



Specialist in Blood Banking Program

Designation and Approval of SBB Student Mentors

Designation:

A mentor is someone chosen by the SBB applicant and a requirement of the admissions process.

The mentor may be an SBB(ASCP), a Medical Director or someone with the appropriate experience. Refer to the SBB Student Mentor Agreement Form.

The mentor will complete and submit a SBB Student Mentor Agreement Form, as well as submit a current CV or resume.

Approval of Mentor:

The completed mentor agreement must be received and approved by the SBB Program Director before the start of class. Rare exceptions are considered on a case-by-case basis.

- If the mentor agreement is complete, CV submitted, and credentials and/or experience meet the requirements for serving as a SBB student mentor (refer to the OneBlood SBB Student Mentor Agreement Form), then the mentor will be approved and student notified.
- The mentor will not be approved and student notified if:
 - The SBB Student Mentor Agreement Form is not complete, and/or
 - The mentor's CV or resume is not received, and/or
 - The mentor's CV or resume does not reveal adequate experience

If the mentor is not approved, the applicant must find another mentor. The review and approval process is repeated.

If an applicant is unable to identify a mentor, the Program Director will help to identify one.

Without a mentor, the applicant/student cannot continue in the program.