**Texarkana College**

**Community & Business Education Center - Allied Health Program**

**Phlebotomy Technician Program w/ a Clinical Externship**

**SPRING 2023**

This 170-hour Phlebotomy Technician Program prepares professionals to collect blood specimens from clients for the purpose of laboratory analysis.  Students will become familiar with all aspects related to blood collection and develop comprehensive skills to perform venipunctures completely and safely. Classroom and lab work includes terminology, anatomy and physiology; blood collection procedures; specimen hands-on practice; and training in skills and techniques to perform puncture methods.

**Dates & Times:** Monday & Wednesday

March 20, 2023 – May 31, 2023, from 6:00pm - 9:30pm

Saturday’s: April 1, April 15, May 6, from 9:00am – 3:00pm

12 Weeks of 90 hours classroom + 80 hours externship

**Registration :** $1,865 Includes textbooks, certification exam study guides & online practice exams, plus an 80 hour externship.

**Location:** Health Sciences Bldg., Rm 127

**Note:**Upon successful completion of this program, students would be eligible to sit for the National Healthcareer Association (NHA) Certified Phlebotomy Technician (CPT) examination. The exam is scheduled two weeks after course is completed at TC, the fee is $117 and not due until end of the course.

**Refund Policy**: Students will receive a 100% refund upon request within 24 hours of the first class meeting.

**Criminal Background Requirement**: For students who may have a criminal background, please be advised that the background could keep you from being licensed by the State of Texas. If you have a question about your background and licensure, please check with the National Healthcareers Association certification board by calling 1-800-499-9092 to discuss your topic of study to determine if you are qualified to obtain a certificate in that field. You also have the right to request a criminal history evaluation letter from the applicable licensing agency.

**Virtual Access:** Students agree and acknowledge that they will go online one evening per week to maintain a safe environment and prevent the spread of disease by reducing contact with others. This may even be a permanent platform, when and if the situation arises. Students also agree to have adequate access to an internet provider with an appropriate device to continue course work online

I acknowledge and understand the course requirements and will comply with as stated above.

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