



Phlebotomist

Highlights

A career as a phlebotomist can be a very rewarding, one with:

- Stability
- Good Pay
- Growth Opportunities
- Professional Recognition

Job Outlook

In 2012 the US Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) projected the employment of phlebotomists to grow by 27 percent by 2022, which is much faster than the average for all occupations. If the projection of the BLS is accurate, that will amount to 27,100 new lab assistant jobs in the US.

What Phlebotomists Do

The primary responsibilities for a Certified Phlebotomy Technician I involves venipunctures and skin punctures. They draw blood for tests, transfusions, research, or blood donations.

Work Environment

Phlebotomists can work in a variety of healthcare environments, including hospitals, medical and diagnostic laboratories, blood donation centers and doctor's offices.

How to Become a Phlebotomist

The best way to become a phlebotomist is by attending a reputable accredited career college such as California Institute of Medical Science.

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