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How to Apply: Medical Assistant Program

1. Apply to MiraCosta College at <https://www.miracosta.edu/admissions-and-aid/index.html>.
2. After receiving your SURF ID#, also known as your Student ID number, it is **recommended but not required** to speak with a counselor to ensure that your prior coursework will satisfy our prerequisites and meet the graduation requirements. To reach Academic Counseling go to (<https://miracosta.edu/student-services/counseling/index.html>) . You may also attend a Nursing information Session (<https://miracosta.edu/academics/degree-and-certificate-programs/health-sciences/nursing/resources-and-links.html>) to learn about the nursing programs.
3. Complete the prerequisites, NURS151 Body Systems and NURS155 or the equivalents. Enrollment is done through Admissions and Records. If you need assistance enrolling in the prerequisite courses, please visit this page to contact the Student Help Desk at <https://www.miracosta.edu/student-services/student-help-desk/index.html>.
4. Apply to the Medical Assistant program by emailing the one page application to mfore@miracosta.edu as a PDF or submit in person to the Nursing and Allied Health Department.
5. If the prerequisites were completed at an institution other than MiraCosta, send official transcripts electronically to transcripts@miracosta.edu. If electronic transcripts are not available send official hard copies directly to Admissions and Records directly. If transcripts are not on file with Admissions and Records you will not be admitted.