



## 2016-2017 Certificate

**Certificate:**                    **OPHTHALMIC MEDICAL ASSISTING TECHNICIAN (90-509-5)**

**Credits:**                        **13 Credits**

**Description:**                Ophthalmic assistants are ophthalmic allied health professionals who perform procedures under the supervision of an ophthalmologist or optometrist. An ophthalmic assistant may be responsible for taking patient histories, providing patient services, administering diagnostic tests, and maintenance of ophthalmic equipment.

**Related Program:**            Medical Assistant

**Campuses Available:**      Racine

### REQUIRED COURSES

✓	<u>Semester One</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Prerequisite</u>	<u>Corequisite</u>
☐	509-304 Medical Assistant Clinical Procedures 1	4	Adv. Consent	
✓	<u>Semester Two</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Prerequisite</u>	<u>Corequisite</u>
☐	509-350 Ophthalmic Pre Testing 1	3	509-304 & Adv. Consent	
☐	509-352 Ocular Anatomy & Optics	3	Adv. Consent	509-350
✓	<u>Semester Three</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Prerequisite</u>	<u>Corequisite</u>
☐	509-351 Ophthalmic Testing 2	3	509-350; 509-352 & Adv. Consent	
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>13</b>		

### ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Students must complete a functional ability form verifying that they have read and understand the functional abilities for the program.

Students must complete a Background Disclosure form and must request and pay for a background check. Applicants for all health science programs are subject to a review of their criminal background. Positive background checks may negatively impact your ability to pursue a health career at Gateway Technical College. Each case will be individually evaluated based on all available evidence provided to the college.

Please note that your program may require additional fee(s) for: Criminal Background Check, Medical Documentation Manager, and/or Drug Testing.

NOTE: Students must complete a certificate program with a minimum of a 2.0 Program GPA.

NOTE: Prerequisites can be waived with departmental approval.