



Central Processing Technology/Certificate

Division of Health Sciences

The goal of this program is to prepare graduates for a career in hospitals, physician and dental offices, biotech and veterinary hospitals, and surgical centers. Central services is the “hub” of the medical care environment especially in those health care agencies performing surgical procedures and need equipment that is sterile, packed correctly, and delivered on time to the operating room. Central Service Technicians also provide critical services to all departments, healthcare professionals and patients.

Successful graduates of the program will be able to:

- Communicate and advocate for patient safety as a member of a multi-disciplinary team;
- Provide and implement quality assurance monitors;
- Apply federal and regulatory agency recommendations within the work practice;
- Gain employment as an entry level professional;
- Demonstrate accountability within the surgical suite environment;
- Adhere to infection control requirements, with emphasis on microbiological principles and ethical practices.