

Certified Nursing Assistant

2023-2024

This Maryland Board of Nursing (MBON) approved course prepares students to safely perform delegated nurse functions with clients of any age and various levels of physical, sensory, motor, and emotional ability. Preparation for certification with the MBON and the National Nurse Aide Assessment Program (GNA) examination included. The clinical class provides instruction in the College CNA lab and allows students to provide direct patient care in a long-term care facility. Students will be under the direction of the Nursing Assistant instructor at all times while at the clinical class.

**The program is limited to 8 students. If the number of approved students exceeds the capacity, seats will be awarded via lottery.

The classes are tentatively scheduled for two evenings a week, 5:00pm – 9:00pm during the Spring 2024 semester. Clinicals will likely meet every other Saturday AND Sunday, 7:00am – 3:00pm. Transportation is not provided by Harford County Public Schools for this program.

Required courses:

- Nursing Assistant Theory
- Nursing Assistant Clinical

HCC requirements to participate in this program:

- Students are required to take Accuplacer assessment tests measuring math and reading at an 8th grade prior to registration. Available at the Test Center on campus.
- Must be able to lift, push, pull, etc. a minimum of 50 pounds unassisted.
- Submit the *Health Assessment Immunization Form* completed by a licensed primary health care provider.
- Must be fully vaccinated for Covid-19.
- Provide proof of current seasonal flu vaccination, immunization for measles, mumps, chicken pox, rubella, and a current, negative TB skin test or a negative chest x-ray prior to clinical.
- Students are required to be fingerprinted for a criminal background check by the MBON. Cost included in program fees.
- Present a current American Heart Association completion card for Healthcare Provider CPR.
- Have health care coverage.
- Consent to wear a mask during all clinical hours.
- Consent to Covid testing prior to all clinical sessions.
- Perfect attendance is mandatory.
- Students must maintain an 85% GPA throughout the program.
- Students must score an 85% or better on final exam.
- Students must be 18 by the start of clinical instruction

Certifications: Certified Nursing Assistant

Location: Nursing Assistant Theory- HCC Darlington Hall rooms 120 & 121, Nursing Assistant Clinical will meet at Citizens Care and Rehabilitation in Havre de Grace, MD.

When: Spring 2024 semester.

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