



PHARMACY TECHNICIAN

HEALTH PROFESSIONS CAREER PATHWAY



JOIN A REWARDING HEALTH CARE FIELD IN JUST TWO SEMESTERS!

Want to be part of a growing field in health care without spending years and years in school? Join a rewarding health care field after just two semesters with Tidewater Community College's pharmacy technician program!

In addition to building your skills in general pharmacology and medical terminology, the curriculum provides real-world, hands-on experience. Day and evening classes are offered to help you complete the certificate around your busy schedule.

PROGRAMS

CAREER STUDIES CERTIFICATE IN PHARMACY TECHNICIAN

Complete in as few as 2 semesters / 24 credits

Pharmacy technicians order, stock, package, prepare, and dispense medications under the supervision of a licensed pharmacist. You'll also be prepared to take the National Pharmacy Technician Certification Examination to become a Pharmacy Technician (Commonwealth of Virginia Board of Pharmacy).

SELECTIVE ADMISSION

Admission to the pharmacy technician program is very selective and requires a separate application in addition to general admission to the college.

Applications are accepted throughout the year.

Admission to the college does not guarantee admission to the pharmacy technician program.



TCC FAST FACT

Course work prepares students to take the National Pharmacy Technician Certification exam.

POSSIBLE CAREER PATHS

This program prepares you for entry into a career as a pharmacy technician in hospitals, clinics and retail pharmacies, where you are the liaison between pharmacists and customers or patients.

IS THIS PROGRAM FOR YOU?

Yes, if you:

- are detail-oriented
- have excellent communication skills
- are comfortable working in a fast-paced environment

PROGRAM AVAILABILITY

- Portsmouth

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