

SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNICIAN ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE

Our Medical Laboratory Technician (MLT) Associate's degree can start your path to a rewarding career as a medical laboratory technician, positively impacting patient's lives while working behind the scenes performing critical tests that provide physicians with the information necessary for diagnosis of life-threatening diseases and illnesses.

DEGREE OVERVIEW

As a student in our MLT Associate's degree, your behind-the-scene work in a healthcare facility will have a positive impact on patients' lives as you provide the information necessary to determining illnesses, diseases, and the effectiveness of drugs.

Your comprehensive courses include Clinical Chemistry, Hematology, Blood Banking, Microbiology, and other crucial and related areas. With fully-equipped professional-grade laboratories, you will gain the knowledge and skills needed to accurately and confidently perform diagnostic testing. To complement your academics, you will also complete a six-month practicum at a clinical laboratory in a healthcare facility.

Upon graduation, you can apply for the MLT (ASCP) National Credentialing exam at no cost—Rasmussen College will cover your application fee.*

CAREER OUTLOOK**

As the healthcare industry continues to grow, healthcare facilities have an increasing need for knowledgeable and experienced medical laboratory technicians. Exceptional growth opportunities are projected to exist as you enter this career.

Job Title	25th Percentile	50th Percentile	75th Percentile	Employment 2008	Projected Employment	Employment Change (2008-2018)	
						Percent	Number
Medical Laboratory Technicians	\$28,770	\$36,030	\$45,420	155,600	180,700	16%	25,000

CAREER SERVICES Through resume and cover letter development, interviewing tips and techniques, and customized job search tactics, our career services advisors work with you to help you find career success.

QUESTIONS?
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Rasmussen College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, and a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. For more information, please visit ncahlc.org.

For more information on our graduation rates, median graduate debt level, and other student investment disclosure information, visit rasmussen.edu/SID.

*Rasmussen College will pay for your first CST National certification exam application fee. Should you need to take the exam more than one time, you will be responsible for any subsequent application fees.

**Occupational Employment Statistics Home Page." Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2010-11 Edition, 27 Sept. 2011. <http://www.bls.gov/oco/>. BLS salary data does not represent starting salaries.



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SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES GRADUATE

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FEATURED COURSES

INTRODUCTION TO CLINICAL LABORATORY SCIENCE

Discover all areas of the profession and the various career opportunities available.

CLINICAL CHEMISTRY I

Perform chemical analysis on specimens and explore the instrumentation used in the medical lab.

PHLEBOTOMY

Learn a variety of blood collection methods using proper techniques and universal precautions.



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