



LINDSEY HOPKINS TECHNICAL COLLEGE

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➤ Our Vision, Mission and Core Values

VISION: Lindsey Hopkins Technical College will be a showcase institution. Our administration, faculty and staff, united in purpose will provide our student body with the most advanced career /technical and academic education.

MISSION: The mission of Lindsey Hopkins Technical College is to empower students to achieve their career goals and to develop their ultimate potential.

CORE VALUES: Accountability, Citizenship, Flexibility, Integrity, Organizational and Personal Learning, Positive Atmosphere and Culture, Preparing Student Professionalism, Pursuit of Excellence, Respect, and Valuing Stakeholders.

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SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY

WORK CLOSELY WITH SURGEONS, ANESTHESIOLOGISTS,
REGISTERED NURSES, AND SURGICAL PERSONNEL



" UPGRADING SKILLS

" IMPROVING PERFORMANCE

" PROVIDING NEW CAREER OPTIONS

LINDSEY HOPKINS TECHNICAL COLLEGE

We provide the highest quality education so that all of our students are empowered to lead productive and fulfilling lives as lifelong learners and responsible citizens.



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SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY

"Program Objective

Surgical Technologists are responsible for preparing the operating room, selecting and opening sterile instruments. Training includes assembling, adjusting and checking nonsterile equipment. Completion of the surgical technologist program is approximately one year.

"Program Content

This program is a planned sequence of instruction consisting of theory, laboratory and clinical experiences and includes:

- ▶ Anatomy
- ▶ Physiology
- ▶ Pathophysiology
- ▶ Microbiology
- ▶ Aseptic Techniques
- ▶ Medical Terminology
- ▶ Pharmacology
- ▶ Instrumentation
- ▶ Surgical Technology Procedures
- ▶ Patient Safety
- ▶ Use and Care of Equipment and Supplies
- ▶ CPR Heartsaver
- ▶ Basic Computer Literacy

Clinical experience makes up at least 50% of the total program. The program is approved by the Florida State Board of Nursing.

"Admission Requirements

- ▶ 16 years of age or older and not currently enrolled in any K-12 program
- ▶ Interview with counselor/Department Head
- ▶ Pass a physical assessment and submit a Level 2 background check
- ▶ Occupational Interest
- ▶ High School Diploma / GED® from an Accredited High School

"Completion Requirements

The entire program is 1330 hours but students can earn a certificate upon completion of the following OCPs: ▶

OCP	COURSE	HOURS
A	Basic Healthcare Worker	90
B	Central Supply Technician	210
C	Surgical Technologist 1	343
	Surgical Technologist 2	343
	Surgical Technologist 3	344

Minimum basic-skills grade levels required for awarding a Full Program Completion Certificate are 10th grade in Math, 11th grade in Reading and Language on the TABE® test. (Exception: High School Diploma from Florida Public School 2007-Present.) Additional information can be provided by student services.

Students are expected to complete program competencies.

"Employment Opportunities

Licensed Surgical Technologist can work in

- ▶ Hospitals
- ▶ Surgical Centers
- ▶ Physician's Office
- ▶ Medical Sales Representative
- ▶ Traveling Opportunities

"Employment Requirements

- ▶ License: Tech-N-Surgery/certificated offered by National Center for Competency Testing, Certified Surgical Technologist, National Board of Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting.

"Salary

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics the average earnings in 2024 for Surgical Technologists were **\$62,480** annually or **\$30.04** hourly.

"Financial Aid

Financial aid is available to those who qualify. Applicants must have a high school diploma from an accredited High School, or its equivalent. To apply, complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid, at **www.fafsa.gov**. Questions pertaining to this matter should be directed to the Financial Aid Office.

"Program Cost

- ▶ In-state residents - \$2.56 per hour (Subject to change)
- ▶ Out of state resident - \$10.25 per hour (Subject to change)
- ▶ \$20.00 application fee per trimester
- ▶ Identification fee - \$5.00 per trimester
- ▶ Liability/Accidental Insurance: \$25.00

Students must purchase books/kits and/or uniforms, if applicable

"Program Hours

- ▶ Monday - Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.