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# Get the facts

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NEWEST INDUSTRY-DRIVEN PROGRAMS:



2 SMART MANUFACTURING ASSOCIATE DEGREE

**3** QUICKBOOKS SPECIALIST TECHNICAL DIPLOMA

THERAPEUTIC MASSAGE TECHNICAL DIPLOMA

S NAIL TECHNOLOGY CERTIFICATE

PASTURE TO PLATE BUTCHERY CERTIFICATE 97%

OF GRADUATES ARE SATISFIED OR VERY SATISFIED WITH THEIR NTC EDUCATION

# 92%

OF OUR GRADS ARE EMPLOYED WITHIN 6 MONTHS TO 3 YEARS FOLLOWING GRADUATION

# 41 PROGRAMS HAVE 100% JOB PLACEMENT







Source: U.S. Department of Education collegescorecard.ed.gov

# **Experience college**

# **STUDENT LIFE**

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Student Life is the living and learning that takes place outside of the classroom. It's about finding your fit as a Timberwolf! Through leadership, exploration, advocacy and development you'll form friendships and become a part of a community that makes your college experience more than a collection of courses.

Our fun, interactive programming complements what you learn in the classroom while giving you opportunities to:

- Become part of the NTC community
- Grow your personal and professional network
- Build your leadership skills
- Explore and develop as an individual
- Enhance your soft skills
- Prepare for life after college studentlife.ntc.edu

# CLUBS

Student clubs provide you with unique opportunities to become engaged on campus and within the community. With 25 active student groups spanning a variety of programs and interests, you're sure to find a club that's the right fit for you or you can even start a new club to match your unique hobby!

# Some clubs on campus:

- Computer Club
- Culinary Arts Club
- Timberwolf Voices
- Veterans Club
- Beta Rho Zeta Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa
- Business Professionals of America
- Student Nurse Association
- Welding Club studentlife.ntc.edu/clubs

# **SPORTS**

We are excited to offer a robust collection of recreational and wellness activities including intramural sports, wellness events, and other programs related to your mental, emotional, and physical wellbeing.

**Examples include:** 

- Volleyball
- Basketball
- Flag Football
- Ultimate Frisbee studentlife.ntc.edu/recreation

# **ESPORTS**

Our collegiate varsity esports teams compete as a member of the National Association of Collegiate Esports (NACE), the governing body for esports. Student-athletes compete in NTC's state-of-the-art esports arena.

esports.ntc.edu

# **TIMBERWOLF SUITES**

• Fully furnished

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- Community and study rooms
- All utilities included
- Fitness center
- On-site community advisors and keycard entry
- Houses 196 students
- Connected to campus with paved walkway

www.timberwolfsuites.com

# **DISABILITY SERVICES**

Additional support services are available to ensure equal access to college programs, services and activities for eligible students with documented disabilities. We create academic accommodation plans and offer support services to promote independence and selfadvocacy while students pursue their educational goals.

www.ntc.edu/disability-services



# TIMBERWOLF LEARNING COMMONS

The TLC is a one-stop shop for academic and technology support. It hosts the library, Academic Resource Center, and the IT Help Desk. The TLC features collaborative and quiet study spaces. The ARC offers specialized support for students through tutoring, academic coaching, and writing assistance. The library supports students in access to resources and technology.

# www.ntc.edu/timberwolf-learning-<u>commons</u>

# **CAMPUS SECURITY**

The NTC Wausau campus has Campus Security Officers on duty during campus operating hours. The Campus Security Department consists of 10 part-time officers, an assistant director, and a fulltime director. The Safety and Security Department functions as a highly trained and service orientated division of the College by continually improving and offering various assistance programs. Phone: 715.803.1111 Email: security@ntc.edu www.ntc.edu/safety-security/security

# **STUDENT SUCCESS**

**Dedicated Student Success** Advisors are here to help you:

- Develop an academic plan
- Choose classes
- Plan for graduation
- Discuss emergency situations
- Consider transfer for a bachelor's degree
- Share information on campus and community resources

# **CAREER SERVICES**

You can receive one-on-one help with your resume and cover letter, take part in mock interviews, job shadows, job fairs or simply explore the career resources and effective job search tools the Career Services Department offers as you explore the next step in your journey.

Contact us to learn more! Phone: 715.803.1190 Email: careerservices@ntc.edu

# **Program listing**

### AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND NATURAL RESOURCES

# **Associate Degrees:**

- Agri-Business
- Crop Science (Agronomy) Culinary Arts
- Dairy Science
- Veterinary Technician

# **Technical Degrees:**

- Crop Scout
- Culinary Assistant
- Garden to Market Specialist - NEW

### **ARCHITECTURE AND** CONSTRUCTION

### Associate Degree:

Architectural Design and Technology

# **Technical Degrees:**

- Applied Mechanical CAD Technician
- Architectural Design Software
- Architectural Technician Electrical Power
- Distribution • Gas Utility Construction &
- Service

## ARTS, A/V TECHNOLOGY AND COMMUNICATIONS

# Associate Degrees:

 Graphic Communication Technologies

# Video Production

### BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

**Associate Degrees:** 

- Administrative Professional Agri-Business
- Business Analyst
- Business Management Human Resources
- Leadership Development
- Legal Studies/Paralegal
- Sign Language Interpreting
- in Education Small Business
- Entrepreneurship • Sports and Recreation
- Management • Supply Chain Management

# **Technical Degrees:** • Accelerated - Human

- **Resource Management** Accelerated - Leadership
- Accelerated Lean
- Organizations
- Accelerated Supervision • Business Operations
- Healthcare Receptionist
- Medical Coding Specialist
- Medical Office Specialist
- Office Assistant
- Quickbooks Specialist

# NEW

# • Supply Chain Assistant

**EDUCATION AND** 

Associate Degrees:

• Foundations of Teacher

**Technical Degree:** 

Early Childhood Teacher

Associate Degree:

**Technical Degrees:** 

Accounting Assistant

• Quickbooks Specialist -

Early Childhood Education

• Sign Language Interpreting

TRAINING

Education

in Education

FINANCE

Accounting

NEW

# **HEALTH SCIENCE**

- **Associate Degrees:**
- Dental Hygienist
- Fire Medic
- Medical Laboratory
- Technician
- Nursing
- Paramedic Technician
- Radiography
- Surgical Technology NEW • Veterinary Technician

# Technical Degrees:

- Advanced EMT · Dental Assistant (Short-Term)
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Emergency Medical
- Technician Paramedic Healthcare Receptionist
- Medical Assistant
- Medical Coding Specialist
- Medical Office Specialist
- Nursing Assistant (CNA)
- Phlebotomy Technician
- Therapeutic Massage NEW

### **HOSPITALITY AND** TOURISM

# Associate Degrees:

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# Culinary Arts

- Hospitality Management - NFW
- Sports and Recreation Management
- **Technical Degree:** Culinary Assistant

# HUMAN SERVICES

# Associate Degrees:

- Early Childhood Education
- Human Services
- Substance Use Disorder Counseling

# **Technical Degrees:**

- Cosmetology
  - Early Childhood Teacher
  - Human Services Assistant Substance Abuse Counselor Education
  - Therapeutic Massage NEW

# INFORMATION **TECHNOLOGY**

Specialist

Specialist

## **Associate Degrees:**

• IT - Computer Support

**Technical Degrees:** 

• IT - Web Design Specialist

• IT - Computer Support

### Business Analyst Data Analytics

- Criminal Justice Studies
  - Fire Medic

SECURITY

• Fire Services Leadership

LAW, PUBLIC SAFETY,

**CORRECTIONS AND** 

Associate Degrees:

- IT Cybersecurity Specialist • Law Enforcement in the 21st Century
- IT Network Specialist • Legal Studies/Paralegal
- IT Software Developer Paramedic Technician IT - Web Designer

# **Technical Degrees:**

Enforcement 720 Academy

Technician - Paramedic

MANUFACTURING

Associate Degrees:

Manufacturing Engineering

Engineering Technology

Automation Systems

• Electromechanical

Technology

Technology

Technology

Technology

Robotics

Wood Science

Mechanical Design

Safety Engineering

· Smart Manufacturing

Technology - NEW

• Welding Fabrication and

EMT - Firefighter

Fire Science

- Advanced EMT • Criminal Justice - Law
- Technician • IT - Help Desk Support Specialist
  - Emergency Medical Technician
- IT Junior Developer Emergency Medical • IT - Network Technician
- IT Software Development



# MANUFACTURING

# **Technical Degrees:**

- Applied Mechanical CAD Technician
- Basic Machining
- Flux Cored Arc Welding (FCAW)
- Gas Metal Arc Welding (GMAW)
- Gas Tungsten Arc Welding (GTAW)
- Industrial Automation
- Industrial Electronics and Maintenance Technician
- Industrial Environmental Engineering Technician
- Industrial Manufacturing Engineering Technician
- Industrial Safety Engineering Technician
- Machine Tool Operation
- Machine Tool Technics
- Manufacturing Basics
- Manufacturing Technician
- Quality Manufacturing
- Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW)
- Welding
- Welding Robotic Operation
- Wood Technology

# MARKETING

### **Associate Degrees:**

- Digital Marketing
- Marketing
- **Technical Degrees:**
- Marketing Digital Internet Marketing
- Marketing Digital Marketing Promotions
- Marketing Social Media

### SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY. ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS

# **Associate Degrees:**

- Automation Systems
- Technology Civil Engineering
- Technology
- Electromechanical Technology
- Manufacturing Engineering Technology
- Mechanical Design
- **Engineering Technology** Safety Engineering
- Technology

# **Technical Degrees:**

- Applied Mechanical CAD Technician
- Industrial Automation
- Industrial Environmental **Engineering Technician**
- Industrial Manufacturing **Engineering Technician**
- Industrial Safety **Engineering Technician**

### TRANSPORTATION. **DISTRIBUTION AND** LOGISTICS

### Associate Degrees:

- Automotive Technology
- Diesel Technology
- Supply Chain Management **Technical Degrees:**

# • Automotive Technician

- Diesel Equipment Mechanic
- Gas Utility Construction & Service
- Supply Chain Assistant
- Truck Driving (CDL Class A)

# Apprenticeship

Apprenticeship is an earn-while-you-learn opportunity that combines on-the-job training and related classroom instruction, all while getting paid!

NTC offers classroom instruction for the following apprenticeship programs:

- Diesel Technician
- Electrical & Instrumentation
- IT Data Analyst
- IT Service Desk Technician
- IT Software Developer
- Industrial Electrician
- Lubrication Technician

- Machinist
- Maintenance Technician
- Medical Assistant
- Millwright/Maintenance Mechanic
- Plumbing
- Tool & Die Maker

Additional Registered Apprenticeship programs are available through the Department of Workforce Development (DWD). To learn more visit: dwd.wisconsin.gov/apprenticeship/ra-applicants.htm

# We meet you where you are at

# **100% ONLINE**



On your timeline

As NTC's most flexible option, Virtual College gives students the opportunity to begin classes and set due dates throughout the semester. Classes are taught by the same instructors who teach face-to-face courses, and provide quality learning experiences directed by the faculty, with a schedule directed by each student.

# Computer Conferencing (ZOOM)



Times are set by the instructor and meet regularly each week

Instructors teach in real-time and students participate in class discussions and work on projects with their peers via the web conferencing tool, Zoom. This type of environment is ideal for students who cannot physically be on campus, but prefer the community and structure of set learning times.

# Online

Complete from anywhere

Standard online classes give students the flexibility to complete their coursework online with the added structure of set due dates.

# We serve students in all 50 states.



# **COMBINATION Blended/Hybrid**

Students complete some classes fully online at their pace, while there are still occasional set meeting dates and times from the instructor. In some cases the set days and times can be attended at a physical campus and/or via computer conferencing.

# Face-to-Face + Computer Conferencing



Classes take place at a NTC location OR Complete from anywhere



Times are set by the instructor and meet regularly each week

Students choose to either attend classes on an NTC campus or via Zoom, NTC's virtual classroom software. In order to maintain appropriate social distancing measures, students must decide which way they will attend and register for that section.

# **NTC Connect**



Zoom or online



Times are set by the instructor and meet regularly each week

Students have the flexibility to select how they attend their scheduled class sessions (In-Person, Zoom or Online) on a day to day or week by week basis.



# Get a jump start in High School

# **DUAL CREDIT**

Dual credit allows high school students to earn college credits and save money on tuition while still in high school. Dual credit is an arrangement where you can earn both high school and college credit. Technical college courses are taught in the high school by college-certified high school instructors at no cost to the student or high school.

# **Benefits:**

There are several benefits associated with completing dual credit classes, including: saving time and money by getting a free jump-start on college, getting a feel for the rigor of college classes while in a familiar learning environment and the ability to transfer credit to the college of your choice.

Dual credit courses transfer seamlessly into NTC programs. Courses are available in a variety of areas including Health, Agricultural Science, Technical & Trades, Business and Community Services.

www.ntc.edu/dual-credit

# YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP

The Youth Apprenticeship (YA) program is a rigorous one or two-year elective statewide program that combines academic and technical instruction with mentored, paid, on-the-job learning that makes a real-world connection for students.

www.ntc.edu/ya

# CAREER EXPLORATION

Learn about career exploration events and summer opportunities. www.ntc.edu/k12events

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NTC partners with area middle and high schools to help students meet their academic and career planning goals through events designed to introduce students to career pathways, inspiring students through hands-on activities. www.ntc.edu/k12events

# **CAMPUS TOURS**

Tour our campus and discover how the NTC experience can be part of your future. Discover your college and career options through an individual tour or school group tour by visiting: www.ntc.edu/campus-tours C a



# CAREER COACHES

Career Coaches work with area schools to help students and parents with career and college planning.

# **General Services:**

- Match programs that fit career
- interests
- Apply to college
- Provide financial aid and scholarship
- information
- Showcase transfer opportunities

# Academic and Career

- **Planning Services:**
- Career exploration
- Career spotlights
- Career readiness

# **Transition Services:**

- Provide a successful transition for high school students beginning college at NTC
- Inform students about important dates and deadlines
- Connect students to resources that NTC has to offer

# Connect with Us:

- Book an Appointment or Tour
- Contact your High School Counselor for when the next NTC visit is scheduled

Email us at admissions@ntc.edu or call us at 715.803.1645 www.ntc.edu/admissions/careercoaches

# Paying for College

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION & NEXT STEPS:**

To apply for federal student aid, such as federal grants, work-study, and loans; as well as financial aid through the State of Wisconsin, you need to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Completing and submitting the FAFSA is free and easy to do!

The FAFSA is released prior to the year of attendance on October 1. File your FAFSA as close to October 1 as possible to improve your chances of qualifying for the most financial aid.

# STEP 1

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Go to <u>studentaid.gov/fsa-id/create-</u> <u>account/launch</u> to create an FSA ID. The FSA ID will act as your electronic signature. If you need to include parent information on your FAFSA at least one parent will also need a FSA ID.

# STEP 2

Go to <u>studentaid.gov</u> to apply for financial aid. Submit your FAFSA including NTC's school code 005387.

# What you will need:

- Social security number
- Driver's license number
- Alien Registration Number (if you are not a U.S. citizen)
- Records of untaxed income, such as child support received and interest income
- Tax information from two years prior to the academic year. For example, if you are looking to attend college in Fall 2023, you would file the FAFSA using taxes from 2021
- Information on cash; savings and checking account balances and investments

The FAFSA form for the 2024-2025 school year will be released in December 2023 (two months after the usual October 1 release date).

# STEP 3

The Financial Aid Office will email you after receiving your processed FAFSA.

- Check your NTC student email account for additional information about financial aid which may include:
- Request for additional documents needed to fully process your FAFSA (referred to as verification)
- Notification of a financial aid offer
- Book voucher eligibility
- Work-study

Please note: In order to be offered financial aid, students must be accepted into an eligible program and enrolled in classes. Most correspondence from the Financial Aid Office will be made via email, so we encourage you to check your NTC student email regularly.

For questions, contact the Financial Aid Office at financialaid@ntc.edu or 715.803.1647

# DEPENDENT STUDENT VS. INDEPENDENT STUDENT

Students who are dependent for federal student aid purposes must supply parent information on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Students who are independent do not have to supply their parents' information. N th fc TI th fin W qu w P a a fin w W



# **NTC PROMISE**

NTC Promise provides free college tuition for qualified local high school graduates in the NTC district. This opportunity helps high school seniors realize their dreams of attending college while reducing financial barriers and ensuring a skilled workforce for our communities.

Through the generosity of the NTC Foundation, businesses and individual donors, the cost of tuition and fees will be covered by donated funds after federal and state financial aid (excluding loans and work-study) and scholarships have been applied.

We will provide up to five consecutive semesters of tuition free attendance for qualified students (up to 15 credits per semester; does not include summer semester) who meet ongoing requirements.

Promise participants will receive individual guidance and support from a dedicated advisor as they navigate the eligibility requirements of their program.

If you're ready to get started, just fill out our online application and we will follow up with you to walk you through the next steps. www.ntc.edu/promise

# Support for College

# SCHOLARSHIPS: APPLY FOR A SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarships can be applied for twice a year, in the fall and spring semesters. Any awards will be applied to the following semester.

# Before applying, you should know:

- Many NTC Foundation scholarships are established with specific criteria, however ONE application works for ALL available scholarships
- NTC Foundation scholarships are NOT cash
- Awards; scholarships are deposited directly into student accounts at the beginning of the following semester
- Scholarship awards may be taken into account on your next year's Federal Financial Aid application

(If your books and tuition are fully covered by another entity such as dislocated worker or veteran's benefits, these scholarships may not be helpful to you) ntc.academicworks.com

External scholarships can also be accepted at NTC. If you have questions, please contact the NTC Foundation at 715.803.1302 or scholarships@ntc.edu.

# **Over 898 NTC Foundation Scholarships** awarded last year totaling over



# WORK STUDY: FINANCIAL AID

Financial aid helps you and your family pay for your education. Some aid needs to be paid back, while some is considered gift-aid (including grants and scholarships) and does not need to be repaid if satisfactory academic progress is being made.

The amount of financial aid you are eligible for depends on a number of factors, such as your family's expected contribution, if you are a veteran and other variables.

The work-study program provides part-time jobs for eligible students with financial need, allowing them to earn money to help pay educational expenses. Eligibility is determined by completing the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid).

# **VETERANS AFFAIRS (VA) AND MILITARY BENEFITS**

Veterans, service members and their eligible dependents may qualify for VA and military benefits. Benefits could potentially cover the cost of tuition and/or offset other costs associated with your education. www.ntc.edu/students/veterans

Applying for Benefits:

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- Federal Benefits; <u>www.va.gov</u>
- State Benefits; www.wisvets.com

# Military Transcripts/CPL:

- Joint Service Transcripts; jst.doded.mil
- Community College of the Air Force; <u>www.airuniversity.af.edu</u>

VA Web Automated Verification of Enrollment (WAVE):

- Verify enrollment each month
- www.gibill.va.gov/wave or 1.877.823.2378
- GI Bill Hotline:
- 1.800.698.2411



# **PAYMENT PLANS**

Make college more affordable by paying for tuition and fees over time. Tuition payment plans break down your tuition balance into affordable monthly payments. There's no interest, payment options are flexible, setup fees are affordable and it's easy to enroll on your MyNTC account.

# Payment Methods:

- Automatic bank payment (ACH)
- Credit/debit card

# **Cost to Participate:**

- \$25 nonrefundable enrollment fee per semester (ACH & credit card/debit card)
- \$15 nonrefundable returned payment fee if a payment is returned

# Start here. Go anywhere.



# PUBLIC AND PRIVATE UNIVERSITY PARTNERS

You can start here and go anywhere through NTC's transfer agreements that give you the opportunity to continue your education. Save money in tuition when you begin your college career at NTC, then transfer the credits that you earn to another higher education institution to earn a bachelor's degree.

Prepare for your future goals:

- Understand the steps in the transfer process
- See how credits transfer by program or partner college
- View partner college tuition and scholarships
- Participate in transfer events
  <u>www.ntc.edu/transfer</u>

The University Transfer Associate Degree program prepares you to transfer to a four-year university or college at junior status. After completing this program, students are prepared to transfer to most public or private colleges and universities, both inside and outside of Wisconsin.

www.ntc.edu/university-transfer

<sup>66</sup> I've really gotten to see how great NTC is with their diversity in programs. I always recommend NTC to people who are starting college or are thinking about going back to college. Overall, I've had a great experience. I love coming to class and learning something new every day. I feel so valued as a student here and it really makes me want to keep working and keep going"

**Anna Rydeski** Dental Hygiene Student

# Your next steps

# **STEP 1: SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION**

- If you need help identifying which program is right for you, don't worry. We have resources available to help you select your program, including our Career Coaches. Contact them today at 715.803.1645 or admissions@ntc.edu www.ntc.edu/apply
- If you applied to the Surgical Technologist, Radiography, Nursing, Dental Hygiene or Veterinary Technician programs and have questions about the competitive admissions process, email: healthpetition@ntc.edu.
- If you are undecided on a program, schedule an appointment to discuss your interests and goals: admissions@ntc.edu, 715.803.1645 or schedule a meeting with a Career Coach by visiting:

www.ntc.edu/admissions/career-coaches

# STEP 2: SUBMIT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING

- High school transcripts
- Post-secondary transcripts you may have. This option can be used if you have a minimum of 12 credits completed with a cumulative 2.5 GPA. If you are interested in transferring credit from a different college, please submit your official transcripts to NTC in a sealed envelope from your previous school
- ACT/Accuplacer/Other test scores

# **STEP 3: APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID**

 Create your ID and apply at <u>studentaid.gov</u> by using NTC's school code: 005387

# **STEP 4: APPLY FOR NTC SCHOLARSHIPS**

You can apply every semester during key dates. www.ntc.edu/scholarships

# **Campus tours**

# WHAT CAN YOU EXPECT?

You should schedule a guided tour to ensure an opportunity to see all of what a college has to offer. College tours typically include a tour of the main campus area, program areas that students are interested in, student services, and living spaces. It's important to ask lots of questions during your tour so you can gather as much information as you can in order to help you decide on a college.

# WHAT KINDS OF QUESTIONS SHOULD I ASK?

- What does the campus offer for student involvement and activities?
- What does the program workload look like?
- Why should I go here? (if you have a student guide, ask them why they chose their college of choice)
- What is unique about this college?
- How big are your classes?
- How much time should I spend studying?
- Where do students hang out on and off campus?
- What dining options are there?
- Where is the best place to study on campus?
- What job opportunities do you offer on campus?
- Are there leadership opportunities on your campus?
- Will you help me find a job after graduation?

- What is the career placement like for students that graduate from here?
- Is there academic support or tutoring available?
- What is the application process to go to school here?
- What types of student financial aid do you offer?
- What is it like being a first-year student here?
- What is a typical day like for a student here?
- What do students do when they're not in class?
- What do students do on the weekends?
- What are some typical on-campus jobs?
- Are there resources on campus to help with resumes and preparing for jobs?

# TOURS AT NTC

Tour our campus and discover how the NTC experience can be a part of your future. Discover your college and career options through an individual or school group tour provided by a current NTC student.

To customize your tour, please visit: <u>www.ntc.edu/campus-tours</u>



## **OUR MISSION**

Northcentral Technical College provides high-quality, learner and employer focused, educational pathways committed to enriching lives and strengthening the economy.



Northcentral Technical College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability or age in employment, admissions or its programs or activities. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the College's nondiscrimination policies: Equal Opportunity Officer, Northcentral Technical College, 1000 W. Campus Drive, Wausau, WI 54401, Phone: 715.803.1057