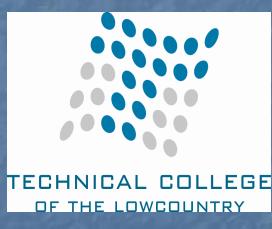
TCL Massage Therapy Program Information







TCL Division of Health Science Program

- Certificate in Health Science
 - Major: Massage Therapy



Massage Therapy Denise Van Nostran, LMT, NCTMB Program Director

- Accredited:
 - Commission on Massage Therapy Accreditation
 - South Carolina Commission on Higher Education
 - Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
- Fall entry only
 - Certificate program
 - 3 semesters (fall, spring, and graduate end of summer)
- Accepts 12-14 students annually
- Eligible for Massage and Bodywork Licensing Examination (MBLEx)



Deadline for Application to Massage Therapy Program

Fall 2017 entryApril 18, 2017



How Do I Begin?

- 1. Apply to the college
 - Building 2 (Coleman Hall) in Beaufort
 - New River Campus in Bluffton
 - Hampton Campus (Mungin Center) in Hampton
 - Online, <u>www.tcl.edu</u>
 - Acceptance to TCL does <u>NOT</u> guarantee acceptance into a health science program
- 2. Have <u>ALL</u> official transcripts sent to college's Beaufort Admissions Office
 - High school or GED certificate
 - All college
- 3. Apply for Financial Aid
 - Complete FAFSA online, <u>www.tcl.edu</u>



I've never been to College!

Placement test – Accuplacer

- 1. Make appointment
 - Testing Center (Building 1, Room 201) Beaufort
 Call 843-470-8400 or email testingcenter@tcl.edu
 - New River Campus in Bluffton, call (843) 470-6002
 - Hampton Campus in Hampton, call (803) 943-4262
- 2. Tests
 - English
 - Math
 - Reading
- 3. Takes at least 2 hours to complete
- 4. Get results immediately
 - Establishes readiness for college courses



I've been to college! Do I need to take the Accuplacer?

If you have grade of a "C" or better in

- College English and college math (algebra) OR
- History/Psychology and college math (algebra)
 you MAY NOT need to take Accuplacer!

Cumulative GPA ≥ 2.25 is required



Is there a time limit for transferring College courses?

Math and Science have a 5 year time limit



What is next?

- Advising appointment
 - **Call** (843) 525-8267



- Bring Placement test results (if applicable)
 - Determine curriculum readiness
 - May need to take college courses to evaluate academic success
- Bring College transcripts (if applicable)
 - Evaluate courses for transfer
 - Need grade point average (GPA) of 2.25 or greater



Application Checklist

- Submit receipt of application payment fee
- Complete health science program checklist
 - Sign application checklist
 - Turn signed application checklist in to your advisor in the Division of Health Sciences for program specific application process

Meet the published application deadline

Let's Wrap It Up! ©



Tie Up the Loose Ends

- 1. Apply to TCL
- Request <u>ALL</u> official transcripts be sent to TCL Admissions office
- 3. Meet with Health Science advisor
- 4. Apply by published deadline



Questions?

Email mosullivan@tcl.edu

Call 843-525-8267 to schedule an appointment

Thank you for your interest in the TCL Massage Therapy Program