

While you are attending today's Open House stop by Room C-320 for further information.

Can't stay?

Please contact our Pharmacy Technician Instructor:

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Hope to see you next semester!

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Program Description

The Pharmacy Technician program is 25-week/810 hour training program that prepares the individual, under the supervision of a pharmacist, to prepare medications, provide medications and related assistance to patients, and manage pharmacy clinical and business operations.

Classes are held Monday through Friday, 8am to 3pm at the Career Training Center. Students attend classes at the Center for the first 20 weeks and then spend an additional 4 weeks of the program doing an internship under the direct supervision of a licensed pharmacist or technician at a pharmacy in the community. This internship is a time for continued training and development of the skills learned in the program. Students will collaborate with the instructor to choose a suitable internship site giving consideration to student interests, site availability, and suitability.



Training Includes

- Medical and Pharmaceutical Terminology
 - Basic Science (Biology and Chemistry)
 - Overview for the technician
 - Principles of Pharmacology and Pharmaceutics
 - Drug identification and Classifications
 - Pharmacy Procedures
 - Prescription Interpretation
 - Patient Communication and Education
 - Safety Procedures and Techniques
 - Record Keeping
 - Measurement and Testing Techniques
 - Pharmacy Business Operations
 - Prescription Preparation
 - Logistics and Dispensing
 - State and Federal laws and guidelines
 - Introduction to Microsoft Windows and Word
 - Law and Ethics of Pharmacy
 - Conversions and Calculations
 - Dosage Forms, Abbreviations, and Routes of Administration
 - Aseptic Technique
- ### **Additional Instruction**
- Meth Act of 2005
 - HIPPA Regulations
 - Resume, Cover Letter and Interview Preparation



Attendance

Your success in this course will depend upon your consistent attendance. The attendance policy will follow the ABC approach.

- Arrive on Time
- Be prepared
- Come to class with a willingness to learn

Students successfully completing the OCMBOCES Pharmacy Technician program are eligible to sit for the Pharmacy Technician Certification Examination through the Pharmacy Technician Certification Board.