I want to apply to the program. How do I get an application packet?
Admissions packets are available on the MACC website www.macc.edu/phlebotomy-training. They are also available by contacting the Mexico Allied Health office at 1-573-582-0817, ext. 13619.

When is the application deadline?
Due to the courses being open enrollment, the application deadline is once we have reached our max number of clinical site placements for that particular semester. Due to clinical staffing and workload, clinical site placements change frequently.

How many students do you accept?
Roughly 10-15 students each class (Spring and Fall)

What campus are the courses taught at?
The courses are located on our Mexico Campus.

How can I enroll?
Please complete the application packet from the website in its entirety. Once it’s completed, please bring it by the Mexico campus and we will make sure everything is included. An enrollment form will be given directly to the student and enrollment can occur at any of our MACC campuses with any advisor with the signed enrollment form.

How much does the program cost?
Typically, as an estimate, students will spend around $1,300 for both courses combined, for all associated background checks, drug testing, books, tuition and fees, etc. This does not include the cost of any immunizations or scrubs that might be necessary.

Is financial aid available?
Unfortunately not because this is a non-degree seeking program. There may be grants available through community resources to apply for, so please contact your local workforce development board for more information.

Can I have my references write a letter of recommendation instead of completing the required reference forms?
References must be completed on the required reference forms. You will find them in your admissions packet. Please note there are 3 different reference forms. Each form must be filled out according to the directions at the top. One reference must be from an instructor, either current or previous, one reference must be from an employer, and the other reference from a person of your choosing that is not a friend or family member.

What if I’ve been out of school for an extended period of time and I don’t have a current or previous instructor to ask for a reference?
Please contact the program coordinator to inform of your specific circumstance and alternative arrangements might be available.

How long is the program? What is the schedule like?
16 weeks. Lecture meets once a week on Thursday nights. Clinicals are held during the daytime, typically, with a schedule that is created with the clinical site and student directly. Either 2, 4, or 8 hour shifts are commonly performed until you have reached 100 hours of clinical work.

Is lecture taught online or do I attend class in person?
You must attend lecture on Thursday nights, in person, at our Mexico campus.

How will you assign my clinical sites?
I assign clinical sites based on order of enrollment in the course. (i.e. the first to enroll gets first choice of clinical site). We have contracts throughout the state of Missouri with clinical sites and typically students do not have to travel more than 30-45 minutes to get to their clinical site if it is not located in their hometown.

What days/times are clinicals?
Clinicals are held during the daytime, typically, with a schedule that is created with the clinical site and student directly. Either 2, 4, or 8 hour shifts are commonly performed until you have reached 100 hours of clinical work.

If I am accepted in the program where should I expect to travel for clinicals?
We have contracts throughout the state of Missouri with clinical sites and typically students are placed as close to where they live as possible. Students who do not have a clinical site near where they live will have to travel between 15-45 minutes to the closest clinical location.

How do I apply to take my certification exam? How much does the exam cost?
Please visit the American Society for Clinical Pathologists (ASCP) website for the most current information.