As of 4/14/20, subject to changes. If we do not encounter further delays, note the following DMS 2020 application updates due to COVID-19:

**Mandatory information session** (must attend Fall 2019 or Spring 2020)-
April 2020 sessions were canceled. An alternate format (PowerPoint) will be available and will serve as the replacement for mandatory April sessions. Check this webpage for that to be uploaded (likely under Information Sessions section). You will need to 1. review PowerPoint, 2. complete the Alternate Information Session Form in full and 3. submit this form in place of the April 2020 info session certificate packet item (listed as item #6 on Applicant Checklist-this item is now either the face to face certificate or the Alternate Info Session Form). If you attended a Fall 2019 or earlier Spring 2020 session but lost your certificate, you will now need to review the PowerPoint, complete and submit form in place of certificate.

**Advisor Checklist**-
Current form required and must be submitted by due date (due date remains same, due for submission for completion by May 19, 2020). You will need to now submit via email from your my.lonestar.edu email address to either Mrs. Trotter at Faith.A.Trotter@lonestar.edu or Mrs. Pringnitz at Linda.S.Pringnitz@lonestar.edu for completion. Once completed, Advisor will email back to you to your my.lonestar.edu email address. If in a spring class in progress, Advisor will complete once grades post and then return to you.

**Transcripts** (if you ever took courses at any (non-LSC) college/university)-submit for official evaluation asap. There is no guarantee that an Official Transcript will be evaluated in time for the application deadline. Please communicate any transcript issue/question with an advisor, either Mrs. Trotter or Mrs. Pringnitz.

**PSB examination**-
Required to be able to apply, was available beginning on January 13, 2020. Updated deadline to complete the PSB exam is June 4, 2020. Refer to the LSC-CyFair Assessment Center [http://www.lonestar.edu/testing-cyfair.htm](http://www.lonestar.edu/testing-cyfair.htm) for most current updates or availability for the PSB examination. Can be taken one time during open dates and must be normed to Diagnostic Medical Sonography. If you took the PSB last year in Spring 2019 during the DMS open dates and normed to Diagnostic Medical Sonography, you can use that 2019 set of scores, however, you need your copy of the scores to submit as part of the application.

**Licensure/certification for consideration** *(for optional points, not required to apply)*-
Same due date: submit by 5/1/20. Refer to form for instructions.

**Application deadline**-
Due to the spring course semester extension, the application deadline is extended until June 10, 2020 at 12:00 p.m. (noon), firm deadline. This is to allow time for completion of spring 2020 courses in progress (excludes May-mini courses) and to extend the dates for PSB testing. Refer to the Applicant Checklist to double check all required items for submission. Once everything is ready/complete, assemble all forms in order with applicant checklist at the front (initial each item on checklist, print your name at bottom and include your LSC id #) and email completed packet to Program Director: Jeremi.L.Martin@lonestar.edu. Title email as: Last name, first name, LSC id #, DMS application, date. Ex: Doe, Jane, 11111, DMS application, 4/20/20. Please send as one continuous PDF scan. Double check all packet items, sign, date, double check scoresheet total, double check PSB scores. (If there are issues with your overall score, courses or grades on scoresheet or PSB scores, email Jeremi.L.Martin@lonestar.edu with your LSC id # and a screenshot of the issue). Send email containing application packet via your my.lonestar.edu email address; packet will only be accepted from your LSC student email. Program is not responsible for any application that was never received, nor incomplete packet items, nor application/items received late, nor items received from a personal email address. It is suggested to submit packet ahead of the deadline date/time so that if incomplete items are discovered, you may have time to correct them. By due date/time, incomplete packets/items are not considered.
Immunization Checklist
No changes as of 4/14/20. Regarding required items for accepted students—there will be a very short turnaround time in between notice of conditional acceptance and due date for shots, titers. As communicated in information sessions, confer with your healthcare provider about how to meet requirements by 6/30/20. Do not email personal medical records with application.

Mandatory New Student Orientation (for accepted students)
Face to face session is cancelled. Alternate format TBD, currently 7/8/20, save this date.

Communication
Via your my.lonestar.edu email address. Once application packet is submitted, be sure to monitor your LSC email daily in case there are missing forms, etc. or for notice of conditional acceptance. Exact date of notice for conditional acceptance cannot be determined as of now, however, with updated application due date, could occur anywhere between 6/15/20-6/26/20 (*subject to change). At some point after notices of acceptance go out, email notice of alternate status or notice of non-acceptance will be sent to your my.lonestar.edu email address. Attempts of contact will be via your student email address and may also include your phone, however, depends if LSC offices reopen so it is recommended to closely monitor your email. As communicated in information sessions, after a few attempts of contact, if there is no reply or response, program will proceed down the list and a potential conditional offer will be void due to non-response. For assistance with your student (my.lonestar.edu) email call 832.813.6600 (toll free 866.614.5014) or visit the LSC Service Center.

Thank you for your patience as these dates and processes were being determined, and for your flexibility should any further changes or timeline updates (could include an impact/delay on class start date) become necessary in the rapidly changing COVID-19 situation.