



Allied Health Program

Phlebotomy Technician Program w/Clinical Externship

This 90-hour 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 encompasses terminology, anatomy, and physiology; blood collection procedures; specimen hands-on practice; and training in skills and techniques to perform puncture techniques.

NWCA National Certification: This program meets the necessary requirements to take the National Workforce Career Association (NWCA) Phlebotomy Technician (CPT) Exam.

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Clinical Externship: This program includes an 80-hour clinical externship opportunity. To be eligible for the clinical, students must successfully complete the 90-hour program, submit to a thorough background check, drug screening, and meet other requirements.

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 the course is completed at TC, the fee is \$125 and not due until the end of the course.

Dates & Times:	February 2, 2026, through April 20, 2026 12 weeks/90 classroom contact hours + 80 hours Clinical Externship
Evenings:	Mondays and Wednesdays, 6:00pm – 9:30pm
Saturdays:	2/21; 3/7; 4/7 9:00am-3:00pm
Location:	Health Sciences Bldg., Room 127
Student Tuition:	\$1,865 (Textbooks included/Certification Exam: \$129) <i>This course is a short-term, non-credit program and therefore is not eligible for FAFSA. However, we do offer a four-month online payment plan with the first payment of \$466.25 plus a \$30 non-refundable, one-time processing fee submitted at time of enrollment (credit/debit card required). Ask about financial assistance options that may be available for this course.</i>
Enroll/Register:	Please call 903-823-3382 or visit our office in the Nelson Administration Building on campus. Online registration is not available for enrollment in this course. DEADLINE TO REGISTER OR DROP: Friday, January 30, 2026 by 3:00PM. <i>Please note that if this class reaches capacity prior to deadline enrollment will be closed.</i>
Refund Policy:	Students who wish to drop this course may receive a 100% refund upon request (excludes \$30 payment plan processing fee), on or before the drop date listed above.

Questions regarding this course, testing, clinical externship, etc.: Please contact our Allied Health Coordinator, Holli Easley at 903-823-3270 or email at: holli.easley@texarkanacollege.edu.