

Surgical Technology Program Projected Expenses (2017-2018)

(All estimates are approximate only) Important Link: The Association of Surgical Technologists <http://www.ast.org>

Expense	Date Due	Amount Due	Pay to	Notes
Entrance Exam Testing	January-June	Appx. \$37	NCTC Business Office	
Transcripts	For NCTC Registration	Varies with School	Previous schools	ALL past transcripts are required for registration
Tuition (Includes Gen Use and Student Services fees)	For NCTC Registration	\$85/Sem Hr Cooke County Residents	NCTC Business Office	Sem 1 =18 hrs Sem 2 = 14 hrs Sem 3 = 6 hrs
Tuition (Includes Gen Use, Out of District and Student Services fees)	For NCTC Registration	\$95/Sem Hr Branch Campus	NCTC Business Office	Sem 1 =18 hrs Sem 2 = 14 hrs Sem 3 = 6 hrs
(Includes Gen Use, Out of District and Student Services fees)	For NCTC Registration	\$150/Sem Hr Out of Cooke County Residents \$250/Sem Hr Out of Texas Residents	NCTC Business Office	Sem 1 =18 hrs Sem 2 = 14 hrs Sem 3 = 6 hrs
Lab Fee	For NCTC Registration	\$24/ Lab \$168 Total	Included in fees paid to NCTC Business Office	Total of 7 Labs
DCTA shuttle Fee	For NCTC Registration	\$2/semester credit hour (Up to 12 hours)	NCTC Business Office	Denton County Transit Authority shuttle fee is assessed of college students who attend classes at the Corinth or Flower Mound Campuses, including classes held at Pinnell Square. Students can access any DCTA transportation by showing their NCTC ID card)
Reinstatement Fee	For NCTC Reregistration	\$50 (Non –refundable) \$20 Return check	NCTC Business Office	Reinstatement Fee is assessed for students who re-enroll in courses after being dropped for non-payment
Criminal Background Check	For NCTC Registration	Appx \$45	Included in fees paid to NCTC Business Office	

10 Panel Drug Screen	For NCTC Registration	Appx \$50	Included in fees paid to NCTC Business Office	Done at NCTC
Immunization Tracking	For NCTC Registration	Appx \$45	Paid to Corporate Screening Services, Inc.	Student will set up personal account with this company
Malpractice Insurance	For NCTC Registration	Appx. \$20	Included in fees paid to NCTC Business Office	
AST membership and Testing	For NCTC Registration	Appx. \$250	Included in fees paid to NCTC Business Office	Includes CST Exam, AST Membership, Study Guide
Books	For NCTC Registration	Appx. \$375	Included in fees paid to NCTC Business Office	Books for the whole year Included
Healthcare Provider CPR card	Orientation Day	\$30-\$50	Hospitals or Fire Dept., NCTC Adult Continuing Education Dept -Student Choice	Must be American Heart, Health Care Provider
Accident/Health Insurance	Orientation Day	\$80 or more	Insurance Co.- Student Choice	Student Insurance Available after about July 4th
Physical Exam	Orientation Day	\$20-\$200	Private Physician	Use NCTC Form
TB Test, 2 step (2 tests 21-30 days apart)	Orientation Day	Varies-\$10 at County Health Dept	MD/Public Health Unit	Or evidence of previous annual testing
Bacterial Meningitis	10 days before NCTC registration	\$10 @ Health dept.; \$130-150 drug store or MD	MD/Public Health Unit	Required only for those <30 years old
Hepatitis Series of 3 shots before titer Positive titer results required	Orientation Day	\$85 each =\$255 \$20 each at Health Unit	MD/Pharmacy Kroger/ Public Health Unit	Take one, wait a month, take another, wait 4-6 months, get a 3 rd , wait 30 days, get a Titer drawn or An accelerated dosing schedule of 0, 7, 21-30 days and a month 12 booster dose was recently approved by

				the FDA. Still requires Pos Titer+
Positive Titer evidence of immunity	Orientation Day	Hepatitis B	Student choice, Price varies with company	Personal choice: physician, Anylabtestnow.co m; www.requestatest.com ; LabCorp: 940- 891-0691, 940- 382-3023; Denton Regional Medical Center Occupational Medicine 940-384- 3570; Clinical Pathology Labs 303 Colorado Blvd # B (940) 566-0010
		Measles (Rubeola)		
		Mumps,		
		Rubella (3 Day measles)		
		Varicella (Chicken Pox)		
Scrubs-Royal Blue, top and bottom	First Day of class	\$10-25/piece	Uniform Shop, Discount Store, On- line	Minimum of 2 sets, 3 preferred; some donated scrubs and patches available=ask ST Dept
White Shoes-2 pair- Lab and OR	First Day of class	Varies with student; <u>All white</u> , this is part of a uniform	Student's choice	Leather for Safety; No clogs or backless or open toe shoes;
Surgical Tech patches	First Day of class	Appx. \$5.50	NCTC Bookstore	One for each uniform top or warm-up jacket
Passport Quality Photo	First Day of class	\$10-15	Walgreens, CVS, Sears	For CST application
Printer Paper & Ink, Flash Drives		Varies	N/A	For home computer; NCTC ST uses "Word." Documents. Most assignments are required to be turned in on-line
Personal school supplies	Orientation Day	Appx. \$30	N/A	Student choice: pens, pencils, highlighters,

				Notebook, notebook paper, spiral notebook, dividers, page protectors
Poster Assignment	End of October	\$2-\$10	N/A	Thin cardboard poster board only
Professional Portfolio	End of First Semester	\$5-\$10	N/A	Begin after Letter of Intent; 3 ring binder, clear plastic page protectors, subject dividers
Feed the Clinical Site	End of each of 3 semesters	Varies with student	N/A	Cookies, candy, etc. - you choose
Adopted Family	Early December	Varies	Class Treasurer	
Oral Report	February	\$5-\$10	N/A	
Cap, Gown and Tassel	May 1	\$40	Bookstore	Some are donated by past classes
Surg Tech Pin	May 1	Varies by person-\$0-\$?	Various Vendors	
Graduation Reception	May 1	Varies by class	Class Treasurer	

Texas Workforce students: Please consult your counselor ASAP re these expenses and required documentation. The estimated cost of the Surgical Technology Program is \$3,500-\$10,000. *Please note that tuition and fees may increase at any time.