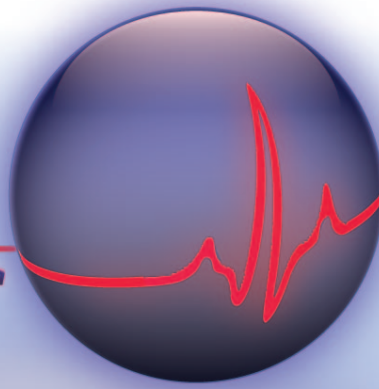


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# POSTSECONDARY PROGRAM INFORMATION

## STERILE PROCESSING TECHNICIAN

### STERILE PROCESSING TECHNICIAN COURSE APPROVALS

**Fast Response's Sterile Processing Technician Program is approved to operate by:**

- California Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (BPPE);
- Certification Board for Sterile Processing and Distribution (CBSPD);
- International Association of Healthcare Central Service Materiel Management (IAHCMM).



# STERILE PROCESSING COURSE HOURS AND SCHEDULE



## Course hour outline:

- 200 hours – In class didactic and laboratory instruction and practice
  - Foundations – 60 hours
  - Instrument cleaning & decontamination. – 40 hours
  - Sterilization & Patient care equipment – 40 hours
  - Protocols & Specialties – 40 hours
  - Certificate Readiness – 20 hours
- 200 hours – Clinical externship for IAHCSSM
- **400 hours total IAHCSSM**

## Program schedules:

- Part-Time Program
  - The part-time program will usually meet nightly from 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday as well as from 9:00 am – 6:00 pm on Saturday.
  - Length – 10 weeks total
    - 10 week - classroom attendance
    - 5 week externship for IAHCSSM

**SPT Program Start Date:**

**JULY 29<sup>th</sup>, 2013**

## SPT PROGRAM COST

### SPT Program Fees and Tuition:

- \$250.00 - Registration Fee
- \$200.00 - Background Check
- \$200.00 - Insurance
- \$160.00 - Textbooks
- \$1,878.00 - Tuition
- \$7.50 - Student Tuition Recovery Fund (STRF)
- **\$2695.00 – Total Program Cost**



## PAYMENT OPTIONS

Fast Response School of Health Care Education helps eligible students seek financial assistance. The School offers payment plans to accommodate the tuition and fees incurred by attending courses at the School.

### Payment Plan 1 (PP1):

- Due at enrollment: \$250.00 + STRF
- Due prior to course: Remaining fees and tuition

### Payment Plan 2 (PP2):

- Due at enrollment: \$250.00 + STRF
- Due prior to course: All remaining fees, less tuition
- Due in installments: Tuition – to be paid off before expected graduation date

### Payment Plan 3 (PP3):

- Due at enrollment: \$250.00 + STRF
- Due prior to course: All remaining fees, less tuition
- Due in installments: Tuition – to be paid off within three (3) months after expected graduation date
- **Note: Student will not receive a certificate of course completion until payment-in-full is complete.**

\*Payment options depend on qualifications and may include additional fees and interest

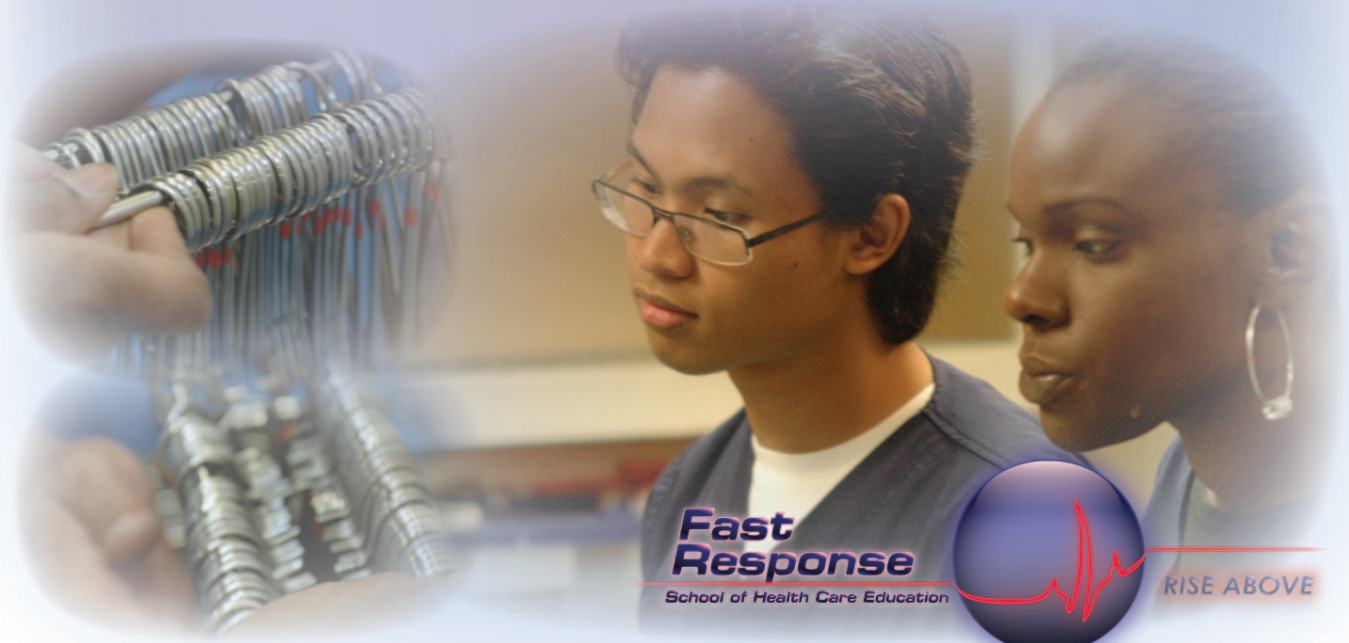
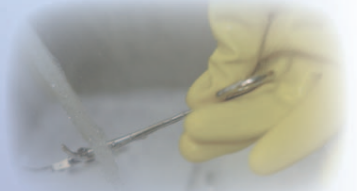
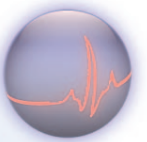
## STERILE PROCESSING FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT

### Didactic (Classroom) Training:

- Provided in a classroom outfitted with laptop and flat-screen LCD television.

### Psychomotor (Skills) Training:

- Provided in a sectioned portion of a large warehouse-type setting located away from the classroom:
  - Mock central service department.
  - Separate stations for decontamination, mock sterilization, and tray setup.
  - Multiple sets of surgical instrumentation and surgical bins.





# STERILE PROCESSING TECH ADMISSIONS PROCEDURE



## Admission to postsecondary programs follows these steps:

- Provide evidence of meeting the program's minimum standards:
  - Proof of legal residency;
  - Minimum age of 18 on the first day of class. Minors – enrollment and financial agreement must be signed by parent or guardian;
  - High School Diploma or GED (Must furnish document or transcripts).
- Attestation of personal background information;
- Successful completion of an entrance examination (Wonderlic) with a score of 16 or greater;
- Completion of an enrollment agreement;
- Completion of a financial agreement;
- Financial plan for funding education;
- Payment either in full or of the first required installment of a payment plan.

## STERILE PROCESSING TECH COORDINATOR:

**Roaul "Deke" Smith, ST, DC**

***Sterile Processing Technician Coordinator; Lead Instructor***



- Surgical Technician Certificate - Wesley Medical Center, Wichita, KS
- Certified Sterile Processing Instructor - Fast Response School of Healthcare Education, Berkeley, CA
- Washington State Registered Surgical Technologist
- Licensed Chiropractor



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