

LOOKING FOR A CAREER IN HEALTHCARE?

Sterile Processing Technician Grant

School of Health and Patient Simulation
Workforce Competitive Trust Fund (WCTF)

CLASSES MEET:

Monday / Tuesday 5:15pm - 8:15pm, Thursday 6 - 9pm

Hybrid Course Delivery

(online lectures / face-to-face, with socially distanced lab sessions)

DATES:

6/7/21 - 8/12/21

Individuals are welcome to apply!

Any individual who is under/unemployed
or makes less than \$ 15/hour and seeks a career in
healthcare should consider this opportunity.

WHAT IS A STERILE PROCESSING TECHNICIAN?

Sterile Processing Technicians work as part of an operations team in a healthcare organization. They play an essential role in patient safety as well as infection control. Sterile Processing Technicians operate the sterilizing equipment such as the autoclave that sterilizes equipment, surgical instruments, and medical supplies so that they can be safely redistributed and reused throughout the medical facility. They must obey all hospital policies and are responsible for arranging the surgical equipment in the operating room. They must check, assemble, and adjust all medical tools to ensure they are all functioning properly before the surgery begins. They must make sure all tools and equipment have been decontaminated and that the area is completely sterile before and after procedures. Due to hospitals' around-the-clock schedule, a variety of work schedules may be available.

INCLUDED in the WCTF GRANT COURSE at no charge are the following:

- Tuition Free Sterile Processing Lecture and Lab Course
- Tuition Free Career Development Course
- School of Health and Patient Simulation Lab fees
- CBSPD Certification Exam Fees
- Textbook & Workbook - Uniform & Name Tag
- Career preparation and advising support services
- \$1000 Stipend
 - \$500 upon completion of course
 - \$500 upon CBSPD Certification
- 6 Month Bus Pass (if needed)
- Post-Graduation employment support and mentoring included.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

To qualify you will need to meet these requirements to be considered for this grant opportunity.

- Have a high school diploma, GED, or HiSET
- Pass a Massachusetts Criminal Offender Record Information (CORI) and Sex Offender Record Information (SORI), a seven year residential search, and FBI Fingerprinting checks.
- Fill out an Initial Interest Questionnaire
- Must meet SPT Technical Standards

**Second cohort begins
June 7th 2021 Application
due by 5/14/21**

**THIS GRANT-FUNDED SHORT-TERM PROGRAM LEADS DIRECTLY
TO A JOB AND IS OFFERED AT NO COST TO PARTICIPANTS**

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