Career Paths of Medical Laboratory Sciences Alumni, 2006 - 2016

University of Delaware, Department of Medical Laboratory Sciences

(all information is based on self-reported data of graduates)

Employers of Medical Laboratory Science majors:

Alfred I. duPont Hospital for Children, Wilmington, DE
American Red Cross, Philadelphia, PA
AtlantiCare Regional Medical Center, Atlantic City, NJ
Bayhealth Medical Center, Dover, DE
Beebe Medical Center, Lewes, DE
BioReference Laboratories, Elmwood Park, NJ
Blood Bank of Delmarva, Newark, DE
Cape Regional Medical Center, Cape May Court House, NJ
Castle Rock Hospital District, Green River, WY
Central Pennsylvania Alliance Laboratory, York, PA
Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA
Christiana Care Health Services, Newark, DE
Crozer-Keystone Health System, Upland, PA
Department of Veterans Affairs, Wilmington VA Medical Center, Wilmington, DE
Franklin Hospital – LIJ, Valley Stream, NY
Genzyme Corporation, Exton, PA
Georgetown University Hospital, Washington, DC
Halifax Medical Center, Daytona Beach, FL
Hawaii Medical Center West, Ewa Beach, HI
Inspira Medical Center Vineland, Vineland, NJ
International Technidyne Corporation, Edison, NJ
Intervet/Schering-Plough Animal Health, Millsboro, DE
Jennersville Regional Hospital, West Grove, PA
Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, MD
Lancaster General Hospital, Lancaster, PA
Lehigh Valley Hospital, Allentown, PA
Magee Women's Hospital of UPMC, Pittsburgh, PA
Main Line Health Laboratories, Lankenau Hospital, Wynnewood, PA
Memorial Hospital of Salem County, Salem, NJ
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, New York, NY
Merck & Co., Inc., West Point, PA
New York Presbyterian Hospital/Columbia University Medical Center, New York, NY
QS Pharma, Boothwyn, PA
Raritan Bay Medical Center, Old Bridge, NJ
Reading Hospital and Medical Center, Reading, PA
Reproductive Associates of Delaware, Newark, DE
Saint Francis Hospital, Inc., Wilmington, DE
Shady Grove Fertility Center, Chesterbrook, PA
Shore Medical Center, Somers Point, NJ
Siemens Healthineers, Newark, DE
St. Peters University Hospital, New Brunswick, NJ
Stony Brook University Hospital, Stony Brook, NY
Summit Medical Group, Berkeley Heights, NJ
Temple University Hospital, Philadelphia, PA
Thermo-Fisher Scientific, Inc., Wilmington, DE
Thomas Jefferson University Hospital, Philadelphia, PA
University of Maryland Medical Center, Baltimore, MD
University of Pennsylvania Health System, Philadelphia, PA
Upper Chesapeake Health System, Havre de Grace & Bel Air, MD
Virginia Commonwealth University Health System, Richmond, VA
Washington Hospital Center, Washington, DC

Employers of Medical Diagnostics majors*:

Christiana Care Health Services, Newark, DE
Cardiology Patient Assessment
LifeCell Corporation, Bridgewater, NJ
Biomedical Production Operator

*First graduating class – 2015, n = 6

Areas of Employment - MLS

Andrology/Embryology
Biosafety
Bone Marrow Transplantation
Cancer Research
Cellular Immunology
Clinical Chemistry
Customer Support
Fertility Clinic
Flow Cytometry
Forensic Science
General Clinical Laboratory
Hematology
HLA Tissue Typing
Human Genetics
Immunohematology
Immunology
Infectious Disease
Marketing
Microbiology
Molecular Diagnostics
Point of Care
Quality Assurance
Reagent Manufacturing
Research & Development
Sales
Software Validation
Technical Consulting
Technical Training
Virology

Other Professional Careers

Anesthesiologist
Attorney
Business Analyst
Chief Financial Officer
Clinical Information Analyst
Dentist
Director of Manufacturing
Education
Embryologist
Law Enforcement
Marketing Manager
Nurse
Optometrist
Orthopedic Surgeon
Pharmacist
Physician
Physician Assistant
Senior Sales Representative
Systems Analyst

Graduate Schools Attended

American University of the Caribbean, St. Maarten, N.A.
Arcadia University, Newark, DE
George Washington University, Washington, DC
Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD
Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine, Erie, PA
Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI
NY College of Osteopathic Medicine, Long Island, NY
Penn State Hershey Coll. of Medicine, Univ. Park, PA
Philadelphia Coll. of Osteopathic Medicine, Phila., PA
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY
Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ
Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine, New York, NY
Univ. of Medicine and Dentistry of NJ, Newark, NJ
University of Vermont Medical School, Burlington, VT

The Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U.S. Department of Labor projects that the employment of clinical laboratory technicians and scientists will increase by 16% through the year 2024.
In May 2014, the median salary was $60,520 annually for clinical/medical laboratory scientists, based on geographic location.[1] Currently, there is a shortage in many parts of the country guaranteeing employment and higher salaries for graduates.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U.S. Department of Labor projects that the employment of physician assistants will increase by 30% through the year 2024.
In May 2014, the median salary was $98.180 annually for physician assistants, based on geographic location.[2]
Health insurance availability, combined with specialization on the part of physicians has created opportunities for physician assistants to become primary care providers in many areas.

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[1] http://www.bls.gov/ooh/healthcare/medical-and-clinical-laboratory-technologists-and-technicians.htm
[2] http://www.bls.gov/ooh/healthcare/physician-assistants.htm#tab-6