



NEED TECHS?

**AN APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM MAY BE
THE SOLUTION YOU ARE LOOKING FOR!**



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**An apprenticeship training program with STAT605 can be
*beneficial to your facility.***

APPRENTICES WILL:

- Earn while they learn.
- Receive the most up-to-date related instruction to supplement the hands-on training.
- Follow a structured training plan.
- Receive formal mentoring from an experienced surgical technologist.
- Provide value to the team while learning.
- Remain in your local community.
- Be prepared to sit for national certification upon successful completion of the program.

EMPLOYERS ARE ABLE TO:

- Admit apprentice(s) throughout the year.
- Allow for customizable training.
- Fill positions in difficult to recruit areas.
- Reduce staff turnover.
- Support community involvement with an apprenticeship program.
- Fast track job readiness without compromising knowledge or skills.

EVERY TECH COUNTS

Healthcare facilities are facing workforce shortages, and with an increased demand for the profession, surgical technologists are needed in nearly every hospital and surgery center.

Implementation of a U.S. Department of Labor Registered Apprenticeship Program allows facilities to grow their own thus reducing the high cost of utilizing travelers.

It enables the apprentice to study and train in their community and earn while they learn.



“ Achieving student success is my top priority. It’s crucial to educate competent surgical technologists for health care facilities to ensure patient safety. ”

Erin Howardson, Executive Director and Instructor, holds a Master’s Degree and is a 27-year Certified Surgical Technologist. She has been a solo program director/instructor/clinical coordinator at the collegiate level for 12 years and gained experience as a traveling surgical technologist at a variety of facilities. She has transitioned to providing the related instruction for U.S. Department of Labor Registered Apprenticeship Programs.

Due to her passion and dedication to teaching and the profession, every graduate passed the national certification exam on their first attempt, for an overall 100% pass rate.

For additional information on how STAT605 can provide the related instruction for your apprenticeship program, or to inquire how to become an apprentice, visit www.STAT605.com and contact Erin.

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WHAT IS AN APPRENTICESHIP?

A registered apprenticeship is a career pathway whereby employers hire and prepare individuals through a combination of paid on-the-job training and related instruction to develop skills needed to enter the surgical technology profession.

HOW IT WORKS

Healthcare Facilities become registered through the U.S. Department of Labor. Once approved, the facility selects, hires, and employs the apprentice full-time. The apprentice works alongside an experienced surgical technologist learning hands-on skills while completing online coursework through STAT605. After successful completion and meeting the requirements of the National Center for Competency Testing (NCCT), the apprentice will be eligible to sit for national certification.

CERTIFICATION

The National Center for Competency Testing (NCCT) is an independent credentialing organization that has tested healthcare professionals and instructors throughout the United States since 1989. NCCT is accredited by the National Commission for Certifying Agencies (NCCA). The hands-on experience and curriculum gained through the apprenticeship prepares students for the NCCT Tech in Surgery (TS-C) certification exam.