



Surgical Technology

Dear Prospective Student,

Thank you for your interest in Keiser University's (KU) Associate of Science degree program in Surgical Technology (ST) program. KU is required by law to disclose to you specific state licensing requirements regarding professional licensure. In particular, KU must disclose whether (1) the program meets state educational requirements for professional licensure, (2) does not meet state educational requirements for professional licensure, or (3) it cannot be confirmed if the program meets state educational requirements for professional licensure.

The attached professional licensure disclosure notification is designed to provide the aforementioned detail for all 50 states in the U.S., the District of Columbia, and U.S. protectorates.

Upon review, should you find you reside in and/or wish to obtain licensure in a state where the program does not meet state educational requirements, or it cannot be confirmed if the program does so, please click on the link for that state to determine the professional licensure requirements for that state. For program-specific questions, please contact the Program Director at the Clearwater campus of Keiser University, Rebecca Holland, at (727) 576-6500.

Sincerely,

John E. Sites, JD
Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs
Keiser University



**Professional Licensure Disclosure/Notification Statement
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Degree Title	Degree Level	Degree
Associate of Science in Surgical Technology	Associate Degree	AS

Professional Licensure Disclosure Statement: Keiser University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award certificates and degrees at the associate, baccalaureate, masters, specialist, and doctoral levels. Questions about the accreditation of Keiser University may be directed in writing to the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097, by calling (404) 679-4500, or by using information available on SACSCOC’s website (www.sacscoc.org).

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The KU AS Surgical Technology program qualifies graduates to sit the NBSTSA certification examination. Successful examinees receive the Certified Surgical Technologist designation. At this time, KU has made the following determination regarding the AS Surgical Technology educational degree completion requirements for licensure/certification in the following states:

STATES IN WHICH THE PROGRAM MEETS EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS	STATES IN WHICH THE PROGRAM DOES NOT MEET EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS	STATES FOR WHICH IT CANNOT BE DETERMINED IF THE PROGRAM MEETS EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS
All 50 states, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico	NA	American Samoa, Guam, Northern Marianna Islands and the US Virgin Islands

It is strongly recommended that students, applicants, and prospective students determine any additional (i.e. non-educational) requirements for licensure in the state in which they seek to be licensed. For additional information and a listing of specific states which require certification or licensure, please visit the web site of the Association of Surgical Technologists:

https://www.ast.org/Public_Policy/Legislative_Overview/

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