

## Phlebotomy/Specimen Processing, Certificate

### School of Health Professions

#### Program Description

The purpose of the program is twofold. First the student must function as a phlebotomist in a hospital or other healthcare setting. The second purpose is to prepare the student to function as a laboratory specimen processor or laboratory aide in a clinical laboratory setting.

Admission to the program is limited by the availability of clinical sites. A separate application to the Phlebotomy/Specimen Processing Program is required. Students with previous phlebotomy certification and documented two years of clinical experience may apply to test out of the phlebotomy courses and earn a Specimen Processing Only Certificate.

The Phlebotomy Only Certificate option is for those students who desire to be a phlebotomist only and not to learn the laboratory specimen processor skills.

Graduates are eligible to sit for the Registered Phlebotomy Technician (RPT) examination and the Certified Phlebotomy Technician (CPT) examination.

**This is a selective admission program. Please see the college website for details.**

#### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Collect, transport, handle, and process laboratory specimens for analysis.
- Demonstrate professional conduct, stress management, and interpersonal and communications skills with patients, peers, and other healthcare personnel.
- Display an understanding of requisitioning and the legal implications of their work.
- Recognize and act upon individual needs for continuing education as a function of growth and maintenance of professional competency.

#### Phlebotomy/Specimen Processing Certificate

Sugg. Term	Seq #	Course ID	Course Title	Cr	Prereq/Coreq(Co)	Options Available
Fall	1	PDV 101	First Year Seminar	1		
	2	ALH 122	Medical Terminology	3		
	3	PHB 101	Clinical Phlebotomy	4	ALH 122, PHB 105 (if applicable)	
	4	PHB 105	Specimen Processing	4	Co: ALH 122, PHB 101 (if applicable)	
	5	PHB 110	Specimen Processing Practicum	4	Successful completion of PHB 101 and PHB 105 (If applicable) during first 8 weeks of semester	

Minimum Program Credits

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#### Phlebotomy ONLY Certificate

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	2	ALH 122	Medical Terminology	3		
	3	PHB 101	Clinical Phlebotomy	4	ALH 122, PHB 105 (if applicable)	
	4	PHB 110	Specimen Processing Practicum	4	Successful completion of PHB 101 and PHB 105 (If applicable) during first 8 weeks of semester	

Minimum Program Credits

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