Program Content

- Health Care Delivery System
- Communication and Interpersonal Skills
- Legal and Ethical Responsibilities
- Wellness and Disease Concepts
- Safety and Security Procedures
- Infection Control
- Bloodborne Disease Including AIDS
- CPR and Response to Emergency Situations
- Anatomy and Physiology
- Nursing Assistant Skills
- Personal Patient Care Procedures
- Patient Care Plan
- Geriatric Care
- Rehabilitation Services
- Phlebotomy
- EKG
- Employability Skills
- Basic Math/Science & Computer Literacy

Program Length

600 hrs  I  Full Time  I  6 months / 20 weeks

Approximate Cost

$2,445

Location

Main Campus

Schedule

August

- Monday - Thursday
  7:15 am - 3:30 pm
- Online Friday

January

- Monday - Friday
  7:00 am - 1:30 pm

Enrollment of New Students

- August 15, 2018
- January 8, 2019

Orientation

- Monday - see back page for details

Description of Program

The Patient Care Technician (Nursing Assistant) tends to ill and injured individuals under the supervision of doctors, nurses, and medical professionals. The duties include taking vital signs, collecting specimens, assisting patients with eating, personal hygiene and grooming. Employment is in the hospitals, nursing homes, and home health agencies. Upon successful completion of the Patient Care Technician Training program students may take the State Nursing Assistant Certification Examination. Students also receive training in 12 lead EKG and basic phlebotomy techniques.

Requirements for Admission

- Orientation/Testing/Counselor Interview - see back page for details
- FDLE Background Screening Clearance
- Drug Screening Clearance
- Completed Physical/Immunizations
- Health/Accident Insurance
- Transportation

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.

- Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA)
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General admissions and registration procedures are as follows:

1. Attend Orientation
   Program specific orientation is held Monday through Thursday. To register for orientation
   • Main (Hollywood) Campus: Report to Building 11, Office of Student Affairs
     no later than 8:30 a.m.
   • West (Pembroke Pines) Campus: Report to the main office no later than 8:00 a.m.

2. Apply for Financial Assistance (OPTIONAL)
   • If you require financial assistance please complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as soon as possible. Delays in completing the financial aid process may affect your ability to register on time.

3. Take the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE)
   • Students enrolled in a postsecondary program of 450 hours or more are required to take and pass a basic skills test in order to receive a vocational certificate at the time of program completion. Please refer to the second page for a list of basic skills exemptions. The TABE computer-based test assesses students in the areas of reading, math and language. Test accommodations may be available for individuals who self-identify as having a documented disability. Requests for accommodations must be made prior to testing via the Exceptional Education Specialist. To register, a test fee of $15.00 is required along with a valid picture ID. The test schedule and registration location is as follows:
     • Main (Hollywood) Campus: M-Th report to Building 11, Office of Student Affairs no later than 9:00 a.m. (Report to Building 11 no later than 8:30 a.m. when also attending orientation)
     • West (Pembroke Pines) Campus: T, W, F report to the main office no later than 8:00 a.m.

4. Counselor Interview
   • An interview with the program counselor/advisor is required to finalize the admissions process. Topics to be discussed include: TABE scores, basic skills exemption, remediation, Florida residency for tuition purposes, etc. Test scores cannot be provided over the phone. No appointment is necessary; however, please call to confirm the counselor’s availability prior to arrival.

5. Register for Class
   • Registration is on a first come, first served basis and is complete once payment is processed. Prospective students can register upon receiving an acceptance letter. Registration is ongoing, so verify course availability and registration dates with the program counselor/advisor. Textbooks, uniforms, kits and all other required supplies must be purchased prior to the first day of class.

   **BASIC SKILLS EXEMPTION - You may be exempt from the TABE if you:**
   • Entered 9th grade in a Florida public school in the 2003-2004 school year, or any year thereafter, and earned a Florida standard high school diploma (official high school transcript required);
   • Possess a college degree at the associate in applied science (AAS) level or higher from an accepted accredited college or university (official diploma or transcript required);
   • Demonstrate readiness via the 2014 GED®, P.E.R.T., ACT, SAT, WBST and/or GAIN (official test results required);
   • Active duty member of any branch of the United States Armed Services (paper order or ID card required);
   • Pass a state or national industry certification or licensure examination that is identified in State Board of Education rules and aligned to the CTE program in which the student is enrolled (official test results required); or
   • Enrolled in an apprenticeship program that is registered with FDOE.

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