



2015 – 2016 HEALTH SCIENCES META-MAJOR ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE (AS) IN HEALTH SCIENCE – SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY SPECIALIST DEGREE MAP



Meta-majors are academic pathways to help you meet your educational goals. Included below is a sample schedule for a full-time in college student on an Associate of Science degree track in Health Science – Surgical Technology Specialist. While you may not be a full-time student, you are responsible for completing the “Mandatory Hourly Requirements” on the right. Registration holds will be placed on students who do not meet the “Mandatory Hourly Requirements” and those students will be required to see an advisor. Please be advised that not all types of financial aid will cover the cost of summer semester courses. Please note: This is a limited access program. Meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission into the program. Please visit www.tcc.fl.edu/health for information and deadlines. Courses noted below with an asterisk (*) may be completed either in advance of admission or on the timeline listed below.

COURSE RECOMMENDATIONS ARE BASED ON GENERAL COURSE REQUIREMENTS.

SAMPLE FULLTIME SCHEDULE

TERM 1	Courses
Program Requirement Course	BSC1084C
Program Requirement Course	HSC1538
Program Requirement Course	HSC1000
Program Requirement Course	HSC1000L
Program Requirement Course	HSC2520
Program Requirement Course	STS2361
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	13 HOURS
COMPLETED HOURS	13 HOURS

TERM 2	Courses
Program Requirement Course	STS1340
Program Requirement Course	STS1302
Program Requirement Course	STS1302L
Program Requirement Course	STS1310
Program Requirement Course	STS1310L
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	14 HOURS
COMPLETED HOURS	27 HOURS

TERM 3	Courses
Program Requirement Course	STS2323
Program Requirement Course	STS2323L
Program Requirement Course	STS2944
Program Requirement Course	STS2953
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	10 HOURS
COMPLETED HOURS	37 HOURS

TERM 4	Courses
Program Requirement Course	STS2324
Program Requirement Course	STS2324L
Program Requirement Course	STS2365
Program Requirement Course	STS2945
Program Requirement Course	STS2954
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	12 HOURS
COMPLETED HOURS	49 HOURS

TERM 5	Courses
These courses may be completed either prior to program admission, after completion of program core courses, or any combination thereof (before graduation).	ENC1101
	HUMANITIES*
	MATH*
	SCIENCE*
	HISTORY/SOCIAL SCIENCE*
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	15 HOURS
COMPLETED HOURS	64 HOURS TO GRADUATE

**Please refer to the [TCC Catalog](#) for specific courses that meet this requirement.

MANDATORY HOURLY REQUIREMENT

By 13 Completed Credit Hours
Attend First Semester Advising Workshop
Meet with an Advisor
Declare a Meta-Major
2.0 or higher TCC GPA & Cumulative GPA

By 27 Completed Credit Hours
2.0 or higher TCC GPA & Cumulative GPA

By 37 Completed Credit Hours
Visit Career Center
2.0 or higher TCC GPA & Cumulative GPA

By 49 Completed Credit Hours
Graduation Check Workshop
Meet with Career Placement Coordinator in TCC Career Center
2.0 or higher TCC GPA & Cumulative GPA

LAST SEMESTER
*** Apply for Graduation!***

MAJORS & OCCUPATIONS IN THE HEALTH SCIENCES META-MAJOR

Surgical Technology Specialist Certificate (49 hours)

- BSC1084C Human Biology: Essentials Of Anatomy and Physiology
- HSC1538 Medical Terminology for Healthcare
- HSC1000 Orientation to Perioperative Service
- HSC1000L Orientation to Perioperative Services Lab
- HSC2520 Microbiology for Perioperative Services
- STS1340 Pharmacology and Anesthesia
- STS1302 Introduction to Surgical Technology
- STS1302L Introduction to Surgical Technology Lab & Clinical
- STS1310 Surgical Techniques and Procedures
- STS1310L Surgical Techniques and Procedures Lab & Clinical
- STS2323 Surgical Procedures I
- STS2323L Surgical Procedures I Simulation Lab
- STS2944 Surgical Technologist Clinical I
- STS2953 Surgical Technologist Portfolio I
- STS2361 The Art of Teamwork in Surgery
- STS2324 Surgical Procedures II
- STS2324L Surgical Procedures II Simulation Lab
- STS2365 Professional Skills for the O.R. Team
- STS2945 Surgical Technologist Clinical II
- STS2954 Surgical Technologist Portfolio II

Health Science - Surgical Technology Specialist A.S. (64 total hours)

MAJORS & OCCUPATIONS IN THE HEALTH SCIENCES META-MAJOR

MAJOR	OCCUPATION(S)	ACADEMIC DEGREE(S)
Health Information Technology, AS	Health Information Technician	C, A
	Medical Records Technician	C, A
	Medical Office Staff	C, A
	Medical Office Manager	C, A
	Medical Billing and Coding Specialist	C, A
Dental Hygiene	Dental Hygienist	A, B
	Dental Hygienist, Mobile Coordinator	A, B
	Dental Hygienist, Education Coordinator	A, B
	Public Health Manager, Dental Sealant Programs	A, B
	Dental Assistant	C, A
Emergency Medical Services (EMS), AS	Emergency Medical Technician	C, A
	Paramedic	C, A
	EMT/Driver	C, A
	EMT/Dispatcher	C, A
	Multi-Care Technician	A
Surgical Technology Specialist, AS	Certified Surgical Technologist	A
	Surgical Technology Instructor	A
	Clinical Surgical Simulator Technologist	A
	Sterile Processing Manager/Coordinator	A
	Tissue Bank Coordinator	A
Radiologic Technology	Radiologic Technologist	A, B, M
	Clinical Instructor	A, B, M
	CT Technologist	A, B, M
	Mammographer	A, B, M
	MRI Technologist	A, B, M
Respiratory Care Sciences	Registered Respiratory Therapist	A, B, M
	Pulmonary Rehabilitation Therapist	A, B, M
	Pharmaceutical Salesperson	A, B, M
	Clinical Instructor	A, B, M
	Neonatal-Pediatric Respiratory Therapist	A, B, M
Nursing (RN & BSN)	Registered Nurse (RN)	A, B
	Public Health Nurse	A, B
	Charge Nurse	A, B
	School Nurse	A, B
	Medical Office Supervisor	A, B
Occupational Therapy	Occupational Therapy Aide	A, B, M
	Occupational Therapy Assistant	A, B, M
	Behavioral Specialist	A, B, M
	Health and Safety Technician	A, B, M
	Occupational Therapist	M
Pharmacy	Pharmacy Aide	C, A, B, M
	Pharmacy Technician	C, A, B, M
	Inventory Specialist	C, A, B, M
	Compounding Technician	A, B, M
	Pharmacist	D
Funeral Services	Funeral Director	A, B, M
	Funeral Arranger	A, B, M
	Mortician	A, B, M
	Embalmer	A, B, M
	Funeral Consultant	A, B, M

C Certificate
 A Associate's Degree
 B Bachelor's Degree
 M Master's Degree
 D Doctorate