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Pharmacy Technology

The Pharmacy Technology Program prepares individuals to assist the pharmacist in duties that a technician can legally perform and to function within the boundaries prescribed by the pharmacist and the employment agency.

Students will prepare prescription medications, mix intravenous solutions and other specialized medications, update patient profiles, maintain inventories, package medications in unit-dose or med-card form, and gather data used by pharmacists to monitor drug therapy.

Employment opportunities include retail, hospitals, nursing homes, research laboratories, wholesale drug companies, and pharmaceutical manufacturing facilities. Graduates from the program may be eligible to take the National Certification Examination to become a certified pharmacy technician.

This program is accredited by:

ASHP-American Society of Health-System Pharmacists

7272 Wisconsin Avenue
Bethesda, Maryland 20814
Phone: 866-279-0681

www.ashp.org

Specific Admission Requirements:

This program has a limited admission process. For application and admission requirements, contact ageadvising@abtech.edu and view the information on our website at <https://www.abtech.edu/admissions/selective-and-limited-programs>.

Total Cost Estimate

Tuition per Semester (NC Resident) \$1,216.00 (16+ credit hours)
\$76.00/credit hour (1-15 hours)

Computer Use and Technology Fee \$48/semester

Activity Fee Fall and Spring semesters only,
Main campus only, \$35.00

CAPS Fee (Campus Access, Parking and Security) \$20/semester

Matriculation Fee \$6/semester

Student Insurance \$2/Semester

Additional Fees including books may incur, please check A-B Tech website for more detail: <https://abtech.edu/program/pharmacy-technology-aas-cost-estimate>

Have you applied for Financial aid? Please visit A-B Tech website for instructions: <https://abtech.edu/future-students/financial-aid/applying-aid>

Diploma Available:

Pharmacy Technology Diploma

For more information, please visit:

<https://abtech.edu/programs/academic/pharmacy-technology>

Courses requiring a grade of "C" or better: ACA, PHM, and BIO

	Course Prefix	Course Name	Credit Hours
First Semester (Fall)	ACA 115	Success & Study Skills	1
	CIS 110	Introduction to Computers	3
	PHM 110	Introduction to Pharmacy	3
	PHM 111	Pharmacy Practice I	4
	PHM 115	Pharmacy Calculations	3
	PHM 120	Pharmacology I	3
Second Semester (Spring)	BIO 161	Intro to Human Biology	3
	PHM 118	Sterile Products	4
	PHM 125	Pharmacology II	3
	PHM 140	Trends in Pharmacy	2
	PHM 155	Community Pharmacy	3
Third Semester (Summer)	COM 120	Intro Interpersonal Communication	3
	ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry	3
	PHM 132	Pharmacy Clinical	2
Fourth Semester (Fall)	MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy	3
	PHM 150	Hospital Pharmacy	4
	PHM 160	Pharm Dosage Forms	3
	PHM 134	Pharmacy Clinical	4
	PSY 150	General Psychology	3
Fifth Semester (Spring)	HUM 115	Critical Thinking	3
	PHM 138	Pharmacy Clinical	8
	PHM 165	Pharmacy Prof Practice	2
Program Totals:			70

Career Opportunities in Pharmacy Technology

A.A.S. Degree Salary Range: \$25,000 - \$43,000

Diploma Salary Range: \$10 - \$15/Hr

Hospital, Retail, Home Health Care, Clinic and Mail-Order Pharmacies, Pharmaceutical Companies

Salaries may vary based on size of business and other factors.

For More Information:

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