Pharmacy Technician

Instructor: Peter Sposato
Days/Dates: Tuesdays and Thursdays
9/12/17-11/16/17
Registration deadline-9/5/17

Time: 5:30pm-8:30pm
Room: B118
Tuition: $1,400.00
Textbook and exam fee are included
CEU’s: 6
CRN #: 33226

Please note: Completion of any program does not guarantee employment.

Registrations received after the deadline date may cause a delay in students receiving or purchasing textbooks in time for course start date.

REFUND POLICY

Refund policy: Withdrawal from any non-credit class must be submitted in writing to the Workforce & Community Education office up to one business day prior to the first class. Absolutely no refunds will be issued after the first class has begun. The college reserves the right to cancel any course for which there is insufficient enrollment. In that event, a full refund will be issued.

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SNAP/E&T and WIOA eligible
SNAP & E&T is a voluntary work program. Participants must be able to work upon completion of the program.

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What is a Pharmacy Technician?

Pharmacy Technicians may work in hospitals, clinics, home infusion pharmacies, community pharmacies, retail pharmacies, mail order pharmacies, long term care facilities, pharmacy benefit managers, or large industrial complexes. Technician’s work under the supervision of a registered pharmacist.

Knowledge and Competency

Course content includes:

- Medical terminology specific to the pharmacy
- Reading and interpreting prescriptions and defining drugs by generic and brand names.
- Dosage Calculations
- I.V. Flow Rates
- Drug compounding
- Dose conversions
- Dispensing of prescriptions
- Inventory control and billing and reimbursement.

Certification:

This comprehensive 60 hour course will prepare students to enter the pharmacy field, and to take the Pharmacy Technician Certification Board’s (PTCB) exam. The Pharmacy Technician Certification Program includes a graded final exam to help prepare students for the PTCB exam. The instructor will provide details in class.

The PTCB exam is included. This is a national certification program that enables pharmacy technicians to work more effectively with the pharmacists to offer safe and effective patient care and service.

Registration Requirements:

- Must be at least 18 years of age;
- High school completion (or equivalent);
- In-house Math and English Comprehension Test
- Or, provide proof of prior College Level Math and English.
- Basic 4-function calculator. No cell phones or programmable calculators allowed

All requirements must be submitted with registration.