

MORGAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
PTA PROGRAM ADMISSION UPDATE

In response to the recent COVID-19 outbreak, the PTA program at Morgan Community College acknowledges the effects societal changes may have on those planning to apply for Fall 2020 admission. As a result, the following changes are being made to the admissions process:

1. Observation Hours

Because most healthcare organizations are limiting student activities in their facilities at this time, the admission requirement of 24 observation hours originally required to be completed by the May 10 application deadline has been modified. Instead, applications will be accepted without this requirement having been met and applicants will be required to submit a plan to complete these hours prior to enrolling in the program if offered admission.

2. Prerequisite Courses

The PTA Program realizes that students enrolled in prerequisite courses during the spring semester may be delayed in completing one or more of these courses due to delays caused by the COVID-19 outbreak. In such cases, the program will accept applications on or before the May 10th deadline with courses in progress. All transcripts from previous college coursework through the fall 2019 semester will be due by the May 10th application deadline and spring 2020 coursework must be provided once they become available.

3. ATI TEAS Test

Due to testing site availability issues, the ATI TEAS requirement will be postponed until such a time that testing centers can safely administer the exam. This includes the MCC Testing Center.

Should testing site availability issues extend beyond the May 10 application deadline, the admissions process will continue as planned and ATI TEAS scores will be assessed once available. Therefore, applicants meeting all other admission requirements may be accepted to the program contingent upon successful completion of the ATI TEAS test prior to enrollment.

4. In-Person Interview

Should social distancing restrictions continue until the planned on-campus interviews in early June, arrangements will be made to hold the interviews via WebEx.

Any questions regarding the PTA program admissions process may be directed to Jeffrey.Coon@Morgancc.edu