

# SUR 108: Pharmacology for the Surgical Technologist

A study of basic pharmacology as it relates to the practice of the surgical technologist. Topics covered include basic conversions, calculations, classifications, desired effects and side effects, terminology, care and safe handling of medications, as well as a comprehensive review of surgical medications. Upon completion of the course, students should be able to recognize and properly manage pharmacologic agents commonly used in the surgical environment.

**Credits:** 2

**Lab Hours:** 0

**Lecture Hours:** 2

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**Prerequisites:**

Admission to the Surgical Technology program and BIO 103, BIO 201, ENG 101, MTH 100, ORI 101, and Humanities Elective.