

Badge Details

Name	8535 – Phlebotomy Technician (CPT)
Description	A phlebotomy technician's primary task is to collect patient blood samples through venipuncture or microtechniques. Often, they are the only members of the medical laboratory team who come into contact with the patient and thus play an important role. Other important tasks that they may carry out include: verifying patient or donor records, testing drug levels in blood, labeling and storing blood samples for processing, analyzing blood cells and body fluids, performing patient interviews, and obtaining vital signs.
Criteria	 Candidates receiving this certification will take an exam with the following criteria: Medical Terminology, Anatomy, Physiology, and Diseases 20% Units of Measure, Conversion, and Calculations 5% Law, Ethics, and Professionalism 5% Safety Procedures 10% Patient Identification, Communication, and Instruction 5% Approach to Specimen Collection and Processing 25% Routine and Special Blood Collections 20% Specimen Complications and Phlebotomy Equipment 10%