



Surgical Technology

Required Steps to Obtain Your Credential	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Complete the application for the Certified Surgical Technologist (CST) Exam with the National Board for Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting (NBSTSA) <i>NOTE: Application is provided to the student by the Program Director in the last semester</i>
	<ol style="list-style-type: none">2. Successfully complete all course requirements for WDTC's Surgical Technology program
	<ol style="list-style-type: none">3. Sit for the Certified Surgical Technologist (CST) Exam which is proctored on the WDTC campus within one week of graduation
	<ol style="list-style-type: none">4. CST exam results are documented by the National Board for Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting (NBSTSA) and a copy is sent to the applicant
	<ol style="list-style-type: none">5. There are no further requirements needed to work in the state of South Dakota <i>NOTE: If you plan to work outside of South Dakota, you will be required to apply for registration and/or licensure within that state. Each state may have different requirements for this process.</i>