

Medical Sonography Vascular Certificate Program Checklist



The following items must be completed to apply to the Medical Sonography–Vascular Certificate Program.

Complete Forsyth Tech Admissions Application.

Submit a FT Admissions Application if it's been more than 1 year

<https://www.forsythtech.edu/students/apply/>

Submit Official Transcripts.

- All Colleges where program related courses were completed

Program Requirements.

- Current ARDMS
- ARDCS and/or current enrollment in an accredited Medical or Cardiac Sonography program

Submit the MAR Application (October 1st, 2024- December 13th, 2024)

Application on page 3.



Medical Sonography-Vascular Certification Program

Spring 2025

Application opens: October 1st, 2024-December 13, 2024

Diagnostic Medical Sonography-Vascular Certification is a specialty certification program beginning each spring. Resources such as clinical facilities and faculty, as well as approval standards, limit the number of students accepted to the program coordinator's discretion for each spring term.

Applicants for the Medical Sonography-Vascular Certification program must be graduates or currently enrolled (i.e., completing fall semester and on track for spring graduation) seniors of a JRCDMS accredited Medical Sonography program or JRCDMS Cardiovascular Sonography to meet eligibility requirements. The Medical Sonography-Vascular Certification program is a three-semester certificate program.

This certification program will accept a total of **8 students**. All applicants must meet minimum requirements to be considered for admission. We hold four seats for currently enrolled medical/cardiac students and four seats for credentialled sonographers. Acceptance is based on the time of application submission.

Any program specific questions should be directed to Hillary Fernandez, Program Coordinator, Medical Sonography at (336) 757-3306 or hfernandez@forsythtech.edu or Susan Tarver, Health Science and Public Safety Advisor at atarver@forsythtech.edu.

Required steps for the Medical Sonography-Vascular Certification program:

1. Complete an application to Forsyth Tech (if you are not a current student).
2. Complete all related classes.
3. Submit official transcripts.
4. Submit proof of current ARDMS, ARDCS and/or pending graduation from an Accredited Medical Sonography or Cardiac Sonography program.
5. Submit MAR application.

Complete an application to Forsyth Tech

New and Former students (if it's been more than a year since you applied or enrolled in classes) must complete the online application at <https://www.forsythtech.edu/apply-ft/>
Complete NC Residency at www.ncresidency.org

Currently enrolled students do not need to submit a new application.

1. Complete all related requirements:

Registry from ARDMS, RDCS, or CCI RSC

Accredited bodies include JRC-DMS

2. Submit official transcripts

Electronic transcripts can be sent through a secure service to admissions@forsythtech.edu
-or paper transcripts can be mailed to Forsyth Technical Community College Attn: Admissions 2100 Silas Creek Parkway Winston Salem, NC 27103-5197
-or hand delivered in a **sealed** envelope to the Admissions and Records Office on the main campus
-**emailed copies from you are NOT official**

We must have:

- Official college transcripts where related classes were taken. Only undergraduate classes through bachelor's degree level, we do not need graduate level transcripts.
- Official AP scores from College Board if you want credit for applicable classes (credits showing on other college transcripts do not count).
- It is recommended to submit your graduating High School (or GED) transcript, or you may miss placement requirements.

3. Submit the MAR application

You are required to have access and check your Forsyth Tech email regularly for updates regarding the MAR application and acceptance processes.

Spring 2025 application for Medical-sonography-Vascular Certification program
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Access the online application here:

4. Review additional requirements for accepted students

Applicants who are accepted will be required to have criminal background checks and drug screenings. Certain clinical sites require vaccinations and immunizations of which each student will be expected to show documentation.

All lecture classes will be offered online to facilitate working students, allow time for clinical flexibility, and to serve the community more effectively with less barriers to access. However, the program will require on-campus labs as well as in-clinical training. Students are allowed and encouraged to find their own clinical sites if they meet requirements.