

Miami Valley Career Technology Center Press Release

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MVCTC Adult Education Program for Pharmacy Technician Starts April 25

Clayton, Ohio – Miami Valley Career Technology Center (MVCTC) Adult Education Pharmacy Technician classes will start April 25, 2011. The Pharmacy Technician Training Program at MVCTC is one of the area's most cost effective short-term programs.

The program educates students about retail, hospital, home health care, longterm care, and mail order pharmacies. The training program consists of classroom instruction, computer lab, and over 60 clinical hours in a pharmacy. Students learn how to correctly interpret and prepare prescription orders, as well as all the math formulas that apply to pharmacy calculations. They obtain valuable experience in the entire pharmacy process. Students completing the MVCTC Pharmacy Technician training program will be well prepared to sit for a national certification exam. Graduates of the MVCTC Pharmacy Technician Training Program have obtained employment in hospital pharmacies, long-term care pharmacies as well as retail pharmacies.

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, employment of Pharmacy Technicians is expected to increase by 31 percent. Pharmacy Technician is a 12-week program held at the MVCTC Adult Education building on the Hoke Road campus in Clayton. The program requires students to first complete the MVCTC Adult Education enrollment process, Work Keys Assessment, and have required Immunizations. MVCTC Adult Education does have financial aid opportunities available for those that qualify.

For more information, please visit http://ae.mvctc.com or call 800-716-7161. As the needs of the Miami Valley's workforce are redefined, you can count on the Miami Valley Career Technology Center to provide students, employers, and communities with the skills needed on-the-job success.

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