

Program

Student Lab will allow the student to demonstrate knowledge of lecture components by simulating surgical skills and techniques in the presence of the instructor. A competency checklist must be maintained throughout the course. The student must satisfactorily complete the student lab component of the course to receive a passing didactic course grade.

Instructional Strategies

- Lecture
- Field Trips
- Independent research
- Small and large group discussions
- Group activities
- Online
- Demonstration/Practical Laboratory
- 1-on-1 instruction



General Admissions Requirements

1. Applicants must be 18 years or older. All applicants must present either a State issued Identification card /driver's license or passport. You must have a social security number, therefore; you must be a US Citizen or eligible to work in the United States.
2. Proof of High School Graduate/GED or achieved a degree higher than a High School Diploma. (Foreign transcripts for diplomas earned outside of the US must be evaluated for US equivalency.)
3. No felony, and certain misdemeanors (drug and theft), convictions are not allowed. A pre-employment background check and drug screening (serum) will be required. This is required by the clinical training facility and for State licensure depending on the program.
4. Pass the entrance exam This is a Scholastic level exam (Wonderlic exam) used to ensure that the applicant will benefit from the curriculum taught in the Associate of Applied Science in Surgical Technician Program. The minimum passing score on this test is 18. It is a twelve-minute test given online, on campus at CCMCC. This test must be passed prior to submission of the application for Associate of Applied Science in Surgical Technology.
5. Once the application is received an Interview will be scheduled with the Program Director and Program faculty.

Hours of Operation

Monday-Thursday: 8:30AM - 9:30PM
Friday: 8:30AM - 5:00PM
Saturday: Closed
Sunday: Closed

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Enroll Online or Call 925-757-2900 to schedule an appointment with our Admissions Counselor Today!

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Associate of Applied Science in Surgical Technology Program

**ACCET and ABHES Accredited
California State Approved**

Program Clock Hours

288 General Ed.(Online)

800 Didactic/Lab

560 Externship

Total Clock Hours: 1648



CONTRA COSTA
MEDICAL CAREER COLLEGE

Goals and Purpose

The Contra Costa Medical Career College AAS in Surgical Technology Program is committed to providing an environment that facilitates student success in acquiring the theory and technical skills pertinent to a professional surgical technologist. Upon successful completion of the AAS Surgical Technology program, the student will receive an Associate of Applied Science in Surgical Technology from Contra Costa Medical Career College.

Outcomes and Objectives

At the end of the program the student will be able to:

- Demonstrate the knowledge and skills to monitor, assess and provide for the needs of the patient and the surgical team intra-operatively.
- Demonstrate the knowledge and skills to provide a safe peri-operative environment.
- Demonstrate a thorough knowledge of aseptic techniques and principles.
- Demonstrate competency in the use of instrumentation and equipment used intra-operatively.
- Demonstrate a professional attitude in interactions with other members of the health care team and patients.
- Demonstrate knowledge of basic anatomy and physiology and pathophysiology as it relates to general surgical procedures and commonly performed specialty procedures.
- Integrate the surgical technology knowledge base in cognitive, affective, and psychomotor domains; demonstrate skills following established criteria, protocols and objectives in the cognitive, affective and psychomotor domains
- Function safely, effectively, and efficiently and exhibit ethical behavior in a surgical technologist role.

Outcomes and Objectives continued...

- Describe actions and uses of anesthetic and pharmacological agents in the care of surgical patients.
- Apply knowledge of interpersonal skills and communications relative to procedures and protocols from a surgical technologist's perspective when working with patients, patients' significant others, colleagues, and other members of a healthcare team, as well as other members of the community.

Clinical Component

Externships will be completed after classroom instruction is successfully completed. 560 hours of externship training are required by the state of California. Externship sites will be arranged by CCMCC and assignments will be given out no later than 90 days after the last day of the classroom training is completed, or from the date on which all required paperwork/documents have been received, whichever is later. Externship hours are most likely during the day. Students **MUST** be available during normal business hours.



Program Schedule

The General Education portion of the program is offered online for weeks 1-12 and 36-47 for a total of 288 hours. The Didactic/Laboratory portion of the Program meets on Campus for weeks 13-35, Monday through Friday from 9:00AM-4:00PM for 800 hours.
**560 Externship hours to be arranged.*

Class begins Sun. Jan. 7th –Fri. Dec. 20th
Class begins Sun. July 7th–Fri. June 27th

Program Fees

Total Fees, Charges, and Expenses

Application / Registration Fee	\$200.00 <i>(non-refundable)</i>
Tuition	\$34,188.00 <i>(refundable)</i>
STRF Fee	\$85.00 <i>(non-refundable)</i>

Total Amount Paid to School \$33,473.50

Out-of-Pocket Expenses Approximate

(not paid to the institution)

Text Book	\$770.00 <i>(refundable if unused)</i>
Uniform/Shoes/Scrub Jacket	\$100.00 <i>(non-refundable)</i>
Background check/Drug Screen	\$150.00 <i>(non-refundable)</i>
American Heart Assn. BLS Certification Examination	\$85.00 \$247.00 <i>(non-refundable)</i>

Total Out-of-Pocket Expenses \$1352.00

