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Medical Laboratory Technology			Aimi Vanden Oever, Coordinator/ Instructor, Medical Lab Technology	8/21/2023			
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Alabama	X			Nebraska	X		
Alaska	X			Nevada	X		Medical laboratory staff are required to be licensed. Individuals must pass a national certification exam, such as the ASCP BOP Exam. SCC graduates are eligible to sit for this exam from the date their degree is conferred.
American Samoa	X			New Hampshire	X		
Arizona	X			New Jersey	X		
Arkansas	X			New Mexico	X		
California		X	In order to be licensed in California, individuals must complete at least 6 credit hours of chemistry and 6 credit hours of biology. Our program only requires 4 credits hours of chemistry and 5 credit hours of biology.	New York	X		Medical laboratory staff are required to be licensed. Individuals must pass a national certification exam, such as the ASCP BOP Exam. SCC graduates are eligible to sit for this exam from the date their degree is conferred.
Colorado	X			North Carolina	X		
Connecticut	X			North Dakota	X		Medical laboratory staff are required to be licensed. Individuals must pass a national certification exam, such as the ASCP BOP Exam. SCC graduates are eligible to sit for this exam from the date their degree is conferred.
Delaware	X			Northern Mariana Islands	X		
Florida	X		Medical laboratory staff are required to be licensed. Individuals must pass a national certification exam, such as the ASCP BOP Exam. SCC graduates are eligible to sit for this exam from the date their degree is conferred.	Ohio	X		
Georgia	X			Oklahoma	X		
Guam	X			Oregon	X		
Hawaii	X		Medical laboratory staff are required to be licensed. Individuals must pass a national certification exam, such as the ASCP BOP Exam. SCC graduates are eligible to sit for this exam from the date their degree is conferred.	Pennsylvania	X		
Idaho	X			Puerto Rico	X		Medical laboratory staff are required to be licensed. Individuals must pass a national certification exam, such as the ASCP BOP Exam. SCC graduates are eligible to sit for this exam from the date their degree is conferred.
Illinois	X			Rhode Island	X		
Indiana	X			South Carolina	X		
Iowa	X			South Dakota	X		
Kansas	X			Tennessee	X		Medical laboratory staff are required to be licensed. Individuals must pass a national certification exam, such as the ASCP BOP Exam. SCC graduates are eligible to sit for this exam from the date their degree is conferred.
Kentucky	X			Texas	X		

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Louisiana	X		Medical laboratory staff are required to be licensed. Individuals must pass a national certification exam, such as the ASCP BOP Exam. SCC graduates are eligible to sit for this exam from the date their degree is conferred.	US Virgin Islands	X		Medical laboratory staff are required to be licensed. Individuals must pass a national certification exam, such as the ASCP BOP Exam. SCC graduates are eligible to sit for this exam from the date their degree is conferred.	
Maine	X			Utah	X			
Maryland	X			Vermont	X			
Massachusetts	X			Virginia	X			
Michigan	X			Washington	X			
Minnesota	X			West Virginia	X			
Mississippi	X		Wisconsin	X				
Missouri	X		Wyoming	X				
Montana	X		Medical laboratory staff are required to be licensed. Individuals must pass a national certification exam, such as the ASCP BOP Exam. SCC graduates are eligible to sit for this exam from the date their degree is conferred.					