Non-Academic Requirements Information for Clinical Placement

Medical Laboratory Technology

Non-academic requirements are medical and non-medical requirements needed for students to be cleared to attend clinical placement. Student in the MLT program entering will be provided explicit instructions regarding their requirements for placement including where and how to obtain and submit requirements, and the deadline for compliance. A detailed package will be provided to students entering their 3rd year in the program as they prepare for their clinical placement experiences that will occur in semesters 6 and 7.

Students will not be able to proceed with clinical placement if they fail to comply with non-academic requirements. If that is the case, students will have to wait for the next offering to register again. This is likely to cause delays in your progression in the program and is likely to result in additional fees.

PROVISIONAL LIST OF NARs (subject to change)

The following is a list of non-academic requirements students are likely to require to proceed with clinical placement. Since the requirements are established in consultation with clinical placement partners, adjustments are made from time to time to ensure alignment with host policies and industry best practices. Thus, the following list is provisional and a confirmed list of non-academic requirements will be provided to students by the Placement Office when confirmed. Students will receive communication from the Placement Office advising of the confirmed requirements when entering their 3rd year in the program. **All costs and service fees associated with obtaining non-academic requirements for placement are the sole responsibility of the student.**

- **Canadore Student Health Form** documenting immunization requirements completed by a healthcare provider. Requirements are likely to include:
  - Tuberculosis test
  - Tetanus, Diphtheria and acellular Pertussis vaccination
  - Measles, Mumps, Rubella, and Varicella vaccination or proof of immunity
  - Hepatitis B vaccination and proof of immunity
- **Vulnerable Sector Check** (negative/clear result) dated within 6 months of the start of any clinical placement
- **Mask Fit Test**
- **CPR Basic Life Support (BLS) Level**
- **Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) training**
- **Worker Health and Safety Awareness Training**

For more information about these requirements including expected costs, please visit Canadore's Placement Website.

Students should expect an additional cost of approximately $55 to have their non-academic requirements documentation reviewed by Canadore's third party provider, Synergy Gateway Verified. For more information about Verified, go to Canadore's Placement Website and select the Verified tab.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS: 'ONE PERMIT'

International students in programs with a mandatory placement component (e.g., field placement, clinical, practicum, etc.) must be legally authorized to work in Canada. Under the 'One Permit' model effective April 1, 2026, a student's valid Study Permit typically serves as this official authorization; a separate Co-op Work Permit is generally no longer required. However, students must ensure their Study Permit does not contain medical restrictions that prevent them from working in specific sectors, such as healthcare or childcare. For more information, visit the IRCC website or contact a Canadore International Student Advisor.

CONTACT US

For matters pertaining to your non-academic requirements, contact your Placement Coordinator. For program-related questions, contact your Program Coordinator.

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