



## PSHMC School of Medical Laboratory Science Application

### Ability to Perform Essential Functions

Students must be able to perform the following essential functions while in the program. Please respond to the statements listed below based on whether you may need accommodations to fulfill the requirement (a 'no' response indicates the possible need for accommodation). You will be given the opportunity to state what accommodations you may need to successfully perform the essential functions required for program completion after each question that is marked 'no'.

74. Emotional Stability: able to alter plans/routines when unexpected stressful situations and multiple interruptions occur; able to do this without projecting stress/frustration that would adversely affect the work environment; able to act responsibly and safely with interruptions and/or stressful situations.\*

- Yes  
 No

75. If no, please explain emotional stability accommodation needs.

76. Communicate effectively in **English** (verbal and written) with laboratory and hospital staff, as well as patients and other clients.\*

- Yes  
 No

77. If no, please explain communication accommodation needs.

78. Ability to discriminate color and fluorescent reactions of special stains and chemical reactions.\*

- Yes  
 No

79. If no, please explain color and fluorescent reactions accommodation needs:

80. Good hand/eye coordination.\*

Yes

No

81. If no, please explain hand/eye coordination accommodation needs.

82. Visual acuity necessary to read detailed instructions and to prepare systems with or without corrective lenses.\*

Yes

No

83. If no, please explain visual acuity accommodation needs.

84. Able to stand for extended periods of time.\*

Yes

No

85. If no, please explain standing for extended periods of time accommodation needs.

86. Possess flexibility and range of motion required for varied tasks.\*

Yes

No

87. If no, please explain flexibility and range of motion accommodation needs.

88. Able to lift up to 30 pounds.\*

Yes

No

89. If no, please explain ability to lift up to 30 pounds accommodation needs.

90. Able to hear intercom, phones, instrument alarms and normal conversation.\*

Yes

No

91. If no, please explain hearing accommodation needs.

92. Able to perform repetitive motions.\*

Yes

No

93. If no, please explain repetitive motions accommodation needs.

94. Able to sit at a microscope for extended periods of time.\*

Yes

No

95. If no, please explain sitting at microscope for extended periods accommodation needs.

96. Ability to work in required PPE (Personal Protective Equipment) for at least 3-4 hours at a time.\*  
Students may be exposed to infectious diseases and chemical irritants. Protective clothing and safety gear are provided and required to be used.

- Yes
- No

97. If no, please explain PPE accommodation needs.

98. Based on your current knowledge of the medical laboratory science program, can you perform the essential functions of the training program, with or without accommodations?\*

- Yes
- No



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### Accommodations Needed

99. If 'no', please provide any additional accommodations needed for the MLS program. Needing an accommodation does not exclude you from participating in the MLS program or profession.