

## Pharmacy Technician

**Ontario College Diploma | 2 years**  
Davis Campus (Brampton)



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**Training to work in a community or hospital pharmacy.**

### Critical training

Gain the specialized knowledge and training needed to deliver pharmacy services in community and hospital settings! This program is fully accredited by the Canadian Council for Accreditation of Pharmacy Programs, and learning outcomes meet the entry-to-practice competency requirements of the National Association of Pharmacy Regulatory Authorities.

### Things you'll learn to do

- Receive, identify, interpret and process prescription and non-prescription orders, herbal and complementary care medicine products
- Select, measure, weigh, count, pour, reconstitute, package and label products for dispensing
- Compound sterile and non-sterile products
- Uphold ethical principles and legal requirements to practice

### Work in pharmacy environments

All in-person lectures and labs will be held in Sheridan's Centre for Health Communities, a state-of-the-art facility designed to simulate applied health settings. Apply your new skills in your assignments, case studies, discussions, presentations and more! You'll also gain real-world experience through field placement in both hospital pharmacy (160 hours) and community pharmacy (200 hours) settings.

# Career opportunities

Sheridan graduates are in high demand. When you complete the Pharmacy Technician diploma program, you'll be ready to take a position at one of the locations listed below.

## Here are some places you might work:

- Community pharmacies
- Hospital pharmacies
- Insurance companies
- Long-term care pharmacies
- Pharmacy software providers
- Specialized pharmacy settings

# Courses

## Some of the courses you can expect to take in your program

- Community Pharmacy Practices
- Introduction to Community Pharmacy Dispensing
- Introduction to Pharmacology
- Pharmacy Management and Inventory Control
- Principles of Sterile Preparations and Aseptic Techniques
- Self-Medications and Complementary Therapies

# Fees

Fees displayed are for the first 2 academic semesters and include tuition, health insurance and ancillary charges. These are estimates only; subject to change. See website for details.

## For Canadian students

- \$4,504.75 CAD

## For international students

- \$19,065.75 CAD

# Admission requirements

## Program eligibility

Ontario Secondary School Diploma or equivalent, including these required courses:

- One English, Grade 12 (ENG4C or ENG4U)
- plus
- One Mathematics, Grade 11 or 12 (C or U)
  - Biology, Grade 11 (C or U)
  - Chemistry, Grade 12 (C or U) or Chemistry, Grade 11 (U)

Mature student status.

## Applicant selection

Eligible applicants will be selected on the basis of their previous academic achievement (the average of their six highest senior-level credits, including required courses).

Applicants who do not meet the admission requirements for this program may be advised individually regarding other related programs.

## English language proficiency

All applicants whose first language is not English must meet Sheridan's English proficiency requirements.

## Admission requirements/additional info

Prior to your placements, you must (at your own expense) obtain a valid CPR + AED certificate (Level C) with standard First Aid, complete a criminal record/vulnerable sectors check, take a N95 Mask Fit Test, and present an up-to-date immunization record approved by the Sheridan College Health Centre.

## Pathways

Applicants who do not possess the necessary admission requirements for the Pharmacy Technician program may wish to apply for the Pre-Health Sciences – Pathway to Advanced Diplomas and Degrees program. This is a preferred preparatory program for admission consideration into Pharmacy Technician.

Refer to the website for full admission requirements.

## How to apply: 5 easy steps

- 1 Find your program
- 2 Check the admission requirements
- 3 Apply online
- 4 Submit your documentation
- 5 Accept your offer

## Ready to get started?

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# International students

## Find out more about...

- Post-graduation work permit (PGWP) eligibility
- Admission requirements
- English language proficiency requirements
- Fees and financial aid
- Provincial Attestation Letters (PALs)

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