



STUDENT TECHNICAL WRITING AWARDS

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Use the knowledge you have gained in your professional course of study. Pick a topic, which has stimulated your interest and pertains to your profession. Then, research that topic, show off your originality and writing skills and submit the article by March 1, 2010, to American Medical Technologists, 10700 W. Higgins Road, Suite 150, Rosemont, Illinois, 60018, Attn: Cathie De Gustino. The AMT Student Activity Committee and other professionals will judge the entries and the winners will receive their awards and the cash prizes of first place, \$200; second place, \$165; and third place, \$135. Winners will be announced at the Awards Banquet, Thursday, July 15, 2010 at the AMT National Convention in Las Vegas, Nevada. If you cannot be present at the Awards Banquet, your award will be mailed to you after the conference.

Award Guidelines

Student must be enrolled in an accredited program leading to eligibility for AMT certification. Programs include Dental Assistant, Medical Assistant, Medical Administrative Specialist, Medical Laboratory Assistant, Medical Laboratory Technician, Medical Technologist, and Phlebotomy Technician.

All articles MUST:

- **be written on a technical topic relating to healthcare**
- **have a minimum of 1,000 words**
- **be double spaced**
- **be typewritten or printed in a professional format**
- **contain references**
- **be sure you have a cover page which includes the title of the article; your name and address; school name and address and your course of study. Also make sure the title is on the first page of the article. DO NOT put your name on the actual article, as the judges will not be told who the author is or from what part of the country the article was submitted.**