

Phlebotomy Technician I

Program Information Sheet for Spring 2022

Program Description

This 11-week program combines lecture, laboratory and clinical training to provide skills training in the following: infection control, universal precautions, anatomy and physiology of body systems with emphasis on circulatory systems, skin preparation and punctures, laboratory tests, terminology, specimen handling and age-specific patient needs. Students will learn to draw blood specimens from patients as requested by hospitals and referring physicians.

Program Objectives

Phlebotomy technicians collect blood from patients and prepare the samples for testing. This program prepares students with the necessary knowledge and skills to take the National Exam for Certified Phlebotomy Technician and apply to become a California State Certified Phlebotomy Technician. This class prepares students to meet the state criteria for certification and is approved by the State of California.



Application Process

Program Dates:	Tuesday, March 15th, 2022 -Thursday, May 26th, 2022		
Application acceptance window:	December 6th, 2021 - January 7th, 2022	Acceptance notification made by:	January 21st, 2022
Interview notification made by:	January 14th, 2022	Program Fee due by close of business:	February 17th, 2022
Interviews by appointment only on:	January 20th, 2022	Application available online at:	CTE.bcoe.org



Location

Butte County CTE
2491 Carmichael Drive, Suite 200, Chico, CA



Schedule

Class Dates:

Tuesday, March 15th, 2022 -Thursday, May 26th, 2022

Schedule:

- Tuesdays & Thursdays, 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM
- During the last six weeks, students must complete an additional 40–80 hours of practical training in an approved lab and successfully complete 50 venipunctures, 10 skin punctures and observe 2 arterial draws.



Prerequisites

Required:

- High school diploma or equivalent
- At least 18 years of age
- Ability to read at a 10th grade level
- TB clearance – two separate tests at least 1 week apart (within 3 months prior to and due the 1st day of class)
- Hepatitis B immunization (verification of first immunization or completed series on the 1st day of class)
- Note: Other vaccinations may be required by the clinical internship sites

Recommended:

One year of experience in the health care field or successful completion of Medical Assistant, Certified Nurse Assistant or training or college level science.



Estimated Cost

- Program Fee: **\$2,500** (includes registration and supplies)
- Variable Expenses: up to \$672 (Hepatitis B and Influenza immunizations, TB clearance, uniform, text, study supplies, national exam fee and state licensing fee)

Contact us!

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