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Phlebotomy

Fast Track at Athens

Skill development in the performance of a variety of blood collection methods using proper techniques and standard precautions. Includes vacuum collection devices, syringes, capillary skin puncture, butterfly needles and blood culture, and specimen collection on adults, children, and infants. Emphasis on infection prevention, patient identification, specimen labeling, quality assurance, specimen handling, processing, accessioning, professionalism, ethics, and medical terminology.

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Class Information

*Phlebotomy Fast Track

PLAB-1023-3AT01 Athens Campus 3/11/2025 - 6/3/2025 Tuesdays 8:30 am - 5:30 pm Tuition: \$904.50



*COURSE PREREQUISITES ARE REQUIRED FOR THIS COURSE. CONTACT THE ADULT & CONTINUING EDUCATION DEPARTMENT FOR MORE DETAILS PRIOR TO THE START DATE OF THE COURSE.



ABOUT THE INSTRUCTOR Brenda Cumby

I received my Nursing degree from Trinity Valley Community College. My nursing career started in Long-term Care, First as a charge nurse, second as a treatment nurse, next as an infection control nurse, assistant director of nursing, and last as director of nursing. Initially, I started my career as a certified nurse aide. I returned to college, received my certification as a medication aide, and worked six-plus years in this profession.

I advanced my education to Registered Nurse and started my nursing career as a floor nurse caring for geriatric residents at Cedar Lake Nursing Home for 17 years. Next, I was a Charge Nurse at ETMC/UT Athens and worked in the Med Surge Unit, Pediatrics Unit, OB Unit, and ICU unit for the past 12 years. I also was Director of Nursing at Advanced Rehabilitation and Healthcare in Athens for the past year, and I am still employed as a Nurse Evaluator for Prometric, where I administer the Certified Nursing Aide Exam. I have been a nurse for over 28 years. Now, I'm employed at TVCC as a Clinical Medical Assistant and Nursing Assistant Program Instructor.

My life includes a husband of 40 years, and we are blessed with two children, a son and a daughter. Who are both Youth Pastors and Praise and Worship Leaders; my son at Behind the Veil, and my daughter at Church of the Living God, Athens. My son also graduated from TVCC and is employed by the Texas Dept. of Transportation, and my daughter is a Chef. We have three beautiful grandchildren. My oldest grandson attends UT Tyler this year, and his major is business. My other grandson is a senior at Athens High School, and my granddaughter attends Mansfield Elementary. I am a part of the Greater Athens Lion Club, a sorority member of Gamma Phi Delta for professional women. I'm very active in the community and love people. I am very excited to be part of TVCC as an Instructor!



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