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BUSINESS AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Registration Begins Wednesday July 8 @ 2pm

Phlebotomy Technician

TEMPLE COLLEGE NON-CREDIT CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

PLAB 1023 and PLAB 1060

August 13 through December 31, 2009

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Career Overview

Phlebotomy technicians work in hospitals, physician offices and other health facilities. Duties of a phlebotomy technician may include: drawing blood, preparing specimens for storage or testing, assembling equipment and verifying patient's records. A phlebotomist may also conduct patient interviews, and screen donors at a blood bank.

Licensure/Certification

The Phlebotomy Technician program is designed to prepare students for successful completion of the national certification examination and employment in the health care industry.

Length of Training/Requirements

The program consists of 72 hours of classroom instruction and 120 hours of supervised clinical internship in an approved site.

- Classes meet from 6:30 – 10:30 pm on Thursdays, Aug. 13 – Dec. 31
- Clinicals occur over the last four weeks of the program, during which time students must be available Monday through Friday, 7:00am – 5:30pm.

Location

Scott & White Clinic Building Room CO30. Locations for clinical experiences will vary.

Prerequisites

- Proof of High School Diploma or GED
- Completed application packet (including written exercise)
- Hepatitis B immunization series
 - **MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE REGISTRATION**
- 18 years of age
- Good physical and mental health
- Criminal Background Check
 - **MUST BE COMPLETED AND TURNED IN TO TEMPLE COLLEGE 3 WEEKS BEFORE CLASS STARTS**

Coursework		
PLAB 1023	Phlebotomy	72 Clock Hours
PLAB 1060	Clinical Phlebotomy Technician	120 Clock Hours
Total		192 Clock Hours

Program Costs

- \$690 (includes PLAB 1023, PLAB 1060, lab fee, and liability insurance)
 - Does not include:
 - Textbook: *"Phlebotomy Essentials"* by Ruth E. McCall, Cathee M. Tankersby
 - Hepatitis B immunization series

Registration

- **Opens Summer 2009**, at the *Temple College-Downtown Center*, 101 North Main (at Adams)
- Includes completion of a written exercise involving Standard Operating Procedures for a Phlebotomy Technician. Please allow 30 minutes for this activity. Results of this activity will be given serious consideration in selecting the program candidates.

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