



Northland Pioneer College

Surgical Technology Program 1001 W. Deuce of Clubs Show Low AZ 85901 (928) 532-6159

SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY APPLICATION PACKET

DEADLINE: May 1st, 2026, by 4:00 PM

Name: _____ Date: _____

Thank you for your interest in the Northland Pioneer College Associate of Surgical Technology Degree Program.

Only complete applications received in the Allied Health Department Office by May 1st, 2026, 4:00 pm will be considered for admission. Late applications will be considered on a space available basis if they meet the admission criteria but will not be accepted before applications are submitted on time. Please include this checklist as the first page of your application packet. If you are not already an NPC student, please enroll and obtain a Student ID # **prior to** submitting the application. You may enroll by going to your nearest campus or center or on-line at: <https://www.npc.edu/Application>.

****NOTE: Applicants must be aware that clinical sites may impose COVID and Influenza vaccinations requirements, which may or may not include declinations for not obtaining the vaccines. Students are obligated to comply with these requirements when they exist in order to attend clinical experiences.**

Submit the following items:

- Completed, signed and notarized application.
- Signed Notice of No Guarantee of Certification.
- Transfer students must submit official transcripts (in original sealed envelope) from original institution(s) for all prerequisite and co-requisite courses to the Records and Registration (R&R) office at PO Box 610 Holbrook, AZ 86025. Transcripts can also be sent electronically to Records and Registration (evaluation@npc.edu). Meet with an Advisor once you have submitted your transcripts. To guarantee that your transcripts are evaluated and sent to the Allied Health -SGT Department before the application deadline we strongly recommend that your transcripts are received in the R&R office by November 1st, 2025. Please plan accordingly. If an official transcript has previously been received and posted to your NPC account, you do not need to order it again unless you have taken additional coursework.
- You are required to meet with an NPC Academic Adviser and have a **Degree Audit** printed to include with your application. If you are transferring credits you should meet with an Academic Adviser after the courses have been posted to your NPC transcript but before the deadline date. Transferred courses will appear on your transcript in MyNPC.
- Math placement score at minimum of: Next Gen ACCUPLACER 263 Arithmetic/Numeric; or ACT 17 or MAT101/HES101 MAT109 or higher completed within three years.
- A one page typed double spaced “Personal Statement” must be submitted with the application. The “personal statement” should address why you wish to attend the SGT program, what you have done to meet your goals, and what you bring to the Surgical Technology Program. Please describe any experience you have as a healthcare provider, including the location, job description, number of years and responsibilities in that role.
- Include a copy of your current Arizona DPS Level 1 Fingerprint Clearance Card (front and back). Apply at: <http://www.azdps.gov/services/public/fingerprint> as a health science student. Plan as the process requires 6-8 weeks or more barring any problems. (If your application is still being processed, enclose a copy of your receipt). A copy of the clearance card must be received before registering for any SGT course. If you need instructions on how to obtain a fingerprint card, contact an Academic Advisor.
- All students must provide current proof of valid Healthcare Provider Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) and First Aid (FA) certification by May 31st, 2026, and keep current throughout the program. No online courses are accepted for healthcare programs. See an academic advisor to sign up for EMT104 for the scheduled CPR/FA courses offered. Please provide CPR/FA cards with application if student already has current certifications.
- You will meet with the Surgical Tech instructor after a complete application is submitted for an interview.

You are responsible for making sure that all of the required documents are received in the Allied Health office on time. If all items are not received on time your entire application will be considered late.

MAIL (postmarked by 5/1/26):

Northland Pioneer College
SGT Program – Attn: Kimberly Bishop
1001 W. Deuce Clubs
Show Low, AZ 85901

OR

HAND DELIVER (received by 5/1/26):

White Mountain Campus Front Office
SGT Program -Attn: Kimberly Bishop
1001 W. Deuce of Clubs
Show Low, AZ 85901



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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION**

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Please fill out all spaces- do not leave blanks

Name _____				
Last	First	Middle	Other names used now or in the past	
NPC ID# _____ NPC e-mail (preferred) _____ Personal e-mail _____				
Mailing Address _____				
Number	Street	City	State	Zip
Phone: Cell _____ Home _____		Work _____		
When do you anticipate starting the SGT Program? Semester/Year _____				
High school graduation date _____ or GED date _____				

You must fill in the following information and provide OFFICIAL sealed transcripts by April 1st, 2026, **from all colleges other than NPC** for the courses listed below, if not previously submitted. Before you will be considered eligible to enroll in the SGT program, all courses must be completed with a grade of “C” or higher. A cumulative GPA of 3.0 “B” or higher is preferred for the pre-requisite courses. If you are currently enrolled in any of the below prerequisite courses, your application may still be considered by the Admission Committee. Please submit your application with “IP” listed for the course that is in progress. **Please note: College courses over eight years old may be accepted with appropriate documentation and approval (See an Academic Advisor).**

PRE-REQUISITE COURSE	DATE COMPLETED OR SCHEDULED FOR COMPLETION	SCHOOL/COLLEGE ATTENDED	INSTRUCTOR	GRADE
HES170 Medical Terminology				
HES190 Human Body in Health & Disease				
AAS-CO-REQUISITE COURSES: (Not required prior to admission)				
ENL101 College Composition I				
ENL102 College Composition II				
HES101 or MAT109 or Higher Basic Technical Math				
HES201- Microbiology for the Healthcare Professional Preferred students take prior to SGT 121.				
BIO181 General Biology I or any 4 Credit Science				
PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology or SOC 101 General Sociology <i>or</i> ANT 102 Cultural Anthropology				

SGT223 Summer Externship:
SGT224 Fall Externship:

24 to 36 hours a week depending on the rotating schedule = 272 clinical case hours
24 to 36 hours a week depending on the rotating schedule =496 Clinical Case Hours



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Explain your career goals as a Surgical Technologist. (What do you want to do when you graduate from NPC?)

Bearing in mind the essential functions delineated in the admission information, are you able, with or without reasonable accommodations, to successfully perform these functions? Yes No

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes No

Are you a legal resident of the United States of America? Yes No

Are you currently using illegal drugs or misusing prescription drugs? Yes No

Have you ever been or are you currently the subject of any complaint, investigation or disciplinary action against your license, certificate, registration or membership by any state regulatory board, any professional or occupational credentialing authority or any professional association in Arizona or any other state? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

(Regulatory action against any licenses or certifications you hold may be grounds for dismissal. Failure to disclose regulatory actions against your license or certificate may constitute a basis for denial of admission or for dismissal from the SGT Program.)

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Right of Refusal

The Northland Pioneer College Surgical Technology Program reserves the right to refuse admission to any applicant based on evidence that the applicant cannot perform the functional abilities essential for practice of Surgical Technology as defined in the application packet, for prior documented conduct requiring disciplinary action, or for unethical behavior as defined by the Northland Pioneer College Student Conduct Code and the NPC Surgical Technology Student Handbook.

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF _____

County of _____

The undersigned being duly sworn declares that he/she is the person referred to in the foregoing application; that the statements are true in every respect; that he/she has not suppressed any information that would affect this application: that he/she will conform to the ethical standards of conduct in the profession of SGT; and that he/she has read and understands this affidavit.

SIGNATURE

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Notary Public

Notary Seal