



PRACTICAL NURSING



Program Content

- Health Care Delivery System
- Communication and Interpersonal Skills
- Legal and Ethical Responsibilities
- Wellness and Disease
- Safety
- Infection Control
- Blood Borne Disease Including Aids
- CPR and Response to Emergency Situations
- Basic Math and Science
- Nursing Skills
- Personal Patient Care Procedures
- Patient Care Plan
- Geriatric Care
- Rehabilitation Services
- Computer Literacy
- Anatomy and Physiology
- Employability Skills

Program Length

1350 hrs | Full Time 12 months

Approximate Cost

\$5,366

Location

Main and West Campus

Schedule

- Full Time: Monday - Thursday
7:15 am - 3:30 pm

Description of Program

The Practical Nursing program is approved by the Florida State Board of Nursing, which makes the graduate eligible to take the examination to practice as a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN). Licensed graduates may be employed in hospitals, extended care facilities, physicians' offices, HMOs, home healthcare and hospice agencies, as well as private patient care. LPNs work under the direction of a registered nurse (RN) or licensed physician. LPNs may continue their education by pursuing an Associate of Science degree or Bachelor of Science in Nursing. The program is accredited by the Accrediting Commission for Education in Nursing, Inc. (ACEN).

Requirements for Admission

- Orientation/Testing/Counselor Interview
- Passing Score on TEAS-V Test
- High School Diploma or GED
- FDLE Background Screening Clearance
- Completed Physical/Immunizations
- Health/Accident Insurance
- Transportation
- Drug Screening Clearance

Industry Certification & State Credential Exams

Students will be prepared to take an approved state and/or nationally recognized industry certification or licensure exam in their field of study.

College Credit Transfer Opportunity and/or Advanced Credit

Upon completion of the program and meeting eligibility requirements, students may be awarded credits toward an Associate Degree by Broward College or the Florida College System. For eligibility requirements, visit www.broward.edu/careerpath.



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To be admitted into a program of study offered by Sheridan Technical College, an individual must satisfy all of the admission requirements applicable to that program of study. General admissions and registration procedures for Sheridan Technical College are as follows:

ADMISSION AND REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

1. Attend Orientation

Applicants for technical programs must attend an on campus or online orientation.

- **On-campus Orientation:** It is strongly recommended and provides an in depth overview of our programs and resources. For Main Campus orientation, please report to Building #11 by 8:30 am. For West Campus orientation, please report to the main office by 8:00 am.
- **Online Orientation:** At the end of the online orientation you must complete the Online Orientation Survey. To access the orientation visit: <http://www.sheridantechical.com/HowtoApply/OnlineOrientation>

2. Take the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE)

- **Main Campus:** TABE is administered Monday through Thursday for all programs directly after orientation. Applicants must report to Building #11 with a valid picture ID and \$10.00 by 8:30 am.
- **West Campus:** TABE is administered Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday for all programs. Applicants must check in with a valid picture ID and \$10.00 by 8:00 am.
- Prospective students showing evidence pursuant to State Board **Rule 6A-10.040(8)** may be eligible to receive an exemption from taking the TABE.
- Programs that do not require TABE testing are as follows: Commercial Class B Driving, Commercial Vehicle Driving, Facials Specialty, Gaming Machine Repair Technician, Home Health Aide, Patient Care Assistant and Phlebotomy.

3. Schedule and Attend a Counselor Interview

- Schedule an appointment for an interview with the program counselor/advisor by calling 754.321.5400 (Main Campus) or 754.321.3900 (West Campus).
- Discuss TABE scores and next steps. Next steps may include a referral for remediation if minimum basic skills levels have not been achieved, program placement, special needs, financial aid and registration procedures. **Test scores cannot be given over the phone.**
- Please bring two forms of documented Florida residency to the interview.

4. Register for Class

- Registration for postsecondary students is held throughout the year.
- Please check with the program counselor/advisor for availability and registration dates.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Visit our website at www.SheridanTechnicalCollege.edu or contact the Office of Student Affairs at 754.321.5400 (Main Campus) or 754.321.3900 (West Campus).

ORIENTATION SCHEDULE

Orientation - Main & West Campus

Monday - Main Campus

- Health Unit Coordinator/Monitor Technician
- Medical Assisting
- Medical Coder/Biller
- Medical Record Transcribing/Healthcare Documentation
- Patient Care Assistant
- Patient Care Technician
- Phlebotomy
- Practical Nursing
- Surgical Technology

Tuesday - West Campus

- Automotive Service Technology
- Commercial Vehicle Driving/Commercial "Class B" Driving
- Medium and Heavy Duty Truck and Bus Technician II
- Practical Nursing

Wednesday - Main Campus

- Business Technology
- Court Reporting
- Graphic Arts & Information Technology
- Marketing, Management & Entrepreneurial Principles

Tuesday - Main Campus

- Barbering
- Child Care Center Operations
- Cosmetology
- Commercial Foods & Culinary Arts
- Early Childhood Education
- Facials
- Massage Therapy
- Teacher Assisting/Principles of Teaching

Thursday - Main Campus

- Air Conditioning/Heating Refrigeration 1 & 2
- Automotive Technology
- Electricity
- Gaming Machine Repair Technician
- Plumbing Technology

TABE TEST EXEMPTION

An official copy of the degree, transcript, or test score are required in order to allow any of these exemptions.

1. Associate in applied science level degree or higher from an accredited United States college or university;
2. Entered 9th grade during the 2003-2004 school year or after and earned a regular high school diploma from a State of Florida public high school;
3. Active duty member of US Armed Services;
4. Demonstrates readiness for public postsecondary education pursuant to **Rule 6A-10.0315** by taking the Accuplacer, ACT, SAT, Pert or Grade 10 FCAT Reading 2.0 and enrolls within 2 years of achieving such scores;
5. Passes an approved state, national or industry certification or licensure examination that is identified in the FLDOE Basic Skills and Licensure Examination List;
6. Enrolled in an approved apprenticeship program.

