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# PHLEBOTOMY MICRO-CREDENTIAL



**Program Length:** 12 hours practical, 27 hours online

**Course Type:** *Certificate*

**Delivery Method:** *Hybrid*

**Students:** *International/Domestic/Open to all*

**NOC Code:** *Median Wage \$00/hour*



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## CERTIFICATE Overview

Phlebotomy is the act of drawing or removing blood from the circulatory system through a cut (incision) or puncture in order to obtain a sample for analysis and diagnosis. Phlebotomy is also processed as part of the patient's treatment for certain blood disorders.

**This program is for you, if: you obtained your training outside of Canada, or do not have any medical background but would like to shift to the healthcare industry.**

Phlebotomy is when someone uses a needle to take blood from a vein, usually in your arm. It is also known as a blood draw or venipuncture. It's an important tool for diagnosing many medical conditions. Usually, the blood is sent to a laboratory for testing. But sometimes the blood is withdrawn as a treatment for certain medical conditions. This whole procedure is called therapeutic phlebotomy. It removes extra red blood cells, unusually shaped red blood cells, or extra iron in the blood. The objective of the course is to learn the fundamentals of phlebotomy as they relate to patient care.

The objective of the Phlebotomy Certificate Program at Futures Canadian College is to make students learn the fundamentals and essentials of phlebotomy as the procedure relates to patient care. Upon successful completion of this course, the students will be able to:

- Explain basic anatomy and physiology of the circulatory system.
- Define "standard precautions" regarding blood collection and handling.
- Practice the use of medical terminology relating to the circulatory system.
- List methods of client and specimen identification.
- List the different colors used to code blood specimens and what they stand for.
- Demonstrate how to dispense blood into tubes following syringe collection.
- Outline post-puncture care of the client.
- List potential pre-analytical sources of specimen error.



# PHLEBOTOMY MICRO-CREDENTIALS COURSE BREAKDOWN



## Graduates can work in:

Graduates may find employment in a variety of care settings including:

- Long-term care facilities
- Home care services giving care to clients living in their own homes in the community
- Supportive housing settings including senior's apartments and retirement homes
- Group homes
- Hospitals
- Adult day programs
- Educational facilities

## Get Certified

### Steps to become certified professional:

1. Complete and pass FCC's Phlebotomy course.
2. Pay your membership with Canadian Phlebotomy Technicians Group Inc.
3. \$129 annual fee
4. Write the CPT Exam.

Earn the professional title of Certified Phlebotomy Technician (CPT) upon successful completion of the CPTG certification exam. The one-time exam fee is \$210 + tax.

**Learn more about the certification exam at**

**[www.mycptg.ca/certification](http://www.mycptg.ca/certification)**



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At FCC, we strive to provide the world-class education every student deserves. With well-crafted lesson plans, that are both informative and practical, we ensure that you learn all you need to know to jumpstart your career. Our co-op programs are relevant and supportive of your desire to land that dream job! We are committed to providing you with a learning environment that is well-equipped to motivate you to pursue your studies and ultimately, achieve your long-term goals.