# SURGICAL TECHNOLOGIST APPRENTICESHIP



Oregon proudly introduces its first Registered Apprenticeship for Surgical Technologists, approved by the Oregon Health Authority and the Bureau of Labor & Industries.

The Surgical Technologist Apprenticeship program, offered by the Health Star Joint Apprenticeship Training Council (JATC), provides aspiring job seekers with a genuine "earn and learn" route to employment. Upon fulfilling the apprenticeship requirements, apprentices can take the nationally recognized NCCT Tech in Surgery TS-C exam.

Apprenticeship combines paid on-the-job training, related instruction online, mentorship, and incremental wage increases.

The apprenticeship takes one year to complete and includes:

- 2,000 hours of on-the-job work
- 8 essential core competencies
- 288 hours of online-related education

#### Tuition:

- Apprentices will have access to the apprenticeship at no cost.
- The expenses associated with the apprenticeship will be financed through employer fees and available grants.







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### Requirements

All Applicants Must:

- Be at least 18 years of age
- Have proof of a high school diploma or GED

Facilities may require:

• Passing a pre-employment drug screening, passing a criminal background check, and may require applicants to show immunity or proof of certain immunizations.

Employers are under no obligation to hire any applicant they interview, and the individual must also meet all hiring criteria from each respective employer. Applicants are screened by the Apprenticeship Manager to determine whether they meet the minimum qualifications and are scored based on the selection criteria listed on the application.

# **To Apply**

Applications are currently being accepted with no closing date for applying.

- 1. Download the Surgical Technologist application and the supplemental form at www.sowib.org/st
- 2. Email the completed application and supplemental form to lpumphrey@sowib.org along with proof of your minimum qualifications a copy of your high school diploma/transcript or GED certificate and a copy of your driver's license/government-issued ID.

WOMEN, MINORITIES, PEOPLE
WITH DISABILITIES, VETERANS ARE
ENCOURAGED TO APPLY!

## **Training Agents**

Employers who wish to become training agents are invited to contact the apprenticeship manager for more information. This opportunity is available for employers across all counties in Oregon.











Health Star JATC will not discriminate against apprenticeship applicants or apprentices based on race, color, religion, national origin, sex (including pregnancy and gender identity), sexual orientation, genetic information, or because they are an individual with a disability or a person 18 years old or older. Health Star JATC shall make affirmative action to provide equal opportunity in apprenticeship and shall operate the apprenticeship program as required under the Oregon Plan for Equal Employment Opportunity in Apprenticeship and Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations, part 30. This is an equal opportunity program, and auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

