Acceptance into Clinical Laboratory Technology:**

1. A completed admission application to the program.
2. An official copy of high school transcript or GED, including date of graduation.
3. Completion of a standardized test (Accuplacer) issued by CCRI through the office of Advising and Counseling is required. Competency of 80 or above is required on the reading comprehension test, or completion of ENGL 0890: Critical Reading, with a grade of B or better. Students may NOT retake the Accuplacer test before completing the course/courses.

All the above requirements must be completed satisfactorily BEFORE an applicant can be offered acceptance. Applicant list standing does not constitute admission into the program. At the time of admission, the student must meet the current admission requirements of the program. Students declining acceptance into the program for the semester offered must reapply to the program and meet the current admission requirements. Once accepted into Clinical Laboratory Technology, the student must attend a mandatory orientation conducted by the Allied Health Department.

*ENGL 1300 may not be substituted for ENGL 1010*

**POLICIES FOR THE CLINICAL LABORATORY TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM FOLLOWING ACCEPTANCE**

- Students will be required to have a criminal background check through the Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) by the college. In compliance with requirements for clinical agencies, anyone who has been convicted of a felony may be unable to attend clinical/field experience. No incident or probation can have occurred within the past five years. Further, applicants convicted of a felony will need to comply with state licensure requirements from the Rhode Island Department of Health and the appropriate national credentialing agency. For more information, contact the Department Chairperson.

- In addition to the above, an applicant must have a physical examination and required immunizations completed prior to beginning the Clinical Laboratory Technology Program.

- Current CPR card (American Heart Association, Health Care Provider level) obtained through an AHA recognized community training center (course is also available at CCRI, HEAL 0200).

**PLEASE NOTE: REQUIREMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

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- If more specific information is needed, contact *Maddie Josephs, Clinical Laboratory Technology Program Director, at 401-333-7144, e-mail mjosephs@ccri.edu*

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