



NSCC Guided Pathway

NONCREDIT PROGRAM

2018-19

Pharmacy Technician (XPT) – Nursing and Allied Health Pathway Certification Training • Corporate and Professional Education Division

Course Number	Course Title	Hours	CPL into this Program	CPL into Credit Program
HEA108	Pharmacy Technician Program	50		X

Program Notes

- ITA eligible
- TAACCT eligible
- CORI/SORI check required
- Drug screen required
- Proof of immunization and a negative TB required
- Required 40 hour clinical externship
- Day or evening program
- Class size limited

Campus Information

- Danvers campus
- Required clinical hours are scheduled at local pharmacies and may vary from classroom hours.

Additional Requirements

- High school diploma or equivalent or currently enrolled as a high school student in good standing.
- Must be at least 18 years old to become licensed.

How to Register

Students must pay in full for each course at the time registration or make arrangements for a payment plan.

Ways to Register

- By Phone** – Call (978) 236-1200 with Visa, MasterCard, or Discover card number between 9:00 - 5:00 Monday through Friday
- By Mail** – Send a completed registration form along with payment to: North Shore Community College, Enrollment & Records Office, 1 Ferncroft Road, Danvers, MA 01923
- By Fax** – Fax a completed registration form with Visa, MasterCard, or Discover card number to (978) 762-4015
- In Person** – Visit the Lynn or Danvers Enrollment Center with your completed registration form along with payment: Visa, MasterCard, Discover card, check, or money order

Advising Notes

- This program is intended to prepare students for the Pharmacy Technician Certification Board's Certified Pharmacy Technician Exam (CPhT). Upon scoring high enough on this exam, students are eligible for entry level employment as a pharmacy technician. www.ptcb.org
- In Massachusetts a Pharmacy Technician must register with the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Pharmacy www.mass.gov/pharmacy-technician-licensing
- If you have interest in continuing your education in healthcare, speak with a nursing and allied health pathway advisor for further course planning.
- This program is designed upon completion to be eligible to use credit for prior learning from this program to save time and money on the Health Care Technician Certificate.
- Contact CAS for more information on course equivalences and next steps you need to take to begin the next program. www.northshore.edu/cas/credit/alternative_studies.html
- We strongly recommend students take the Accuplacer Placement Exam in the Center for Alternative Studies and Educational Testing prior to registration for advising purposes. www.northshore.edu/cas/testing/computerized_placement.html

LABOR MARKET OUTLOOK*

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Median Level Wages:	\$28,520 - \$34,820	
10 Year Projected Growth:	United States:	9.3%
	Massachusetts:	7.5%
	Metro North:	7.9%

*Data from Massachusetts Career Information Systems



**Congratulations on
Completing the Program!**