



**STERILE PROCESSING PATHWAY TO SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY AAS
FIRST YEAR**

STERILE PROCESSING CERTIFICATE

<u>Semester 1</u>	<u>Credits</u>
BIOL1106 Principles of Biology (grade of B or higher is required) (BIOL1106 requires a Reading score of 78 or higher on the Accuplacer, appropriate test scores or completion of READ 0900)	4
COMP 1002 Computer Technologies	<u>2</u>
	6
<u>Semester 2</u>	<u>Credits</u>
PSYC 1406 General /1506 LifeSpan/1606 Abnormal	4
BIOL 2100 A&P I (grade of B or higher is required)	4
HLTH 1040 Medical Terminology	<u>2</u>
	10
<u>Semester 3</u>	<u>Credits</u>
SPCH 1200 Interpersonal /1120 Public Speaking/1500 Intercultural	3
BIOL 2200 A&P II (grade of B or higher is required)	4
SURG 1003 Sterile Processing	3
SURG 1005 Surgical Microbiology	<u>2</u>
	12

Note: The application process includes submission of: Successful completion of the Sterile Processing certificate, ST application, TEAS results of 60% or higher, and CPR for the Healthcare Provider. Applicants must pass a MN Background Study. Application dates will be posted on the program website.

SECOND YEAR

SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM

<u>Semester 4</u>	<u>Credits</u>
SURG 1010 Pharmacology	2
SURG 1026 OR Theory	2
SURG 1027 Operating Room Tech	4
SURG 1035 OR Procedures I	<u>4</u>
	12
<u>Semester 5</u>	<u>Credits</u>
SURG1037 OR Procedures II*	4
SURG2000 OR Clinical*	<u>16</u>
	20
 *These 2 courses are taken concurrently	
	56

Total credits= 60