

# Minnesota State College Southeast

## MEDL 1108: Medical Terminology for Medical Laboratory Technician

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 1

Lecture Hours/Week: 1

Lab Hours/Week: \*.\*

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

This course covers word analysis by the study of work roots, prefixes, suffixes, abbreviations and acronyms common to the medical profession. Comprehension is expected concerning combining word parts, recognizing the meaning of the new term, understanding and writing anatomical, diagnostic and laboratory terms. (Prerequisite: Must be a Medical Laboratory Technician Student) (1 credits: 1 lecture/0 lab)

**B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 01/04/2018 - Present

### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Apply the work building process and distinguish between prefix, suffix and word roots
2. Define and pronounce medical words accurately
3. Organize word parts appropriately, combining vowels when necessary
4. Translate medical abbreviations and acronyms

### D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Divide medical terms into component parts
2. Analyze, pronounce and spell medical terms using common combining forms, suffixes, prefixes and roots (stem)
3. Identify, define, write and pronounce body system terms
4. Identify, define, write and pronounce medical abbreviations and acronyms
5. Apply medical terms in real-life situations
6. Decipher medical terminology as written in case and laboratory reports

### E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted