

PASS HB3596 TECHNICAL FIX This Session!

What's the Difference between the limited current pathway & the new work-based apprenticeship training program for Surgical Technologists?

From the Student's Perspective	Work Based Apprenticeship Pathway / HB4601B	Existing Program
Paid while going through training	YES	NO
Save thousands by completing training in their local community and not having to find housing in a city far away	YES	NO
Supported by the major OREGON health care and OREGON Labor organizations	YES	NO
Benefit from a specific recruiting program for communities of color, women and youth	YES	NO
Good for rural residents and keeps trainees in the community	YES	NO
Developed by business & labor working together to expand capacity	YES	NO
Required continuing education after certification through AORN "Safe Surgery Together" Program	YES	NO
# of Surgical Techs Generated to fill the hundreds of current openings	24 year one 36 year two 48 year three	Approximately 18 in 2021
Sets HIGH and SPECIFIC and ROBUST testing and certification standards through a national accreditation organization and ORS / BOLI & OHA	YES NCCT with clear & defined testing standards!	YES

S.T. Apprentic eship Was Endorsed by:













