

PHLEBOTOMY

CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

The phlebotomist facilitates the collection, handling, and processing of blood and other laboratory specimens and is often the patient's only contact with the medical laboratory. Phlebotomists are a valuable part of a healthcare team and help patients receive accurate and timely results. In fact, 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."



Become a Skilled Phlebotomist



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 collect and label blood specimens
- Specimen processing

Career Opportunities:

- Clinics
- Physician practices
- Donor centers
- Insurance companies
- Reference laboratories
- Hospital laboratories
- Research facilities

For further questions about this program, please contact:

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Certificate

COM105	Interpersonal Communication	3
MAS102	Medical Terminology	3
MAS110	Medical Documentation	3
MAT111	Quantitative Reasoning	3
MLT103	Phlebotomy	6
	Total Credits	18

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.