Students enjoy a ‘cultural’ experience

In the Medical Lab Procedures class, students are trained in patient instruction, quality control in the lab setting, blood collection and lab procedures. These procedures include hematology, immunology, microbiology, chemistry, phlebotomy, and care and use of the microscope.

Radiology gives a clear picture

The Radiographic Imaging class expands students’ knowledge of how images are acquired and how image formation occurs. This class helps students in using correct techniques to create the best diagnostic film possible, as each patient is unique. Above, the students are practicing positioning of the heel for a plantodorsal calcaneous; one of several views that can be done on the foot.

Get a head in class

Students in Radiographic Positioning II get a “head’s up” on topographical landmarks and positioning of the skull with instructor Jamie Partin who encourages her students to “go all out” and let their artistic abilities shine. The purpose of this exercise is for students to design their own study guide with the help of a Styrofoam head. Armed with a box of craft supplies, each student fills in the boxes, topography, and sutures of the skull. This is a take home visual to help students study.

They’re all certifiable

Spencerian’s Health & Safety Techniques class gives students the opportunity to become certified CPR basic rescuers (American Heart Association Healthcare Provider with AED), Medical asepsis and infection control are discussed. Training in vital signs and first aid procedures complete this course. The students in the pictures are practicing their blood pressure, height and weight taking skills that is part of the vital signs portion of the class.

Massage Therapy is really a “hands-on” class

To better help students better understand Developmental Psychology, Dr. Tonnie Renfro devised a series of exercises to help illustrate the effects of aging. In the exercise below, students were threading a needle while wearing gloves to experience arthritic hands and goggles to “have” cataracts.

Students explore old age and homelessness

Students spend the night in cardboard boxes on campus to feel the plight of the homeless. “I didn’t like sleeping in the box, however it was nice and warm but what if it had been raining or a snow storm? I thought about that as each student is unique. Above, the students are practicing positioning of the skull with instructor Jamie Partin who encourages her students to “go all out” and let their artistic abilities shine. The purpose of this exercise is for students to design their own study guide with the help of a Styrofoam head. Armed with a box of craft supplies, each student fills in the boxes, topography, and sutures of the skull. This is a take home visual to help students study.

More Peeks Inside Spencerian Classes

*Spencerian College is the best out of the schools (UofL, Phoenix) that I have been to. The instructors are wonderful and very caring. They know what they are teaching and really care if you learn it.*

**Pam Cooley, Medical Clinical Specialist**

Students in Julie Owens’ Introduction to Radiology class, recently had a unique way to prepare for their next quiz on Radiation Protection when they enjoyed a game of Family Feud.

“My little sister goes here, I was talking to her about how hard it was for me to find a job. She told me I should talk to Spencerian. I liked what I heard and I saw and they helped me with everything, including my nerves!”

**Stacy Miller and Miquel Garcia**

“Entertaining.”

**MiCaH Bradley, Medical Laboratory Technician**

“I am impressed by the faculty and stuffs openness and desire to see each student succeed.”

**Albert Hoskinson, Medical Laboratory Technician**

“They’re all certifiable. They’re all certifiable.”

**Emily Waid, Medical Assistant**

“I really like this class. I love the hands-on learning as well as an upbeat teacher!”

**Megan Berry, Medical Assistant with Phlebotomy**

“Even though its painless, Tamonique Xines looks away as Megan Berry takes her blood pressure, Irma Hadian observes: “I really like this class. I love the hands-on learning as well as an upbeat teacher!”

**Megan Berry, Medical Assistant with Phlebotomy**

“I’ve learned more in the five months I’ve been here than in the three years I went to JCC!”

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**Emily Waid, Medical Assistant**

“Great way to review.”

**Instructor Julie Owens with an “old *friend.*”**