

Coalition for Baccalaureate and Graduate Respiratory Therapy Education

ASRT to BSRT & MSRC Degree Advancement Programs*

ASRT: Associate Degree Respiratory Therapist Program

BSRT: Baccalaureate Degree Respiratory Therapist Program

MSRC: Master of Science in Respiratory Care

ASRT to BSRT & MSRC Degree Advancement Programs: Require completion of an ASRT program before entering the BSRT program, the RRT credential is also usually required.

Arkansas

University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences

College of Health Professions

4301 W. Markham/Slot 737

Little Rock, AR 72205

Program Dir: Tom Jones, M.Ed, RRT, CPFT

Medical Dir: Marcia Erbland, MD

Program Types: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof (PT option); **RRT to BSRT (2 tracks, mostly online or independent study)**

Class Cap: 24 (FT); 15 (PT)

Begins: August

Tel: 501-526-4490

Email: tjones4@uams.edu

URL: <http://healthprofessions.uams.edu/programs/respiratorycareandsurgicaltechnology/respiratorycare/>

California

Loma Linda University

Dept. of Cardiopulmonary Sciences

Nichol Hall, Room 1926

Loma Linda, CA 92350

Program Dir: David Stanton, MS, RPFT, RRT-NPS*

Program Dir: David Lopez, EdD, RRT**

Medical Dir: N. Leonard Specht, MD

Program Types: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof,* **ASRT to BSRT (one day/week on campus and online courses)** MSRC**

Class Cap: *20 Begins: September, **10 Begins: each quarter

Tel: 909-558-4932

Email: dstanton@llu.edu

dlopez@llu.edu

URL: <http://www.llu.edu/llu/sahp/cardio/>

Connecticut

Southern Connecticut State University

School of Health and Human Services

501 Crescent Street

OB-1, #103

New Haven, CT 06515

Program Dir: Joan Kreiger, EdD, RRT

Medical Dir: Diana Morgenthaler, MD

Program Types: **ASRT to BSRT (traditional, accelerated, on-line and hybrid courses)**

Class Cap: *20 Begins: August

Tel: 203-392-6963

Email: kreigerj1@southernCT.edu

URL: <https://www.southernct.edu/academics/schools/health/academic-programs/exercisescience/respiratory-care-as-bsrt-program/>

Florida

Nova Southeastern University

College of Health Care Sciences

Respiratory Therapy Program

11501 North Military Trail

Palm Beach Gardens, Florida 33410

Program Dir: Lisa Farach, MS, RRT, RN

Medical Dir: Darren Hoffberger, D.O.

Program Type: **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online)**

Class Cap: N/A

Begins: App deadline 9/1 first start 9/30, four starts/yr

Tel: 561-805-2230

Email: lfarach@nova.edu

URL: <http://www.nova.edu/chcs/rrt/>

Florida Southwestern State College

Cardiopulmonary Sciences

8099 College Pkwy SW

Fort Meyers, Florida 33919

Program Dir: J.B. Elsberry RRT, PhD

Medical Dir: George Mestas, MD, FCCP

Program Type: **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (mostly online)**

Class Cap: none Begins: Applications accepted year-round

Tel: 239-489-9251

Email: jeffrey.elsberry@fsw.edu

URL: <https://www.edison.edu/academics/programs/bscardiopulmonary>

Valencia College

Cardiopulmonary Sciences

1800 S Kirkman Road

Orlando, Florida 32811-2302

Program Dir: Sharon Shenton MA RRT-NPS

Medical Dir: Daniel T. Layish MD FACP FCCP

Program Type: **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (mostly online)**

Class Cap: 24 Begins: Applications accepted year-round

Tel: 407-582-5816

Email: sshenton@valenciacollege.edu

URL: <http://valenciacollege.edu/bachelordegrees/cardiopulmonary-sciences/>

Georgia

Georgia Southern University

11935 Abercorn St.

Savannah, GA, 31419

Program Dir: Douglas E. Masini, EdD, RRT, RPFT, RRT-NPS, AE-C, FAARC

Medical Dir: Stephen L. Morris, M.D.

Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof; **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online)**

Class Cap: 20 Begins: August

Tel: 912-344-2549

Email: dmasini@georgiasouthern.edu

URL: respiratory@georgiasouthern.edu

Augusta University

987 St. Sebastian Way/EC 4316

Augusta, GA 30912-0850

Program Dir: Andrew Mazzoli, PhD, RRT

Medical Dir: Bashir Ahmad Chaudhary, MD, Co-Manual Castrasona, MD

Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof*, **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online and campus)**

Class Cap: 25* Begins: August*

Tel: 706-721-3554

Email: amazoli@gru.edu ataft@gru.edu

URL: http://gru.edu/allied_health/cehs/rt/

Georgia State University

Department of Respiratory Therapy

140 Decatur St.

Suite 1228 Urban Life

Atlanta, GA 30302

Program Dir: Douglas S. Gardenhire, EdD, RRT-NPs, FAARC

Medical Dir: Robert Pettignano, MD

Program Type: **AS/AAS with RRT to BSRT Online with Test-Out Available**

Class Cap: 50 Begins: Any semester

Tel: 404-413-1270

Email: dgardenhire@gsu.edu

URL: <http://respiratorytherapy.gsu.edu/academics/undergraduate-program/bridge-program-in-respiratory-therapy-a-s-to-b-s/>

Middle Georgia State College

School of Health Sciences

100 College Station Drive

Macon, Georgia 31206

Program Dir: Teri Miller MEd RRT

Medical Dir: R. Jonathan Dean MD

Program Type: **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (partially online)**

Class Cap: None Begins: Applications accepted year-round

Tel: 478-471-2789

Email: teri.miller@maconstate.edu

URL: http://www.mga.edu/advising/degree-plans/health-sciences/Respiratory_Therapy_B.S..pdf

Idaho

Boise State University

College of Health Sciences
1910 University Drive/RM HSR 207
Boise, ID 83725
Program Dir: Thomas Wing, EdD, RRT
Medical Dir: William Dittrich, MD
Program Type: 4 yr BS; **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online), MSRC (online)**
Class Cap: 24 Begins: August
Tel: 208-426-5654
Email: Thomaswing@boisestate.edu
URL: <http://hs.boisestate.edu/respcare/>

Indiana

Indiana Respiratory Therapy Education Consortium

P.O. Box 1367
Indianapolis, IN 46202
Program Dir: Janice C Johnson, MS, RRT-NPS, AE-C
Medical Dir: Chris Naum, MD
Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof, **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (on campus)**
Class Cap: 30 Begins: August
Tel: 317-962-8475
Email: IRTEC@iuhealth.org
URLs: Ball State Univ: <http://cms.bsu.edu/academics/collegesanddepartments/nutrition-and-health-science/respther>
Indiana Univ: <https://medicine.iu.edu/education/undergraduate-health-professions/degrees/bachelor-respiratory-therapy/>
Univ of Indianapolis: www.uindy.edu/cas/biology/respiratory-therapy

Kansas

University of Kansas Medical Center

3901 Rainbow Blvd/4006 Delp MS 1013
Kansas City, KS 66160
Program Dir: David Burnett, PhD, RRT
Medical Dir: Dr. William Atkinson
Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof*; **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online)**
Class Cap: 24* Begins: August* Tel: 913-588-4634
Email: dburnett@kumc.edu
URL: <http://www.respiratorycare.kumc.edu/>

Kentucky

Bellarmine University

2001 Newburg Road
Louisville, KY 40205
Program Dir: Christy Kane, PhD, RRT-NPS
Medical Dir: Harvey Snider, MD
Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof; **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (on campus)**
Class Cap: 15 Begins: August
Tel: 502-272-8419
Email: ckane@bellarmine.edu
URL: <http://www.bellarmine.edu/lansing/respiratorytherapy/>

Northern Kentucky University

1 Nunn Drive
Highland Heights, KY 41099
Program Dir: Tom Baxter, EdD, RRT
Medical Dir: Richard Park, MD
Program Type: Entry-Level BSRC (on campus), **ASRT with RRT to BSRC (Online)**
Class Cap: Entry-Level 20, Online Degree Advancement 100, Begins:
Tel: 859-572-7869
Email: Baxtert4@nku.edu
URL: <https://nku.edu/academics/chhs/programs/undergraduate/respiratory.html>

Louisiana

Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center

1900 Gravier St.
New Orleans, LA 70112
Program Dir: John Zamjahn, PhD, RRT
Medical Dir: Carol Mason, MD
Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof, **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (on campus)**
Class Cap: 15 Begins: May
Email: jzamja@lsuhsc.edu
URL: <http://alliedhealth.lsuhs.edu/cp/credentialtobs.aspx>

Maryland

Washington Adventist University

School of Graduate and Professional Studies
7600 Flower Avenue
Takoma Park, MD 20912
Program Dir: Vicki Rosette, MS, RRT, RPFT
Medical Dir: Norton Elson M.D.
Program Type: **RRT to BSRT (online)**
Class Cap: 20
Tel: 301-891-4187
Email: vrosette@wau.edu
URL: <https://www.wau.edu/bachelor-science-respiratory-care-program/>

Massachusetts

Northeastern University

College of Professional Studies
360 Huntington Avenue
Boston, MA 02115
Program Dir: Thomas A. Barnes, EdD, RRT, FAARC
Medical Dir:
Program Type: **ASRT with RRT to BHS with RT concentration (online) to MSRC (online)**
Class Cap: 40 Begins: September
Tel: 617-851-3529
Email: t.barnes@northeastern.edu
URL: [Northeastern ASRT to MSRC Plus One Program](#)

Michigan

Ferris State University

200 Ferris Drive
Big Rapids, MI 49307
Program Dir: Sue Waters, MAT, RRT-ACCS, LRT
Medical Dir: Robert Joyce, MD
Program Type: **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online)**
Class Cap: 40 Begins: September (plus alternate admit dates)
Tel: (231) 591-3186
Email: margaretwaters@ferris.edu
URL: <https://ferris.edu/HTMLS/colleges/alliedhe/csrchca/Respiratory-Care/BSRT/index.htm>

University of Michigan - Flint

303 E. Kearsley Street
Flint, MI 48502-1950
Program Dir: Nicholas A. Prush, MHA, RRT, RRT-ACCS
Medical Dir: Dr. Steven Gay, MD, MS
Program Type: **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online)**
Class Cap: None Begins: Every Semester
Tel: 810-762-0711
Email: naprush@umflint.edu
URL: <http://www.umflint.edu/bsrt>

Missouri

University of Missouri

605 Lewis Hall
Columbia, MO 65211
Program Dir: Monica A. Schibig, MA, RRT-NPS, CPFT
Co-Medical Dir: Harjyot Sohal, MD and Michael Brischetto, MD
Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof; **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online)**
Class Cap: 16 Begins: August
Satellite Program: St. John's Mercy Medical Center, St. Louis, MO
Tel: 573-882-9722
Email: schibigm@health.missouri.edu
URL: <http://shp.missouri.edu/rt/about.php>

Nebraska

Nebraska Methodist College

Josie Harper Campus
Respiratory Care Program
720 North 87th Street
Omaha, NE 68114-2852
Program Dir: John Jarosz, MS, RRT
Medical Dir: Patrick G. Meyers, MD
Program Type: **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (on campus or online)**
Class Cap: 14 Begins: May, August, or January
Tel: 402-354-7065
Email: john.jarosz@methodistcollege.edu
URL: <http://www.methodistcollege.edu/academics/allied-health/respiratory-care/respiratory-care-bs>

North Carolina

University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Respiratory Therapy Program
College of Health and Human Services
9201 University City Blvd
Charlotte, NC 2823
Program Dir: Amanda Dexter, MS, RRT
Medical Dir:
Program Type: **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online), MSRC (online)**
Class Cap: 50 Begins: August
Tel: (704) 687-0871
Email: adexter1@uncc.edu
URL: <http://distanceed.uncc.edu/bachelors/respiratory-therapy>

North Dakota

University of Mary

School of Health Sciences
7500 University Drive
Bismarck, ND 58504
Program Dir: Dr. Christine Sperle, PhD, RRT
Program Coordinator: Megan Schneider, MSB, RRT
Program Type: **RRT to BSRT (entirely online)**
Class Cap: None Begins: Applications accepted year-round (we accept both A.A.S or A.S. degrees)
Tel: 701-355-8340
E-mail: mlschneider@umary.edu
URL: <https://www.umary.edu/academics/programs/respiratory-therapy-online.php>

Ohio

Kettering College

Respiratory Care
3737 Southern Boulevard
Kettering, OH 45429
Program Dir: Alisa French, MBA, RRT
Medical Dir: George Burton, MD
Program Type: **ASRT to BSRT (on campus)**
Class Capacity: 24 Start: fall, winter, spring
Tel: (937) 395-8601937
Email: alisa.french@kc.edu
URL: www.kc.edu

University of Cincinnati

3202 Eden Ave. Cincinnati, OH 45267
Program Dir: Nancy Colletti, PhD, RRT
Medical Dir: N/A
Program Type: **ASRT to BSRT (online)**
Class Capacity: None
Start: Each Semester
Tel: 513-558-8515 Fax: 513-558-7494
Email:
URL: <http://respiratorytherapy.uc.edu>

University of Toledo

College of Health Science and Human Service

2801 W. Bancroft St., Mail Stop #119

Toledo, OH 43606

Program Dir: Sullivan, Jerome, PhD, RRT, FAARC

Medical Dir: Robert A. May, MD

Program Types: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof, **ASRT to BSRT (on campus)**

Class Cap: 25 Begins: May

Tel: 419-530-4792

Email: jerome.sullivan@utoledo.edu

URL: <http://www.utoledo.edu/healthsciences/depts/kinesiology/respiratorycare/index.html>

Youngstown State University

One University Plaza

Youngstown, OH 44555

Program Dir: Kelly L. Colwell EdD, MRC, RRT, RRT-NPS, CPFT, AE-C

Medical Dir: Tejinder S. Bal, MD

Program Type: **ASRT to BSRT (online)**

Class Cap: None

Begins: Year Round

Tel: 330-941-2631

Email: kicolwell@ysu.edu

URL: <https://ysu.edu/academics/bitonte-college-health-and-human-services/online-respiratory-care-major>

Oregon

Oregon Institute of Technology

3201 Campus Drive

Klamath Falls, OR 97601-8801

Program Dir: Sarah Fitzpatrick, MHA, RRT

Medical Dir: David Panossian, MD and John Ordal, MD

Program Types: 1 yr Preprof + 3 years Prof, **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online)**

Class Cap: 25 Begins September

Tel: 541-887-9187

Email:

URL: <http://www.oit.edu/online/degrees/respiratory-care>

Pennsylvania

Carlow University

3333 Fifth Ave

Pittsburgh, PA 15213

Program Dir: Michael Mehall, MEd, RRT-NPS

Medical Dir: Patrick DiGiacomo, MD

Program Type: **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (100% online)**

Class Cap: 15; Begins: fall

Tel: 412-578-6558

Email: mmehall@carlow.edu

URL: http://www.carlow.edu/Respiratory_Care.aspx

Gannon University

Respiratory Therapy Program

109 University Square

Erie, PA 16541

Program Dir: Charles Cornfield, MS, RRT

Medical Dir: Joseph Rowane, D.O., FCCP

Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof. + 2 yrs Prof, **ASRT to BSRT (on campus)**

Class Cap: 16 Begins: August

Tel: 814-871-5637

Email: cornfield@gannon.edu

URL: <http://www.gannon.edu/departmental/resp/default.asp>

South Carolina

Newberry College

2100 College Street

Newberry SC 29108

Program Dir: Jerry A Alewine, EdD, RRT

Medical Dir: TBA

Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof, **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online)**

Class Cap: 20 Begins: January 2018

Tel: 803-321-3320

Email: Jerry.Alewine@Newberry.edu

URL: <https://www.newberry.edu/academics/online-programs#respiratory-therapy-online>

Tennessee

Baptist College of Health Sciences

1003 Monroe

Memphis, TN 38104

Program Dir: Kira Anderson, MSA, RRT-NPS

Medical Dir: Michael Smith, MD

Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof; **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online and hybrid)**

Class Cap: 10 Begins: September

Tel: 901-572-2569

Email: kira.anderson@bchs.edu

URL: <http://www.bchs.edu/content/rrt-bhs-completion-degree-program>

East Tennessee State University

1000 West E St/ETSU Nave Center

Elizabethton, TN 37643

Program Dir: Kristen McHenry, MS, RRT-ACCS

Medical Dir: Jeff Farrow, MD

Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof; **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online)**

Class Cap: 20 Begins: August

Tel: 423-547-4900

Email: mchenry@etsu.edu

URL: <http://www.etsu.edu/crhs/alliedhealth/cpsc/>

Texas

Midwestern State University

3410 Taft Blvd
Wichita Falls, TX 76308
Program Dir: Jennifer L. Anderson, Ed.D, RRT-NPS
Medical Dir: Lowell Harvey, MD
Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof, **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online)**
Class Cap: 28 Begins: July
Tel: 940-397-4652
Email: jennifer.anderson@mwsu.edu
URL: <http://www.mwsu.edu/academics/hs2/respiratory/rrt-to-bsrc>

Texas Southern University

College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences
3100 Cleburne
Houston, TX 77004
Program Dir: Reginald G. Allen, MS, RRT
Medical Dir: Edward Patten, MD
Program Type: 1.5 yrs Preprof + 2.5 yrs Prof; **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (on campus)**
Class Cap: 20 Begins: January
Tel: 713-313-7265 or 713-313-1151
Email: allen_rg@tsu.edu
URL:
http://www.tsu.edu/academics/colleges_schools/College_of_Pharmacy_and_Health_Sciences/Departments_Programs/RespiratoryTherapy.php

Texas State University

Department of Respiratory Care
601 University Drive
San Marcos, TX 78666-4616
Program Dir: Gregg Marshall, PhD, RRT, RPSGT, RST
Medical Dir: Peter A. Petroff, MD
Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof, **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (on campus)**
Polysomnography option at graduate/undergraduate levels
Class Cap: 40
Begins: September Tel: 512-245-8243
Email: sm10@txstate.edu
URL: <http://www.health.txstate.edu/rc>

University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio

7703 Floyd Curl Dr. Mail Code 6248
San Antonio, TX 78229-3900
Program Dir: Richard Wettstein, MMed, RRT, FAARC
Medical Dir: Jay I. Peters, MD
Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof*, **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (online)****
Class Cap: 24* Begins: August
Class Cap: 10**
Tel: 210-567-8850
Email: wettstein@uthscsa.edu
URL: <http://uthscsa.edu/shp/rc/about.asp>

University of Texas Medical Branch

School of Health Professions
301 University Blvd. Galveston, TX 77555-1028
Program Dir: Jose Rojas, PhD, RRT
Medical Dir: Donald Prough, MD
Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2yrs Prof, **ASRT to BSRT (on campus and online hybrid)**
Class Cap: 24 Begins: August
Tel: 409-772-9405
Email: jdrojas@UTMB.EDU
URL: <http://shp.utmb.edu/RespiratoryCare/>

Utah

Weber State University

3904 University Cir
Ogden, UT 84408-3904
Program Dir: Paul Eberle, PhD, RRT
Medical Dir: Christopher Anderson, MD
Program Type: 2 yrs Preprof + 2 yrs Prof; **ASRT with RRT to BSRT to MSRC (on campus)**
Class Cap: 20 Begins: August (Ogden campus), Varies (other campuses)
Tel: 801-626-7071
Email: peberle@weber.edu
URL: <http://weber.edu/resptherapy/ProCompletion.html>

Washington

Highline College

2400 South 240th Street, P.O. Box 98000
Des Moines, WA. 98198
Program Dir: Nicki Bly, BBA, RRT, RRT-NPS
Medical Dir: TBD
Program Type: **ASRT with RRT to BSRT (on campus)**
Class Capacity: 24 Begins
Tel: (206) 592-3470
Email: nbly@highline.edu
URL: <http://www.highline.edu/bas/respiratorycare/>

*It is recommended that the accreditation status of the University/College and the RT Program be determined by visiting program web sites. A web site link is provided for each program listed.



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