# **Health Science**

The Health Science Career Cluster focuses on planning, managing, and providing therapeutic services, diagnostics services, health informatics, support services, and biotechnology research and development. To pursue a career in the health science industry, students should learn to reason, think critically, make decisions, solve problems, communicate effectively, and work well with others.

# Biomedical Science (Academy) Statewide Program of Study



# Career & Technical Education

The Biomedical Science program of study focuses on the study of biology and medicine in order to introduce CTE learners to the knowledge and skills necessary to be successful in the healthcare field, such as researching and diagnosing diseases, pre-existing conditions, or other determinants of health. Students may also practice patient care and communication.

# **Secondary Courses for High School Credit**

#### 9th Grade

Principles of Biomedical Sciences (PLTW)

#### 10th Grade

Human Body Systems (PLTW) and

Medical Terminology

#### 11th Grade

Medical Interventions (PLTW)

#### and

Health Science Theory (AAC)

### 12th Grade

Biomedical Innovation (AAC) (PLTW)

# **Postsecondary Opportunities**

#### **Associates Degrees**

- Biotechnology
- Biological Sciences

### **Bachelor's Degrees**

- Biology
- · Cellular and Molecular Biology

### Master's, Doctoral, and Professional Degrees

- Forensic Science and Technology
- Biomedical Sciences

# Work-Based Learning and Expanded Learning Opportunities

# Exploration Activities Work

Work-Based Learning
Activities

- Join Health
   Occupations Students
   of America (HOSA)
- Intern at a lab
- Shadow a healthcare or medical professional

## Industry-Based Certifications

 American Heart Association Heartsaver CPR/First Aid



# **Aligned Occupations**

Occupations	Median Wage	Annual Openings	% Growth
Medical Equipment Preparers	\$38,827	519	18%
Forensic Science Technicians	\$56,971	249	22%
Biological Technicians	\$45,787	879	14%