Southeast Missouri State University/Cape Girardeau CTC
Respiratory Therapy Program
Prerequisite Shadow Form

Applicants to the SEMO/CGCTC Respiratory Therapy Program are required to shadow with Respiratory Therapists in an inpatient clinical setting for at least **SIX HOURS** at one of the listed sites below or at a clinical site that is pre-approved by the RT Program Clinical Director - Kyle Kern M.S., RRT. Shadowing must be completed prior to interview and within the current academic school year.

Note: Performing shadowing may require certain immunizations and educational requirements based on the respective hospitals policies. All students will have to follow that particular hospitals' policies. Please dress professional (no blue jeans or shorts) and show cleanliness.

EACH OF THE FOLLOWING AREAS ARE REQUIRED FOR SHADOWING AND MUST BE INITIALED BY YOUR PRECEPTOR OF THAT AREA:

_____ INTENSIVE CARE UNIT **_____ VENTILATOR PATIENT**

_____ TRACHEAL SUCTIONING **_____ FLOOR THERAPY**

Facility Contact information: (check the hospital website for shadowing request requirements)

_____ St. Francis Medical Center	**573-331-3000**	**Learning and Development**
_____ Mercy Hospital	**573-334-4822**	**Educational Services**

- ***Other hospitals may be used as shadow facilities but must pre-approved by the CTC RT staff. If you are not able to get ahold of anyone, please contact Respiratory Therapy Department Director.***

<u>HAVE THIS TIME SHEET SIGNED AND BRING WITH YOU TO YOUR INTERVIEW</u>

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Respiratory Therapist(s)	Date	# Hours of Shadow Completed

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Respiratory Therapy Applicant Name	Applicant Signature

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