This roadmap is a recommended semester-by-semester plan of study for this major. However, courses and milestones designed as critical (!) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation.

Critical	Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Min. Grade	Major GPA	Attribute	Notes
Prerequisites to the Major (59 Credits)						
Associate degree in respiratory care/therapy accredited by the Committee on Accreditation for Respiratory Care (CoARC) and active credential for Certified Respiratory Therapist (CRT) or Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT)						
	Coursework from Associate Degree in Respiratory Care/Therapy	41				
	PSYC 11762 General Psychology	3			**KSS**	
	Kent Core Requirements [1]	15				
Semester One [16 Credits]						
Note: Courses selected in this semester should be in consultation with advisor to determine outstanding requirements						
	UC 10097 Designation Kent State: First Year Experience [2]	1				
	Statistics Course [3]	3				
	Kent Core Requirement or General Elective [4,6]	3				
	Kent Core Requirement	3				
	Kent Core Requirement	3				
	Kent Core Requirement	3				
Semester Two [15 Credits]						
Note: Admission to professional phase includes completion of all prerequisites and a minimum 2.000 cumulative GPA						
!	**RSPC 30000 Professional Practice in Respiratory Care**	3		■		
!	**RSPC 30002 Leadership and Management in Respiratory Care**	3		■		
!	**RSPC 30004 Educational Instruction in Respiratory Care**	3		■		
!	**RSPC 30006 Sleep Medicine and Polysomnography**	3		■		
	Kent Core Requirement	3				
Semester Three [15 Credits]						
!	**NURS 46000 Healthcare Policy**	3		■		
!	**RSPC 40002 Research Development in Respiratory Care**	3	C [5]	■	**WIC**	
!	**RSPC 40004 Advanced Practice in Respiratory Care**	3		■		
!	**RSPC 40075 Information and Patient Care Technology for Healthcare Professionals**	3		■		
	General Elective [6]	3				
Semester Four [15 Credits]						
!	**RSPC 40006 Contemporary Issues and Trends in Respiratory Care**	3		■		
!	**RSPC 40000 Disease Management in Respiratory Care**	3		■		
!	**RSPC 41092 Practicum for Respiratory Care**	3		■	**ELR**	
	Kent Core Requirement	3				
	General Elective [6]	3				

Graduation Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum Upper-Division Hours 30000 – 40000 level course	Minimum Kent Core Hours	Minimum	
			Major GPA	Overall GPA
120	39	36	2.000	2.000

1. As part of the student's associate degree, it is expected that general education courses were successfully completed and transferred to Kent State (or earned as part of Kent State's associate degree). Any Kent Core requirements not met as part of an associate degree program must be completed in order to graduate with the BS degree in Respiratory Care.

2. UC 10097 is not required of transfer students with 25 credits (excluding College Credit Plus) or students age 21+ at time of admission.

3. Statistics course (3-4 credit hours), choose from the following:*

MATH 10041 Introductory Statistics (4) (KMC)	PSYC 21621 Quantitative Methods in Psychology I (3)
MIS 24056 Fundamentals of Business Statistics (3)	SOC 32220 Data Analysis (3) *and*
PH 30002 Introductory Biostatistics (3)	SOC 32221 Data Analysis Laboratory (1)

 * The following courses are also approved, but currently are not offered 100 percent online:
 MATH 12022 Probability and Statistics for Life Sciences; MATH 30011 Basic Probability and Statistics.

4. If MATH 10041 is selected to fulfill this requirement, students will fulfill the Kent Core Math and Critical Reasoning requirement and should take General Electives in place of a Kent Core requirement in semester two.

5. A minimum C (2.000) grade must be earned in RSPC 40002 to fulfill the writing-intensive requirement.

6. Number of general elective credit hours required depends on meeting minimum 120 credit hours and 39 upper-division hours.

University Requirements: Bachelor's degree-seeking students must meet Kent Core (general education requirements), diversity, writing-intensive and experiential learning requirements. For more information about these requirements, please read the following sections in the University Catalog: Kent Core – www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core; Diversity Course Requirement – www.kent.edu/catalog/diversity; Writing-Intensive Course Requirement – www.kent.edu/catalog/wic; Experiential Learning Requirement – www.kent.edu/catalog/elr.

Attribute Legend: **DD** Diversity–Domestic; **DG** Diversity–Global; **ELR** Experiential Learning; **KAD** Kent Core Additional; **KBS** Kent Core Basic Sciences; **KCM** Kent Core Composition; **KFA** Kent Core Fine Arts: **KHU** Kent Core Humanities; **KMC** Kent Core Mathematics and Critical Reasoning; **KSS** Kent Core Social Sciences; **WIC** Writing Intensive