



Program Content

- Health Care Delivery System
- Communications and Interpersonal Skills
- Legal and Ethical Responsibilities
- Wellness and Disease
- Safety
- Infection Control
- Surgical Technical Procedures
- Basic Math and Science
- Blood Borne Disease Including Aids
- CPR and Response to Emergency Situations
- Computer Literacy
- Aseptic Techniques
- Care and Use of Equipment and Supplies
- Employability Skills

Program Length

1330 hrs | Full Time 12 months

Approximate Cost

\$5,300

Location

Main Campus

Schedule

- **Monday-Thursday**
7:00 am - 3:15 pm
- **Online Friday**

Enrollment of New Students

- August

Gainful Employment

- For more information about this program, visit the link below.

SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY



Description of Program

The Surgical Technology program prepares students for employment as surgical technologists. Included are the following major areas of training: communication and interpersonal skills, legal and ethical responsibilities, anatomy, physiology, microbiology, aseptic techniques, patient care procedures, surgical technology procedures, patient safety, use and care of equipment and supplies, CPR, employability skills, and basic computer literacy.

This program prepares individuals for employment in the operating room, central supply, ambulatory surgical centers, and physicians' offices. Students are introduced to the surgical area early in the program. Students must be able to stand for long hours and work in an atmosphere that is often charged with pressure and urgency. Knowledge of, and experience with, aseptic techniques qualify surgical technicians to prepare instruments and materials for use at the operating table and to assist in their use with skill and dexterity. Graduates are eligible to take the National Certifying Examination for Surgical Technologists.

The Surgical Technology program is accredited by
Commission of Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP)
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Requirements for Admission

- A Orientation/Testing/Counselor Interview
- High School Diploma or GED
- FDLE Background Screening Clearance
- Drug Screening Clearance
- Completed Physical/Immunizations
- Health/Accident Insurance
- Transportation

Industry Certification & State Credential Exams

Students will be prepared to take an approved state and/or nationally recognized industry certification or licensure exam in their field of study.

- Certified Surgical Technologist (CST)

College Credit Transfer Opportunity and/or Advanced Credit

Upon completion of the program and meeting eligibility requirements, students may be awarded credits toward an Associate Degree by Broward College or the Florida College System.

For eligibility requirements, visit <http://www.broward.edu/academics/cpl/Pages/technical-college.aspx>



Welcome to Sheridan Technical College!

ADMISSION AND REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

1. Attend Orientation

Program specific orientation is held Monday through Thursday. To register for orientation:

- **Main (Hollywood) Campus:** Report to Building 11, Office of Student Affairs no later than 8:30 a.m.
- **West (Pembroke Pines) Campus:** Report to the main office no later than 8:00 a.m.

2. Apply for Financial Assistance (OPTIONAL)

- If you require financial assistance please complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as soon as possible. Delays in completing the financial aid process may affect your ability to register on time.

3. Take the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE)

- Students enrolled in a postsecondary program of 450 hours or more are required to take and pass a basic skills test in order to receive a vocational certificate at the time of program completion. The TABE test is approximately 2.5 hours and assesses students in the areas of reading, math and language. To register please bring \$15.00 and a valid picture ID. The test schedule and registration location is as follows:
- **Main (Hollywood) Campus:** M-TH report to Building 11, Office of Student Affairs no later than 9:00 a.m.
(Report to Building 11 no later than 8:30 a.m. when also attending orientation)
- **West (Pembroke Pines) Campus:** T, W, F report to the main office no later than 8:00 a.m.

4. Counselor Interview

- You must meet with your program counselor/advisor to finalize the admissions process. Topics to be discussed include: TABE scores, TABE exemption, remediation, Florida residency for tuition purposes, etc. Test scores cannot be provided over the phone. There are no appointments required to meet with the program counselor/advisor. Please contact our offices to obtain counselor/advisor office hours.

5. Register for Class

- Registration is on a first come, first served basis. Prospective students can register upon receiving an acceptance letter. Registration is held throughout the year, so verify course availability and registration dates with the program counselor/advisor. Textbooks, uniforms, kits and all other required supplies must be purchased prior to the first day of class

BASIC SKILLS EXEMPTION - You may be exempt from the TABE if you:

- Entered 9th grade in a Florida public school in the 2003-2004 school year, or any year there after, and earned a Florida standard high school diploma (official high school transcript required);
- Possess a college degree at the associate in applied science (AAS) level or higher from an accepted accredited college or university (official diploma or transcript required);
- Demonstrate readiness via the 2014 GED®, P.E.R.T, ACT, SAT, WBST and/or GAIN (official test results required);
- Active duty member of any branch of the United States Armed Services (paper order or ID card required);
- Pass a state or national industry certification or licensure examination that is identified in State Board of Education rules and aligned to the CTE program in which the student is enrolled (official test results required); or
- Enrolled in an apprenticeship program that is registered with FDOE.

SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY (H170211)

Tuition/Registration **\$4,296**

PAVE	\$3,724
Lab	\$333
Registration Fee	\$100
Student Activity Fee	\$10
Test Fee	\$15
Other Required Fees	\$114

Books/Supplies **\$727**

Term: 1

BLS Health Providers
ISBN: 9781616694074

HIPAA Training Handbook for Nursing
ISBN: 9781615692316

Quick Medical Terminology 5th Ed.
ISBN: 9780470886199

Structure & Function Textbook 15th Ed.(Thibodeau)
ISBN: 9780323341127

Structure & Function Workbook 15th Ed. (Thibodeau)
ISBN: 9780323394567

Surgical Technology Textbook 5th Ed.
ISBN: 9781305956414

Surgical Technology Workbook 5th Ed.
ISBN: 9781305956438

Differentiating Surgical Instruments 2nd Ed.
ISBN: 9780803625457

Differentiating Surgical Equipment
ISBN: 9780803615724

Surgical Equipment & Supplies 2nd Ed.
ISBN: 9780803645714

Turquoise Scrub

Long Lab Coat

Term: 2

Pocket Guide Operating Room 3rd Ed.
ISBN: 9780803612266

Industry Credentials **\$225**

Certified Surgical Technologist (CST)

Approximate Program Cost **\$5,300**

Prices are for Florida Residents. Fees listed are based on the number of class days according to the District calendar. Books and Supplies are subject to change.

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