# **CENTER FOR BUSINESS & INDUSTRY**Healthcare Education

# Phlebotomy Technician Fall 2025 Program

Comprehensive course in the fundamentals and practice of phlebotomy (blood specimen collection) includes venipuncture, capillary collection, safety, medical terminology, orientation to the clinical laboratory and health care, and specimen handling and processing, blood pressure, pulse and basic life support for healthcare provider (BLS). Program is 120 hours of lecture and lab. The student must complete 100 successful venipunctures at a clinical site within a minimum of 80 hours. Externships must begin within two months of the completion of the classroom portion of the program. Upon completion of the course, students are eligible to sit for a national certification examination and may seek employment as phlebotomists.

Employment of phlebotomists is projected to grow 23 percent from 2018 to 2028, much faster than the average for all occupations. Hospitals, diagnostic laboratories, blood donor centers, and other locations will need phlebotomists to perform bloodwork.

### **Program details:**

Dates: Tues., Thurs., Sept. 2, 2025 - Dec. 4, 2025, 8am-12pm

Fee: \$1799 (due at registration) Course number: PHLEB100

Location: Fowler Center, 511 E. Third St., Bethlehem, PA 18015

#### Important information about the program:

- Participants must be at least 18 years of age and have a high school diploma or GED to enroll.
- Cost for enrollment requirements is the responsibility of the participant.
  Please refer to the website for a list of requirements.
- Funding may be available to eligible participants through PA CareerLink®.

#### Transfer your training to credits

Completion of Phlebotomy Technician Credential equates to a 3-credit free elective in the Health Sciences AAS, the Public Health AAS, the Emergency Services Administration AAS degrees, and the Emergency Services Technology AAS degrees.

## Healthcare non-credit scholarships

Scholarships may be able to assist you with partial program costs thanks to the generous support of the Justamere Foundation.



#### How to get started:

Attend our free virtual information session on Tues., **Aug. 19, 2025** at 6pm

#### **Enroll today!**

Please scan the QR code or visit northampton.edu/ HealthcareCourses to enroll in the information session and class.



For questions, call 610-332-6585 or e-mail healthcare@northampton.edu.