

# Accelerated Phlebotomy Technician (AP81) Certificate eMap

*This eMap, along with regular meetings with your program advisor and using DegreeWorks, will help you remain on track to finish your program as quickly as possible and graduate from Georgia Northwestern Technical College. This eMap is intended to be used when beginning the program in Fall semester. Starting the program in Spring or Summer semesters may alter the suggested courses or course availability. This pathway is based on the 2026-2027 academic year.*



| 1 <sup>st</sup> set of suggested courses |                                                                    |       |                          |
|------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|--------------------------|
| Course                                   |                                                                    | Hours | Completed                |
| ALHS 1011                                | Structure and Function of the Human Body                           | 5     | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| PHLT 1030                                | Introduction to Venipuncture<br>Corequisite: ALHS 1011             | 3     | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| PHLT 1055                                | Accelerated Phlebotomy Clinical Practice<br>Corequisite: PHLT 1030 | 5     | <input type="checkbox"/> |

## Accelerated Phlebotomy Technician Certificate Planning Notes:

- This program is one semester. All classes listed in the suggested courses are the pre-occupational & occupational courses that must be taken to meet graduation requirements.
- The Phlebotomy program requires a waitlist application. Contact Program Advisor, Tracey Mercado, [tmercado@gntc.edu](mailto:tmercado@gntc.edu), for more info.
- The Phlebotomy program accepts students twice yearly:
  - Fall on the Floyd County Campus.
  - Spring on Walker County Campus.
- This pathway has limited financial aid options available (may only qualify for HOPE Grant). Please discuss the options available to you with Financial Aid.

## Accelerated Phlebotomy Technician Certificate Enrollment Requirements:

- Students must have a 2.0 to enter the program or no GPA. The student must have a 2.0 GPA to meet the graduation requirements, and any starting GPA lower than 2.0 will not be able to graduate and receive a diploma. Students will not be accepted without meeting those requirements.
- For students who do not meet the GPA requirement, it is suggested to take pre-occupational curriculum (core classes) to improve their GPA to meet program entry requirements. Programs that may be of interest or provide pre-occupational curriculum are Phlebotomy Technician (PT21) Certificate or Health Care Assistant (HA21) Certificate.
- Program Advisor for AP81 is Tracey Mercado [tmercado@gntc.edu](mailto:tmercado@gntc.edu) for FCC and for WCC.

Additional information for the Accelerated Phlebotomy Technician Certificate and program requirements can be found at [GNTC 2026-2027 Catalog](#).