



Polysomnography
Education
Program

Tuition Information

“First Sleep, then
go chase your
dreams!”

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The Polysomnography Education Program (PEP) offered by First Sleep School is an 80 hour introductory course for those that either desire to enter the field of sleep technology or already have some experience but wish to take the course to help advance their career with a greater foundation of knowledge and shorten the time required to obtain a national credential. This “10 day” program is offered in a weekday or weekend schedule and is located on the Corinth campus of North Central Texas College.

“Why choose First Sleep School over other similar programs?”

First Sleep School is an approved and regulated career school (S4200) by the Texas Workforce Commission so the students can have confidence in a positive learning experience.

First Sleep School is recognized by the BRPT as a Sleep Technology Approved Resource under their STAR Program so the student has confidence that the curriculum being taught in this introductory course is relevant and representative of employment as a Sleep Tech. As a Focused-2 STAR (F2006) provider, the student completing the PEP from First Sleep School will know that their training will be recognized and can be applied toward their exam requirements.

First Sleep School’s PEP is the only “80 Hour Program” that is both an approved career school by the Texas Workforce Commission and an approved STAR Provider by the BRPT. As a matter of fact, there are no other comparable “A-STEP” programs or Focused 2 STAR Providers anywhere in the Dallas/Ft. Worth area making First Sleep School the exclusive STAR provider for this training in all of North Texas.

By completing First Sleep School’s Polysomnography Education Program, it

can eliminate the need for 3 months of clinical experience as a sleep technician to become eligible for the CPSGT exam through Pathway #3. Additionally, the same course can also eliminate 819 hours or half of the total required clinical experience to become eligible for the RPSGT through Pathway #4. In other words, taking this course can be the equivalent of 9 months worth of clinical experience and will cut your eligibility time for the RPSGT in half. One course gives you credit toward both the CPSGT and RPSGT exam requirements.

“What is the cost of tuition?”

The total cost of tuition for the 10-day, 80 hour Polysomnography Education Program is \$3,000, which does include all textbook and study material needed to complete the course.

“Do you offer scholarships to help off-set the cost of tuition?”

Yes. Scholarships are offered to those with a work history in the field of sleep medicine to help give “credit” for on the job training, to those currently in the medical field wanting to change to a career in sleep as well as those that are just graduating high school looking for post-secondary skills training. Here are the scholarships being offered for the 2017-18 calendar year.

REM Scholarship:

Up to \$1000 for previous employment in Sleep. \$200 for each year. *Proof of Eligibility via Tax Returns and Resume may be required.

NREM Scholarship:

Up to \$1000 for for any experience in a different medical field or for relevant college education.

*Proof of Eligibility via Tax Returns and Resume may be required

Wake Work-Study:

In lieu of the REM or NREM Scholarship, the student can choose up to 60 hours of guaranteed paid employment *after*

graduating from our course. The Work-Study rate will be \$12.50 per hour and tuition must be paid in full.

“Do you offer any kind of financing for the cost of tuition?”

Payments can be made by MasterCard, Visa, American Express, Personal Checks, Cashier’s Check and Money Orders. As a small private training career school we are not eligible to receive federal financial aid. We do, however, offer in-house financing to our student that allows the student to pay 50% down by the first day of class and then pay the remaining balance over the next 3 months. Just tell us you need in-house financing and we will guide you through the process.

“I am ready to enroll. How do I reserve my seat?”

Class size is limited to twenty students and is reserved on a first come, first serve basis. To guarantee your seat in your preferred course date, please submit a completed registration form with either a fully refundable down payment of at least 10% of your total tuition or by paying your total tuition amount in full. If a deposit is made to reserve your seat, the remaining balance is due before the start of the course. First Sleep School reserves the right to refund deposit and terminate enrollment, if the unpaid balance is not received prior to the due date.

“What if I change my mind after enrolling?”

All cancellations should be requested in writing to First Sleep School as soon as that decision is made. A full refund will be made to any student who cancels the enrollment agreement within 3 days after the enrollment agreement is signed or within the student’s first three scheduled class days. For cancellations made after the expiration date, the student should refer to the School Catalog and/or Enrollment Agreement.