

## **Clinical-Pharmacy Technician/Assistant (PHRA 1260)**



**Credit:** 2 semester credit hours

### **Course Description**

This course provides an opportunity to work in pharmacy settings under a pharmacist's supervision. Emphasis is placed on effective communication with personnel, developing proper employee attitude, and dispensing of medications. Upon completion, students should be able to demonstrate an understanding of pharmacy operations, utilize references, dispense medications, and efficiently operate computers. The student will be assigned to a retail and/or institutional pharmacy setting.

**PREREQUISITES:** Approval of the Texas State Board of Pharmacy through issuance of a valid Pharmacy Technician-in-Training Certificate. The student must have successfully completed or be concurrently enrolled in PHRA 1313, PHRA 1301, PHRA 1202, PHRA 1209 AND PHRA 1240.

### **TEXTBOOK/S:**

No textbook required

**LEARNING OUTCOMES:** Upon successful completion of this course, with a minimum of 70% accuracy, the student will be able to:

1. Demonstrate effective communication
2. Demonstrate an understanding of pharmacy operations.
3. Demonstrate how to safely and accurately dispense medications under the supervision of the registered pharmacist.
4. Apply professional skills needed to function in the roll of a pharmacy technician.

**ATTENDANCE POLICY:** Class attendance is the responsibility of the student. All students must be officially enrolled in any course that they attend. It is expected that students attend all classes and be on time. If an absence occurs, it is the responsibility of the student for making up examinations, obtaining lecture notes, and otherwise compensating for what may have been missed. Students who stop attending class and do not officially drop, withdraw, or resign from the college may receive a grade of "F" for all coursework missed. Absences affect performance in this course and do not reflect well on participation. No student may substitute the attendance of another student

**ASSESSMENT MEASURES:** Student assessments will be based upon clinical performance using the clinical preceptor evaluation rubric, attendance records, and other related assignments.

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## **Course Requirements**

1. Registration for trainee certificate
2. Insurance and fingerprint
3. Scrubs and patches
4. Attendance and participation

## **Grade Scale**

90 – 100	A
80 – 89	B
70 – 79	C
60 – 69	D
0 – 59	F

## **Technical Requirements (for courses using Blackboard)**

The latest technical requirements, including hardware, compatible browsers, operating systems, software, Java, etc. can be found online at:

[https://help.blackboard.com/en-](https://help.blackboard.com/en-us/Learn/9.1)

[us/Learn/9.1 2014\\_04/Student/015 Browser Support/015 Browser Support Policy](https://help.blackboard.com/en-us/Learn/9.1/2014_04/Student/015_Browser_Support/015_Browser_Support_Policy) A functional broadband internet connection, such as DSL, cable, or WiFi is necessary to maximize the use of the online technology and resources.

## **Disabilities Statement**

The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1992 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 are federal anti-discrimination statutes that provide comprehensive civil rights for persons with disabilities. Among other things, these statutes require that all students with documented disabilities be guaranteed a learning environment that provides for reasonable accommodations for their disabilities. If you believe you have a disability requiring an accommodation, please contact the Special Populations Coordinator at (409) 880-1737 or visit the office in Student Services, Cecil Beeson Building. You may also visit the online resource at <http://www.lit.edu/depts/stuserv/special/defaults.aspx>

## **Student Code of Conduct Statement**

It is the responsibility of all registered Lamar Institute of Technology students to access, read, understand and abide by all published policies, regulations, and procedures listed in the *LIT Catalog and Student Handbook*. The *LIT Catalog and Student Handbook* may be accessed at [www.lit.edu](http://www.lit.edu) or obtained in print upon request at the Student Services Office.

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