

Why Be a Pharmacy Technician?

- Learn about a fast-paced, interesting career with excellent income potential.
- Gain knowledge that will help promote your personal well-being.
- Be a critical member of the healthcare workforce.
- Find jobs that are available nearly everywhere you live.
- Work in a professional environment.
- Enjoy a large variety of work settings



Join the exciting field of
Pharmacy!



Where Do Pharmacy Technicians Work?

Retail Pharmacies

Hospital Pharmacies

Compounding Pharmacies

Specialty Pharmacies

What do Pharmacy Technicians Do?

Assist pharmacists in the preparation and dispensing of medications.

Maintain and order inventory.

Maintain patient health record information.

Perform a wide range of practice-related duties.



Pharmacy Technician Program

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Frequently Asked Questions . . .

What is a Pharmacy Technician's Starting Wage?

Potential Salary is \$29,584 - \$36,598

Are There Any Prerequisites?

High School diploma, GED or High School Seniors.
For an appointment call 315-889-7314.

When Can I Begin?

The coursework begins June 2018.



When Is Course Work Held?

Monday-Thursday 8:00 am-2:00 pm

How Do I Register?

Fill the enclosed registration form or
call 315-889-7314.

Program Courses?

ALH 101 Medical Terminology
BIOL125 Anatomy & Physiology for
Allied Health
PHT201 Medication Review & Aseptic
Techniques
PHT203 Calculations
PHT204 Pharmacy Operations
PHT205 Lab/Practical
PHT206 CPhTC Exam Prep & Exam
PHT207 Externship
RELB130 Christian Living in the 21st
Century

Tell Me About the Externship.

In order to pursue state licensure, you are
required to complete an externship during
or after the end of the course.

Will I Be Paid for the Externship?

It is generally not a paid position.

Which Certifications Will I Receive?

This program prepares students to take
the pharmacy technician certification
exam – PTCE or the EXCPT at a
proctored site on campus. Once a
student passes the certified pharmacy
technician certification exam, the
student will hold a CPhTC recognized by
the American Board of Pharmacy.

The Certified Pharmacy Technician
certification credential prepares the
pharmacy technician with skills to keep
the pharmacy running smoothly.
Without these technical skills,
pharmacy services may be
compromised. The PTCE prep will
consist of a practical approach to
pharmacy operations, prescription and
insurance claims management. The
prep will review the orientation, federal
law, medication review, aseptic
techniques, calculations, and pharmacy
operations.

How Long Will It Take Me to Complete?

The Pharmacy Tech certificate is 340
hours and will be completed in 2
months. The 180 hours of classroom
training runs from June through
August 2018 (10 weeks). Additionally,
you will participate in a 160 hour
externship in an actual pharmacy.

How Much Does the Certificate Cost?

Tuition & Fees	\$3,000
Room & Board	\$1,360

All individuals working in a pharmacy
as part of their pharmacy technician
training program must have a
pharmacy technician trainee license
which includes a background check.
This is an additional fee, which must
be submitted at the start of the
program.