



Pharmacy Technician Frequently Asked Questions

What skills does the Pharmacy Technician program include?

The CLTCC Pharmacy Technician is designed to prepare students with the knowledge and skills necessary for employment in the field of Pharmacy Technician. Upon successful completion of the program, the student is eligible to apply for PTCB certification examination. CLTCC offers the Pharmacy Technician program at Alexandria and Ferriday Campus.

How long is the CLTCC Pharmacy Technician program?

The CLTCC Pharmacy Technician is two (2) semesters in length, approximately 9 months. The Pharmacy Technician program includes classroom and lab instruction and supervised clinical externships in pharmacies under the direct supervision of a licensed Registered Pharmacist.

When does the Pharmacy Technician class start?

CLTCC starts a Pharmacy Technician (cohort) every Fall Semester (August) and completes the Spring Semester (May).

What are the admission requirements for Pharmacy Technician?

Regular admission requirements based on Louisiana Board of Pharmacy and CLTCC admission guidelines include:

Apply at www.cltcc.edu

High School Diploma or Equivalent required

Must be 18 years of age based on Louisiana Board of Pharmacy requirements.

Meet the recommended entrance scores for Pharmacy Technician in Reading, English and Math on an approved entrance assessment - ACT, Accuplacer

*Complete and pass a pre-admission required Criminal Background Check and Drug Screen. The student will be informed and directed of the criminal background check and drug screen process with the CLTCC approved agency (Background Research Solutions). **OF NOTE: Marijuana (including medical marijuana and its derivatives) are considered illegal substances and will result in a positive drug screen.***

Complete a CLTCC health certification (physical examination) from a licensed healthcare provider and provide proof of required immunizations

Be fingerprinted and pass a Louisiana Board of Pharmacy and College required Criminal Background Check.

Is financial aid available?

Yes, the Pharmacy Technician program is eligible for state and federal financial aid based on individual student eligibility. Additional financial aid information is available at the CLTCC Campus.