



Dedicated Faculty



Experienced Career Services

ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE IN

SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY

Surgical technologists play a critical role in the operating room, and through our program, you can prepare for an exciting and rewarding career in this in-demand healthcare field. Our program is a great choice both for students new to the medical profession and for those looking to advance their current healthcare career.

PROGRAM INFO

Length: **80 Weeks/5 Terms**
Semester Credit Hours: **69**
Clock Hours: **1380**
Format: **Hybrid**

INDUSTRY CERTIFICATIONS

Sterile Processing: Certified Sterile Processing Technician (CSPDT) from CBSPD
Surgical Technologist: CAAHEP accredited, with graduates eligible for CST certification by NBSTSA

EXTERNSHIP

270 Hours

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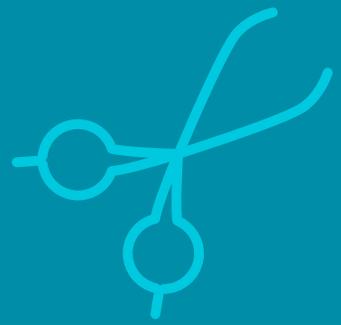
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*Financial aid available to those who qualify. Payment plans available. See catalog for full pricing details.

*Non-Refundable Application fee: \$60.

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What is Surgical Technology?

Surgical technologists have a hands-on role, directly assisting surgeons during a procedure. Surgical technologists prepare operating rooms, arrange equipment, and help doctors during surgeries.



SURGICAL TECHNOLOGISTS

- Prepare supplies, equipment and instruments
- Maintain sterile conditions during surgery
- Scrub arms and hands and assist the surgical team to scrub and put on gloves, masks, and surgical clothing
- Provide technical assistance to surgeons, surgical nurses, or anesthesiologists
- Prepare patients for surgery, including positioning patients on the operating table and covering them with sterile surgical drapes to prevent exposure

INDUSTRY CERTIFICATIONS

- **Certified Surgical Technologist (CST)** through the National Board of Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting (NBSTSA)
- **Certified Sterile Processing Technician** through the Certification Board for Sterile Processing and Distribution (CBSPD)

The Associate of Applied Science in Surgical Technology is accredited by the **Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (www.caahep.org)** upon the recommendation of the Accreditation Review Council on Education in Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting (ARC/STSA).

There is no mandatory requirement that surgical technologists hold a license in the states of Illinois, Wisconsin or Indiana to practice. However, professional certification is generally required to qualify for employment in most clinical settings.

EXTERNSHIP

Students of this program must complete a 270-hour externship at an MCC-affiliated site. Through externship, you can:

- Put into practice what you're taught in the classroom
- Gain real-world patient care experience
- Build your resume to be more competitive
- Become more employable
- Grow your professional network

CAREER OUTLOOK

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, 12% job growth is projected from 2016–2026. Learn more at <http://www.bls.gov/ooh/healthcare/surgical-technologists.htm>.

CURRICULUM HIGHLIGHTS*

Introduction to Surgical Technology
Preoperative Procedures
Intraoperative Procedures
Postoperative Procedures
Sterile Processing
Microbiology for Healthcare Professionals
Pathophysiology
Introduction to Pharmacology
Surgical Technology Lab
Surgical Procedures
Surgical Tech Externship

*Curriculum is subject to change. See catalog for current course offerings.

CATALOG

The Midwestern Career College catalog can be found online at MCCCollege.edu/catalog.

ABOUT MIDWESTERN CAREER COLLEGE

MCC's mission is to provide premier career-focused education to empower students with academic training, technical expertise and professional support to launch or advance their successful careers.

Established in 2004, MCC has locations in downtown Chicago, Naperville and Blue Island and is accredited by the Commission of the Council on Occupational Education (COE).*

*See disclaimer for full contact information.

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