# **Application Timeline**

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### January

- Download the Phlebotomy Program Student Handbook at <u>https://pencol.edu/sites/default/files/Phlebotomy Handbook.pdf</u>
- Complete a self-assessment survey to identify whether you are physically and behaviorally able to complete the tasks required of a Phlebotomist
  - o The self-assessment survey is in the Phlebotomy Program's Student Handbook
- Review background check information
  - Certain convictions preclude careers in healthcare
    - Information about crimes is in the Phlebotomy Program's Student Handbook
- Schedule your immunizations or titers if you do not have the required immunizations or documentation
  - Immunizations should be complete upon application.
  - Detailed immunization requirements are in the Phlebotomy Program's Student Handbook
  - Submit your transcripts to Peninsula College following instructions at https://pencol.edu/GetStarted
    - o It can take up to ten weeks for the college to process transcripts

### February

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It is not too late to start January's tasks

### March

It is still not too late to start January's tasks

- Apply for admission to Peninsula College before applying for the Phlebotomy Program
- The Phlebotomy Program starts in the Fall quarter, and you must be eligible to take ENGL 101 and MATH 90/91. You do not need to take these classes prior to applying.
- Peninsula College application instructions are at <u>https://pencol.edu/GetStarted</u>
- Complete your Financial Aid application before May 1
- The priority consideration deadline for Summer and Fall quarters occurs during the Spring quarter
- Apply for Financial Aid at <u>https://pencol.edu/financial/apply-for-aid</u>
- The Phlebotomy Program application is due before June 1at 5:00 pm
- Contact Student Services
  - o Request that you are added to the Program Director's advisee list
  - Change your program of study intent code to the Phlebotomy Certificate
  - Course registration is completed through the Peninsula College website. Students must contact Student Services to acquire a ctcLink ID # and be added to the AMPA student group which will provide them access to the application course on Canvas

# • Request a letter of reference for the Phlebotomy Program application

- o Letter of reference guidelines are in the Phlebotomy Program's Student Handbook
- Take exams to place out of prerequisite courses, or submit documentation for placement test alternatives
  - Prerequisite course placements include ENGL 101 and MATH 90/91
  - You do not need to take or enroll in these courses before applying to the Phlebotomy Program.
  - Information about testing and test alternatives may be found at <u>https://pencol.edu/GetStarted</u>
- Sign up for and complete the online Peninsula College orientation at <u>https://pencol.edu/admissions/new-student-orientation</u>

### May

- Compose a personal essay for the Phlebotomy Program application
  Guidelines for the personal essay are in the Phlebotomy Program's Student Handbook
- Meet with your advisor, Rachel Pairsh, during advising week
  - You cannot register for classes if you do not meet with your advisor
- May advising sessions are for the Summer and Fall quarters
- The Phlebotomy Program application is due June 1, at 5:00 pm.

# June

- Open registration for Summer and Fall quarters starts in early June
- Tuition for the Summer quarter is due in June<sup>1</sup>
- Acceptance and rejection letters for the Phlebotomy Program will be sent by July 1st.
- Complete your background check (if accepted) by September 1st

# September

- Attend the mandatory Phlebotomy Program new student orientation in early September
- The last day to register for classes is in mid-September
- The first day of the Fall quarter classes is in late September

#### April

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Specific dates can be found on Peninsula College's academic calendar at <u>https://pencol.edu/admissions/academic-calendar</u>