



PHARMACY TECHNICIAN

course participates in The HOSA Co-Curricular Club and is a 1 Year program that prepares students to assist Pharmacists with delivering Health Care Services to clients in a variety of settings.

STUDENTS OBTAIN THE FOLLOWING ABILITIES:

- ✓ Preparation/Dispensing Prescriptions
- ✓ Preparing Intravenous Medications
- ✓ Repackaging Medications
- ✓ Compounding Medications
- ✓ Stocking Medications

PROGRAM CONTENT:

- Demonstrating Workplace Readiness Which Enhances Personal Qualities & People Skills•Professional Knowledge & Skills•Technology Knowledge & Skills
- Examining All Aspects of An Industry
- Addressing Elements of Student Life
- Exploring the World of Pharmacy
- Building a Professional Career
- Communicating in the Pharmacy Setting
- Incorporating Safety Procedures
- Assisting the Pharmacist in Serving Patients
- Maintaining Medication and Inventory Control Systems
- Participating in the Administratio and Management of Pharmacy Practice



INDUSTRY CERTIFICATIONS

Students who successfully complete the requirements for the Pharmacy Technician Program will be better prepared to take the Virginia Pharmacy Technician Examination and The National Certification Examination offered by the Pharmacy Technician Certification Board (PTCB). After passing the PTCB students will hold the title of Certified Pharmacy Technician.

CLINICAL INTERNSHIPS SITES:

Retail Pharmacies•Hospital Pharmacies•Long-Term Care Pharmacies

POSSIBLE CAREER PATHWAYS

Pharmacist•Licensed Practical Nurse/Registered Nurse•Medical Assistant•EMT/Paramedic



COLLEGE & CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Know How Virginia	www.knowhowvirginia.org
Tidewater Community College	www.tcc.edu
College Board	www.collegeboard.com
Virginia Career View	www.vaview.vt.edu
Bryant and Stratton College	http://jobs.hamptonroads.com
ECPI College of Technology	www.ecpi.edu

STARTING SALARY

\$32,700-\$44,700 Earnings May Vary By Specialty *Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Department of Labor, 2018 National Outlook Handbook, Pharmacy Technicians on the Internet <http://www.bls.gov/ooh/healthcare/pharmacy-technicians.htm>



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