



Shawnee State University

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Phlebotomy Technician Certification Program

October 6 – December 10, 2008

Mondays and Wednesdays; 5:30 - 9:00 pm

And Saturdays (Only on October 18, November 8, November 22, & December 6) 9:00 - 3:00 pm

The Phlebotomist is a vital member of the clinical laboratory team, whose main function is to obtain patient's blood specimens by venipuncture and microcollection. The field of Phlebotomy has greatly expanded in the past several years, and the role of this integral member of the health care team has recently been brought into much sharper focus.

Phlebotomist's draw blood from patients for testing purposes. They usually work under the supervision of medical technologists or laboratory managers. Phlebotomists are employed throughout the health centers, medical hospitals, neighborhood health centers, medical hospitals, neighborhood health centers, medical group practices, HMO's, public health facilities, veteran hospitals, insurance carriers and in other health care settings. The demand for Phlebotomy Technicians has increased substantially with the overall complexity of health care services and the risks of infectious disease.

Course Information:

The 90 hour Phlebotomy Technician Program prepares professional to collect blood specimens from clients for the purpose of laboratory analysis. Students will become familiar with all aspects related to blood collection and develop comprehensive skills to perform venipunctures completely and safely. Classroom work includes terminology, anatomy and physiology; blood collection procedure; specimen hands-on practice; and clinical training in skills and techniques to perform puncture methods. The program also includes lab exercises, live blood draws, work with a training arm and other exercises intended to prepare students to function as an entry level Phlebotomy Technician. (People should have a high school diploma or GED equivalent).

Cost & Payment Options

Fee for this course is \$1,599. Pay by cash, check, Visa or MasterCard. Ask about available financing options.

To Enroll:

Call 740.351.3171 or toll-free 866.672.8778

Deadline for registration: September 26, 2008

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