



OLIVIA CHOW
MAYOR

Proclamation

National Phlebotomy Technicians Recognition Week

June 22 – 26, 2026

WHEREAS National Phlebotomy Technicians Recognition Week provides an opportunity to acknowledge the contributions of phlebotomy technicians and raise public awareness of their role in patient care and public health.

Phlebotomy technicians are health care professionals who collect and process patient specimens. Their work supports diagnostic testing, blood donation, transfusion services and research.

In hospitals, clinics, laboratories and other health care settings, phlebotomy technicians work with patients at important points in their care. Their skill and attention help support safe, accurate and timely specimen collection.

The work of phlebotomy technicians also supports physicians, nurses and laboratory professionals, and contributes to the delivery of healthcare services across Canada.

The City of Toronto acknowledges with gratitude the valued contributions of all those whose hard work and dedication improve the health and well-being of our residents.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Mayor Olivia Chow, on behalf of Toronto City Council, do hereby proclaim **June 22 – 26, 2026**, as "**National Phlebotomy Technicians Recognition Week**" in the City of Toronto.

Olivia Chow
Mayor of Toronto