




Therapeutic Services Wayne High School



Program of Study: The Therapeutic Services Program of Study allows the student to explore careers focused primarily on changing the health status of the patient over time. Health professionals in this Program of Study work directly with patients; they may provide care, treatment, counseling and health education information.

Additionally, students have the opportunity to become certified as a phlebotomy tech, patient care tech, ECG tech, and direct care worker.

Program of Study	Required Courses	Certifications
Therapeutic Services HE 0723	0711 Foundations of Health Science 0715 Advanced Principals of Health Science 0789 Clinical Specialty I 0790 Clinical Specialty II	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Governor’s Workforce Credential • OSHA 10 • WIN Career Readiness • Direct Care Worker • EKG Tech • Stop the Bleed • Certified Phlebotomy Technician • Certified Patient Care Technician • Certified ECG Technician • CPR/FA • Digital Literacy • WV Welcome
	Electives	
	Dual Credit is available through Mountwest Community and Technical College. By completing the program a student can earn credit for EME105 (3hrs) and AH151 (3hrs).	

Requirements for the Governor’s Workforce Credential

- Obtain a grade of “B” or higher in the four required state-approved CTE Program of Study courses
- Attain a verified school attendance rate of 95% or higher in all senior course work
- Secure state-approved industry credentials that equal a minimum of ten scaled points in accordance with the West Virginia Board of Education Policy 2510.13
- Pass a minimum of two documented drug screenings during the senior year, not less than 30 days apart
- Meet the Governor’s Workforce Credential cut-score on the respective state-approved CTE Program of Study Technical Assessment and accomplish a minimum score of 95% on the CTE portfolio



What is EDGE?

EDGE stands for “Earn a Degree-Graduate Early.” Students take approved career and technical courses in high school that convert to a variety of college credits offered through community and technical colleges of West Virginia.

How can EDGE help me?

If you take the right courses in high school, you can save on your college tuition costs.

If you are a high school student . . .

You can earn a college degree and graduate early! Through the WV **EDGE** initiative, you can take high school courses that will take the place of courses required for your college degree. These **EDGE** credits are available for transfer by requesting your official **EDGE** transcript. Be sure to tell your college advisor if you have **EDGE** credits.

How do I enroll in EDGE?

Talk with your high school counselor or teacher to confirm course participation in **EDGE**. Students enrolled in **EDGE** courses must pass the approved course with a grade of “C” or better. You will need to complete an **EDGE** transcript request form and submit it for college credit when the course is completed. You will receive your **EDGE** transcript at no cost to you. **EDGE** credit can be applied to a certificate or Associate Degree.

Potential Career Salaries

Certified Patient Care Tech	\$13/Hour
Phlebotomy Tech	\$15/Hour
Direct Care Worker	\$9/Hour
Certified EKG Tech	\$17/Hour

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics’ 2018-19

Post-Secondary Options

- Mountwest Community College
- West Virginia University
- Marshall University



The West Virginia Department of Education has worked with committee experts from numerous businesses and industries throughout West Virginia to design Simulated Workplace. This new educational initiative has been created to assist schools in implementing workplace environmental protocols that align with West Virginia workforce requirements, including random drug testing, professionalism, attendance and safety. Simulated Workplace has not only enhanced instructional delivery of career education, but has created a more engaged career and technical student. The simulated workplace environment permits students the opportunity to take ownership of their individual performance as it impacts the overall success of their education, while thriving in an authentic workplace culture. Simulated Workplace also encourages local business and industry experts to join onsite review teams to assist schools in meeting their workforce needs and expectations.



Proof of knowledge is an important part of a student’s portfolio. There is no better way to show this proof but in the form of a college credit recommendation! Experienced industry experts and professors working with the National College Credit Recommendation Service (NCCRS) evaluated the rigor of NOCTI credentials to translate the content into college credit equivalencies.

How does it work?

- ❖ Students must meet a 70% benchmark on an approved NOCTI knowledge-based assessment to be eligible for the College Credit Recommendation Report.
- ❖ The College Credit Recommendation Report is automatically generated as part of the NOCTI scoring package for all eligible students.
- ❖ The report can be used as part of a student’s portfolio, and more importantly, can be presented at any of the 1500+ participating colleges and universities for college credit consideration.
- ❖ Need an official transcript? NOCTI has collaborated with Excelsior College to offer students an option for an “official” transcript.

For more information about the process for obtaining the college credit recommendation report and/or an official transcript, please visit: www.nocti.org/nccrs.cfm.



For more information regarding EDGE and NOCTI contact your school counselor. Spring Valley (304)429-2607, Tolsia (304) 648-5404, and Wayne (304) 272-5639