College & Career Programs

## Health Science & Medical Technology

This sector represents a full range of career opportunities in health science and medical technology, from entry level to management as well as technical and professional career specialties. The six pathways are Biotechnology, Patient Care, Health Care Administrative Services, Health Care Operational Support Services, Public and Community Health, and Mental and Behavioral Health. **The one pathway in Kern is:** 

• Patient Care

#### California Future Forecast: New Jobs Annually 266,470 Average Wage: \$105,743

Career	Certificate	2-Year	4-Year+	Pay
Medical Assistant	✓	1		\$42,990
Pharmacy Technician	✓	$\checkmark$		\$47,620
Marriage & Family Therapist	✓	$\checkmark$	1	\$55,540
Respiratory Therapist	✓	$\checkmark$		\$87,190
Physical Therapist	✓	$\checkmark$	1	\$104,500
Diagnostic Medical Sonographers	<b>√</b>	$\checkmark$		\$108,400
Optometrist			1	\$136,600
Nurse Practitioner			1	\$145,970
Dentist			1	\$160,000
Family & General Practitioners			1	\$215,860

### See the back for schools with these pathways.

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# Schools with Health Science & Medical Technology Pathways in Kern County

#### Health Science and Medical Technology

Patient Care, Dental hygienist, nursing, therapist, radiology, doctor

Arvin High School Bakersfield High School Burroughs High School Cesar Chavez High School Career Tech Ed Center Delano High School East Bakersfield High School Foothill High School Frontier High School KCSOS Alternative Education and Court Schools Robert Kennedy High School Shafter High School Taft High Wasco High School





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