

PHARMACY TECHNICIAN

Lincoln Campus and Online



www.southeast.edu/PharmacyTech



Diploma

Credit Hours Required for Graduation:
Diploma: 30.0

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Pharmacy technicians play an important role in assisting licensed pharmacists in a variety of settings, including retail pharmacies, hospitals, long-term care facilities, and clinics. If you are detail-oriented, honest, able to work on a team, and have sequential, logical thinking skills, this program is for you. SCC's program will prepare you to work as an entry level pharmacy technician. Pharmacy technicians are critical to the healthcare team and help to provide patients with safe and effective medications. The role of technicians is evolving, and this field and will be taking on duties that require more patient care in the near future. During the program you will register with the state of Nebraska to obtain the required state registration.



SCC is the Right Choice

- You'll have many real-world hands-on opportunities, including completing clinical experiences in two pharmacy settings for a total of 240 hours
- Learn how to interpret prescriptions, prepare compounded medications, handle and deliver medications, maintain inventories, assist with insurance claims, and provide excellent customer service to patients and other healthcare professionals
- You'll get to use QS1/NRx pharmacy software to prepare labels and simulate prescription processing to complete the pharmacy workflow in retail settings
- Complete skill check-offs for preparation of sterile and non-sterile compounded medications in hospital settings and work with unit-dose packaging and inventory management for long-term care settings, giving you a well-rounded simulation of different pharmacy practices
- Become a pharmacy technician in less than a year
- At the end of your coursework, you'll be eligible to take the Pharmacy Technician Certification Exam, which is accepted in all 50 states and Puerto Rico

"The program was really useful for getting me prepared for the national exam and to become a certified technician. I have learned the hospital and retail pharmacy environment as well as pharmacy law. The instructors were very friendly, knowledgeable and supportive. They made the teaching material easy and fun to learn."



-Meron Belay, 2018 graduate

Please see the program's website for information related to topics that include, but are not limited to, accreditation, state licensure or certification requirements, and other disclosures. SCC strives to promote transparency and encourages students to review the information carefully.

The Pharmacy Technician program at Southeast Community College is accredited by American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP)/Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), 7272 Wisconsin Ave., Bethesda, MD, 20814, 301-657-3000, www.ashp.org.



Top Career Options

- Pharmacy Technician

Graduate Earnings

Recent graduates report an average starting salary of ^\$26,000 per year.

^ To maintain confidentiality for recent graduates, a three-year average is reported.

2020-2021 Resident Estimated Expenses

Tuition/Fee Rate Per Credit Hour	\$111
Resident Tuition/Fees	\$3,330
Books	\$650
Special Fees	\$340
Uniforms	\$84
Total:	\$4,404

Non-Resident Tuition/Fee Rate Per Credit Hour	\$132
Non-Resident Tuition/Fees	\$3,960