The Phlebotomist facilitates the collection and transport of blood and other laboratory specimens and is often the patient’s only contact with medical laboratory. 70% of all diagnoses involve laboratory specimens.

“I am so glad that I chose to take the Phlebotomy program at KVCC. This program has challenged me and changed my life in ways I never thought possible. It has helped me grow into a better person and given me a solid foundation with which to build upon. I learned that I can achieve my goals and overcome my fears all while helping others. I am extremely proud of myself and my choice. Thank you KVCC!”

“Phlebotomy is a great pathway to other medical careers, such as Medical Assistant, Nurse, or Medical Laboratory Technician.”

What Phlebotomy graduates do:
- Apply anatomy knowledge
- Interact compassionately with patients
- Properly label blood specimens
- Assist blood donations
- Apply knowledge of medical terms
- Work with hospital teams
- Observe and enforce safety procedures
- Properly collects and labels blood specimens
- Practices good safety procedures

Career Opportunities:
- Clinics
- Physician practices
- Donor centers
- Insurance companies
- Nursing homes
- Reference laboratories
- Hospital laboratories
- Research facilities

For further questions about this program, please contact: pbt@kvcc.me.edu or go to: www.kvcc.me.edu/pbt
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CRITERIA FOR GRADUATION

Students must complete 18 credits in the Phlebotomy certificate program and achieve a minimum grade of “C” in all courses. Students must maintain a final GPA of 2.0.

GAINFUL EMPLOYMENT

For more information about the Phlebotomy Certificate’s graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program, and other important information, please go to http://www.kvcc.me.edu/pages/general/gainful-employment.

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