To prepare individuals to enter the health care industry as competent, entry-level surgical technologists.

**Prerequisite:** Contact career counselor for details at 580.242.2750

A Surgical Technologist is a member of the surgical team that includes the surgeon, anesthesiologist, Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist, Registered Nurse and Licensed Practical Nurse working to deliver patient care before, during and after surgery. He or she handles the instruments, supplies and equipment necessary during the surgical procedure and has an understanding of the procedure being performed, anticipates the needs of the surgeon and ensures quality patient care while maintaining the sterile field. Students will have the opportunity for clinical experiences in the operating room, central processing, anesthesia, cardiac catheterization lab, outpatient department, endoscopy and the post anesthesia care unit. Upon completion of the program students may test to become Certified Surgical Technologists (CST) through the National Board of Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting. (Additional cost of books and supplies approx.: $1,917)

**CAREERS AVAILABLE IN THE INDUSTRY:**
- Hospitals
- Surgical centers
- Physicians' offices
- Private technologists
- Medical sales representative
- Traveling surgical technologist

**LICENSURE / CERTIFICATIONS:**
- Upon completion of the program, graduates are eligible to apply to sit for the national credential examination to become a Certified Surgical Technologist (CST) through the National Board of Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting
- Central Sterile Processing Technician exam administered by CBSPD
- Central Sterile Processing Technician exam administered by IAHCSMM
- Surgical Technologist Exam through the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education
- American Heart Association- BLS Healthcare Provider CPR

**SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY - ADULT ONLY**

$12-26 PER HOUR (OK SALARY RANGES)

“I decided to attend Autry because it’s very hands-on, there are smaller class sizes, and the instructors have real-world experience.”
- Hannah M.
• Be willing and able to work well with patients.
• Take directions and function in stressful situations.
• Have excellent hand-eye coordination and the ability to prioritize.
• Be dependable, detail-oriented and self-motivated.
• Work independently and within a team environment.

This program is accredited by the Commission on the Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP), 25400 U.S. Highway 19 North, Suite 158, Clearwater, FL 33763, (727) 210-2350, fax (727) 210-2354, in conjunction with the Accreditation Review Council on Education in Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting (ARC/STSA), 6 West Dry Creek Circle, Suite 110, Littleton, CO 80120-8031 and the Oklahoma Board of Career and Technology Education, 1500 West 7th Avenue, Stillwater, OK 74074, (405) 743-5444, www.okcareertech.org.
CAREER PATHWAY: THERAPEUTIC SYSTEMS
PROGRAM: SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY

potential courses
Core Medical Terminology
Anatomy and Physiology
Surgical Technology Orientation
Core Employability Skills
Introduction to Surgical Technology
Disaster and Emergency Preparedness
Essentials of Surgical Asepsis
Surgical Case Management
Surgical Tech Practicum I
Surgical Patient Care
Surgical Pharmacology
Microbiology and Wound Healing
Surgical Procedures I
Surgical Procedures II
Surgical Tech Practicum II
Surgical Tech Practicum III

Total Class Hours - 1481

For further information regarding Gainful Employment in the program, please access the following link:
http://autrytech.edu/student-services/gainful-employment-disclosures/
• PROGRAM LOCATION
  Autry Technology Center Main Campus, 1201 W. Willow, Enid OK

• TOTAL PROGRAM HOURS
  1481

• SPECIFIC ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS
  • High school diploma or equivalent
  • ACT
  • Completed application
  • Orientation
  • 2 Observations
  • Interview

• TUITION/EXPENSES
  $2964

Expenses not included in tuition may include, but are not limited to, criminal background check (includes sex offender and violent offender status), drug screening, AHA BLS Healthcare Provider certification, uniforms, shoes, and supplies.

Financial Aid: There are financial aid options available for qualified students. Contact the financial aid office at Autry Technology Center for more information.

• EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES
  The Job Developer with Autry Technology Center works diligently to match students with jobs available in industry.

• SALARY RANGE
  Listed below is the salary range in Oklahoma for Surgical Technology obtained from O*Net OnLine.

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• OCCUPATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS
  (Information obtained from the US Dept. of Labor Statistics Occupational Outlook Handbook)

Surgical technologists, also called operating room technicians, assist in surgical operations. They prepare operating rooms, arrange equipment, and help doctors during surgeries. Surgical technologists work as members of a healthcare team alongside physicians and surgeons, registered nurses, and other healthcare workers.

Surgical technologists typically do the following:
• Prepare operating rooms for surgery
• Sterilize equipment and make sure that there are adequate supplies for surgery
• Ready patients for surgery, such as by washing and disinfecting incision sites
• Help surgeons during surgery by passing them instruments and other sterile supplies
• Count supplies, such as sponges and instruments
• Maintain a sterile environment

Before an operation, surgical technologists prepare the operating room by setting up surgical instruments and equipment. They also prepare patients for surgery by washing and disinfecting incision sites, positioning the patients on the operating table, covering them with sterile drapes, and taking them to and from the operating room. Surgical technologists prepare sterile solutions and medications used in surgery and check that all surgical equipment is working properly. They help the surgical team put on sterile gowns and gloves.

During an operation, surgical technologists pass instruments and supplies to surgeons and first assistants. They also hold retractors, hold internal organs in place during the procedure, or set up robotic surgical equipment. Technologists also may handle specimens taken for laboratory analysis.

Once the operation is complete, surgical technologists may apply bandages and other dressings to the incision site. They may also help transfer patients to recovery rooms and restock operating rooms after a procedure.
• ACCREDITATIONS
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• OUTCOME ASSESSMENT 2017
  • 100% Job Placement
  • 100% Certification Exam Pass Rate

INSTRUCTOR(S)

KIM DAUGHHETE, C.S.T.
Kim is a graduate of the Autry Technology Center Surgical Technology Program. She is a Certified Surgical Technologist (CST) with twenty-three years of experience in the field of surgical technology including working in surgery, central sterile and as the program coordinator of the last 15 years. Kim loves the challenge of teaching her students and working hard to make sure her students are grasping concepts and skills needed to be a successful surgical technologist.
### AUTRY TECHNOLOGY CENTER

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* Paper copies of Disclosure Information available from Student Services.

* This notice is distributed annually to all current and prospective students. It is also located on the Autry website, in the Student Handbook and Consumer Information Guide.