HEALTH OCCUPATIONS I & II

A two-year program that implements two state curriculums, Health Occupations (CORE) and Nurse Assisting.

- Skills and theory are designed to prepare students to render care in a variety of health care facilities as a nursing assistant. The program builds on the CORE care curriculum, which is a set of interdisciplinary courses, clinical training, and other educational exposures designed to provide health occupations students at each level with the common knowledge, skills, and values necessary to perform effectively in the evolving health care workplace.

- In conjunction with supervised clinical experience, this course prepares students to become efficient and caring members of health care teams.

- Students participate both years in clinical settings at hospitals, nursing homes, physicians’ offices, clinics, and community agencies.

- Curriculum includes commencement level math and English language arts.

Curriculum includes:

- Medical assisting
- Assisting in medical office
- Phlebotomy
- EKG’s
- Computer applications

Requirements:

- Applicants must forward transcripts
- Must have a passing grade in Math and Biology

Attendance: This is an hours based program

- Certified Nurse Assistant: 108 clinical hours, 216 lab/class hours = 324 hours
- Home Health Aide/Personal Care Aide: 30 clinical hours, 65 lab/class hours = 95 hours

Certifications & Endorsements:

- NYS Certified Nurse Assistant
- First Aid/CPR/AED
- Home Health Aide
- Personal Care Aide

Students completing the program successfully qualify to work as:

- Certified Nurse Assistant
- Home Health Aide
- Personal Care Aide

Employment opportunities requiring further education:

- Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)
- Registered Nurse (RN)

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