

## Healthcare Careers:

CTI offers comprehensive career-training programs incorporating classroom and lab instruction to help you become a respected and in-demand health care professional!

### ► PHLEBOTOMY TECHNICIAN

CTI's Phlebotomy Technician Program course will prepare the graduate with the necessary skills for employment as a Certified Phlebotomy Technician in a variety of medical occupations

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## PHLEBOTOMY TECHNICIAN PROGRAM:

A Phlebotomy Technician is a key member of the medical laboratory team whose primary function is the collection of blood samples from patients by venipuncture or microtechniques.\*

\*American Medical Technologists

CTI's Phlebotomy Technician program has obtained program approval from:

- ▶ Ventura County Medical Association
- ▶ State of California's Laboratory Field Services
- ▶ American Medical Technologists (AMT)
- ▶ Bureau of Private Postsecondary Education

All Phlebotomists must be CERTIFIED through the Department of Health Services, Laboratory Field Services Division in order to maintain employment as a Phlebotomist.

(Effective April 9, 2003, all persons performing phlebotomy who are not doctors, nurses, or clinical lab scientists, must be certified as a phlebotomist before they can draw blood.)

### STATE CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:

- ▶ Attend a phlebotomy training program that has been approved by the State's Laboratory Field Services Department.
- ▶ Complete a minimum of 40 hours of clinical training at a State-Approved lab. (CTI requires 64 Hours didactic training, 40 Hours clinical training at a State-Approved Lab, 50 venipunctures, 10 skin punctures)\*
- ▶ Pass a written certification exam from an organization approved by the California Department of Health Services.
- ▶ State Application Fee \$100

Once you have passed the National certification exam, you must submit the following to the State for certification:

- ▶ High School Transcript or GED ▶ CTI Certificate ▶ AMT Test Results

FOR CLASS SCHEDULE, FAQ'S, COURSE CONTENT, EXAM REVIEW  
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CTI's Phlebotomy Technician Program is structured in a learning-effective 50% theory / 50% hands-on method. Upon successful completion of CTI's Phlebotomy Program, students will:

- ▶ Be familiar with commonly used medical terminology related to phlebotomy
- ▶ Understand the anatomy and physiology of the circulatory system
- ▶ Be aware of the legal issues related to blood collection procedures & patient care.
- ▶ Be familiar with blood collection equipment and procedures
- ▶ Successfully obtain blood through various blood collection procedures
- ▶ Understand the procedure for arterial blood collection
- ▶ Be familiar with complications and procedural errors
- ▶ Know about infection control, safety and first aid

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

#### THE MILITARY SPOUSE CAREER ADVANCEMENT ACCOUNTS

(MyCAA) Program is an employment assistance program that provides up to \$4,000 of financial assistance to eligible military spouses who are pursuing a license, certification or Associate's degree in a portable career field & occupation.

MyCAA Program Basics:

- ▶ Who is eligible to participate in the MyCAA Program
- ▶ What MyCAA funding does and does not pay for
- ▶ How to establish a MyCAA Account
- ▶ How to provide feedback to MyCAA
- ▶ How to get additional information and assistance

For more info: <http://www.militaryonesource.mil/>

\*Proof of Clinical Hours Completed/California statute requires that students successfully completing a course of study be awarded the appropriate diploma or certificate. Graduates of CTI courses are awarded a certificate of completion upon successful completion of the program.

