



Surgical Technology

Required Steps to Obtain Your Credential	<p>1. Complete the application for the Certified Surgical Technologist (CST) Exam with the National Board for Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting (NBSTSA)</p> <p><i>NOTE: Application provided to the student by the Program Director in last semester</i></p>
	<p>2. Successfully complete ST 250 and ST 251 in last semester</p>
	<p>3. Sit for the Certified Surgical Technologist (CST) Exam which is proctored on the WDT campus one week after graduation</p>
	<p>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</p>
	<p>5. There are no further requirements needed to work in the state of South Dakota</p> <p><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></p>