

Phlebotomy Technician

Phlebotomists work in hospitals, clinics, outpatient labs, medical offices and blood donation centers.

Phlebotomists draw and prepare blood for medical testing, transfusions or donation. Phlebotomists are trained to collect blood via venipuncture, finger sticks, and heel sticks.



Program Outline & Duties



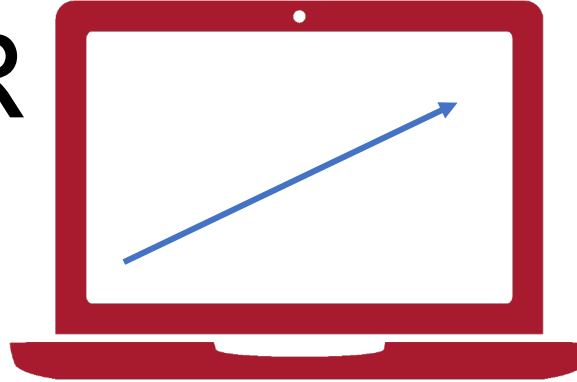
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- 1 semester (9 credit hours)
- HIT110 Medical Terminology
- PBT105 Theoretical & Clinical Aspects of Phlebotomy
- PBT297 Phlebotomy Externship

- Prepare patients for blood draws
- Verify patient identities and ensure proper labeling of collection vials
- Explain blood draw or transfusion process to patients
- Guide nervous patients through blood draws
- Conduct blood draws and transfusions
- Assist patients who experience adverse reactions following a blood draw or transfusion
- Follow directions of supervising physicians
- Identify, label and track blood samples
- Perform inventory and maintain blood draw instruments and supplies

HOT CAREER

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HIGH DEMAND**



- Employment of phlebotomists is projected to grow 17 percent from 2019 to 2029, much faster than the average for all occupations. Hospitals, diagnostic laboratories, blood donor centers, and other locations will need phlebotomists to perform bloodwork.
- In 2021, the median annual wage for phlebotomists was \$37,380. The lowest 10 percent earned less than \$28,990 and the highest 10 percent earned more than \$48,490.

Why study Phlebotomy at Waubonsee?



- Dedicated state-of-the-art phlebotomy lab
- Students practice on other classmates, not simulation
- Day and evening classes
- Many area affiliates for job placement
- Students have the opportunity to become certified through the ASCP national exam.
- At \$132 per credit hour, Waubonsee is an exceptional educational value
- One semester to enter the medical field



Specialized Facilities and Labs

- State-of-the-art laboratory
- Separate phlebotomy rooms
- Actual equipment used in laboratories for blood specimens
- Supplies for diagnostic tests

Affiliates



- Students participate in an on-site externship with one of our affiliates:
 - Rush Copley
 - Edward-Elmhurst
 - Delnor
 - Valley West
 - Northwestern
 - Amita Health
 - Quest Laboratories
 - Lab Corp
 - Alverno Labs
 - Advocate

Special Admission Requirements

- The Phlebotomy Technician Program has a special application process.
- Visit waubonsee.edu/phlebotomy
- Fall and Spring semester starts





Questions?

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Thank you for joining us!

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