

Medical Assistant Technician

Diploma



The Medical Assistant Technician Diploma Program is designed to prepare students to obtain entry-level employment as a medical assistant technician. This program offers students the opportunity to learn the necessary knowledge and skills both in the classroom and in a supervised clinical practice. The students learn how to prepare patients for various technical examinations such as EKGs and phlebotomy, as well as how to perform several such procedures. Student are eligible for certification for:

- National Certified Medical Assistant (NCMA) from the National Center for Competency Testing (NCCT).

Distribution

- 220 lecture hours
- 420 lab hours
- 100 externship hours
- 740 total contact hours

Duration of the Program

9 months | 46 quarter credit hours

Admission Requirements

- High School Diploma or a recognized equivalent.

Courses

- Medical Office Procedures
- Anatomy and Physiology with Medical Terminology I & II
- Clinical Procedures
- Laboratory Procedures
- Introduction to Pharmacology
- Basic Cardiorespiratory Procedures
- Certified Medical Assistant Exam Prep
- Externship[^]

Possible Employment Opportunities*

- Clinical Assistant
- Lab Technician
- Optometric Assistant
- Registered Medical Assistant



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*These examples are intended to serve only as a general guide of possible employment opportunities. There are many factors that determine the job an individual may obtain and Florida Technical College cannot guarantee its graduates any particular job. Some positions may require a license or other certifications. We encourage you to research the requirements for the particular position you desire. Program Availability varies by campus. [^]This course is only available during day shift.