Where do Pharmacy Technicians work?

- Pharmacies, both independent and retail chains (e.g. CVS, HEB, Walgreens)
- Nursing homes and long-term care facilities
- Hospitals

Pharmacy Technicians assist pharmacists in preparing prescription medications, providing customer service, and performing administrative duties within a pharmacy setting. Pharmacy Technicians generally are responsible for receiving prescription requests, counting tablets, labeling bottles, preparing insurance forms and maintaining patient profiles.

Program Basics

- Level 1 Certificate from Northwest Vista College
- 1 ½ - 2 Years
- Training includes support and employment service options.
- All students can access student success support services and advising.
- Requires financial aid eligibility.

What is I-BEST?

I-BEST students benefit from technical training that is combined with reading, writing, math or English language skills needed for training. Students in I-BEST programs enter training without needing to first complete developmental education.

Average Starting Wage

$13.64/hr

Call Jared Boggs at the Westside Education and Training Center at 210-485-0267 or email jboggs6@alamo.edu to find out more!

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