



SOUTH DADE TECHNICAL COLLEGE

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➤ OUR VISION, MISSION AND CORE VALUES

MISSION: Our mission is to guide and prepare learners in attaining their highest academic goals and competency levels to qualify them for initial employment and/or career advancement.

VISION: We are committed to providing quality educational programs and services for adult learners.

CORE VALUES:

- ◆ Commitment
- ◆ Excellence
- ◆ Honesty
- ◆ Professionalism
- ◆ Integrity
- ◆ Respect

REFUND POLICY: Students are eligible for Postsecondary Career/Technical Education refunds within 5 days of the beginning of the class start date or registration date, whichever is later.

PHARMACY TECHNICIAN



- UPGRADING SKILLS
- IMPROVING PERFORMANCE
- PROVIDING NEW CAREER OPTIONS

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We provide the highest quality education so that all of our students are empowered to lead productive and fulfilling lives as lifelong learners and responsible citizens.

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PHARMACY TECHNICIAN

ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

Our program is designed to prepare students for employment as Pharmacy Technicians. The content in this program includes, but is not limited to:

- ▶ Metric system, medical terminology, medicinal drugs, pharmaceutical compounding, sterile techniques
- ▶ IV preparation, maintenance of inventory, initiation of purchase orders, receiving and checking supplies purchased, printing labels, typing prescription labels
- ▶ Delivery of medications, pricing of prescription drug orders and supplies, repackaging of unit dose packages
- ▶ Patient record systems, control records, data processing, and computer application
- ▶ Employability skills, leadership and human relations skills
- ▶ Health and safety, including CPR
- ▶ Insurance Billing
- ▶ HIPAA/Law

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- ▶ 16 years of age or older and not currently enrolled in any K-12 program
- ▶ Accredited High school diploma or GED
- ▶ Occupational Interest
- ▶ Background Check and Drug Testing may be required for externship

PROGRAM STRUCTURE

This program consists of 1050 hours and is a planned sequence of instruction consisting of four (4) Occupational Completion Points (OCPs):

OCP	COURSE	HOURS
A	Basic Healthcare Worker	90
B	Pharmacy Technician 1	360
C	Pharmacy Technician 2	300
D	Pharmacy Technician 3	300

This program is accredited with Florida Board of Pharmacy. Externship hours are extended for more hand-on experience with local pharmacies.

Upon completion of the program, the instructor will provide a certificate to the student verifying that the requirements have been met. Completers who wish to work as Pharmacy Technicians in the State of Florida must register with the Board of Pharmacy (465.014 F.S.).

FULL PROGRAM COMPLETION:

- ▶ Completion of all program competencies
- ▶ Minimum basic-skills TABE® test: Math 11, Reading 10, Language 10; or
- ▶ National Certification Test (PTCB or NHA)

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- ▶ Pharmacy Technicians
- ▶ Community Pharmacy Technicians
- ▶ Inpatient/Outpatient Pharmacy Technician

SALARY

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics the average earnings in 2022 for Pharmacy Technicians were \$38,270 annually or \$18.40 hourly.

FINANCIAL AID

Financial Aid is available for those who qualify. To apply, complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid at www.studentaid.gov. Visit the financial aid office for more information.

PROGRAM HOURS

Monday-Friday from 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

GAINFUL EMPLOYMENT DISCLOSURE

The Pharmacy Technician program is designed to be completed in:	42 weeks
Program cost if completed within normal time. There may be additional costs for living expenses. These costs were accurate at the time of posting but may have changed.	In-state: \$5,211.00 <i>1,050 hours x \$2.56= \$2,688.00</i>
	Out-of-state: \$11,417.50 <i>1,050 hours x \$10.25= \$10,762.50</i>
<i>Fees \$35.00 x 4 terms= \$140 Insurance \$15 Books and supplies= \$1,600.00</i>	
Of the students who completed this program within normal time, the typical graduate leaves with \$0 of debt.	
Program meets licensure requirements in the following States: Florida	

For more information about graduation rates, loan repayment rates, and post-enrollment earnings about this institution and other postsecondary institutions please click here: <https://collegescorecard.ed.gov/>