



HEALTH SCIENCE

Diploma

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Overview HEALTH SCIENCES

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Outlook for EMPLOYMENT

Graduates should qualify for an entry-level job associated with the program major such as Medical Assistant, Nurse Aide or Phlebotomist dependent upon the selected program major.

Nurse Aide
Phlebotomist
Medical Assistant

COURSES

Required Courses for Program

			NA	PHLE	MA
ACA	111	College Student Success *	✓	✓	✓
BIO	106	Intro to A&P & Micro *	✓	✓	
BIO	168	Anatomy & Physiology I	✓	✓	
BIO	169	Anatomy & Physiology II	✓	✓	
BIO	163	Basic Anatomy and Physiology			✓
CHM	131	Intro to Chemistry & Lab	✓	✓	
CHM	131A	Intro to Chemistry & Lab	✓	✓	
CIS	110	Introduction to Computers			✓
ENG	111	Expository Writing	✓	✓	✓
HSC	110	Orientation to Health Careers	✓	✓	✓
HSC	120	CPR	✓	✓	✓
HUM	115	Critical Thinking	✓	✓	✓
MED	121	Medical Terminology I	✓	✓	✓
MED	122	Medical Terminology II	✓	✓	✓
MED	110	Orientation to Medical Assisting			✓
MED	118	Medical Law and Ethics			✓
MED	130	Administrative Office Procedures I			✓
MED	131	Administrative Office Procedures II			✓
MED	140	Exam Room Procedures I			✓
MED	150	Lab Procedures I			✓
MED	260	Medical Clinical Practicum			✓
NAS	101	Nurse Aide I	✓		
NAS	102	Nurse Aide II	✓		
PBT	100	Phlebotomy Technology I		✓	
PBT	101	Phlebotomy Practicum		✓	
PSY	150	General Psychology	✓	✓	
Required Courses for Program			45	42	45

NA = Diploma (Nurse Aide) PHLE = Diploma (Phlebotomy)
MA = Diploma (Medical Assisting)

✓ Denotes required for degree completion

Courses with matching symbols indicate OR/AND requirements. Review back page or contact Student Development for more information.

Process for ADMISSIONS

- Submit a complete Application for Admission to the Office of Admissions.
- Submit official transcript(s) of high school education and all post-high school course work to the Office of Admissions if requested. Office GED scores or transcript of courses for the Adult High School Diploma may be submitted in lieu of the high school transcript.
- Complete the Admission Placement Test.
- Diploma and certificate admission requirements may vary. Contact the Admissions Office for details.

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DIPLOMA TRACKS

Suggested Course Sequence Full-time Student

Course#	Course Name	CR.
CORE		
ENG 111	Expository Writing	3
HUM 115	Critical Thinking	3
		6
TECHNICAL CORE		
HSC 120	CPR	1
HSC 110	Orientation to Health Careers	1
MED 121	Medical Terminology I	3
MED 122	Medical Terminology II	3
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AVAILABLE TRACKS

NURSE AIDE TRACK

ACA 111	College Student Success	1
NAS 101	Nurse Aide I	6
NAS 102	Nurse Aide II	6
CHM 131	Intro to Chemistry	3
CHM 131A	Intro to Chemistry (Lab)	1
BIO 111	General Biology I	3
BIO 168	Anatomy & Physiology I	4
BIO 169	Anatomy & Physiology II	4
PSY 150	General Psychology	3
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PHLEBOTOMY TRACK

ACA 111	College Student Success	1
PBT 100	Phlebotomy Technology I	6
PBT 101	Phlebotomy Practicum	3
PSY 150	General Psychology	3
CHM 131	Intro to Chemistry	3
CHM 131A	Intro to Chemistry (Lab)	1
BIO 111	General Biology I	4
BIO 168	Anatomy & Physiology I	4
BIO 169	Anatomy & Physiology II	4
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MEDICAL ASSISTING TRACK

ACA 111	College Student Success	1
MED 110	Orientation to Medical Assisting	1
MED 118	Medical Law and Ethics	2
MED 130	Administrative Office Procedures I	2
MED 131	Administrative Office Procedures II	2
MED 140	Exam Room Procedures I	5
MED 150	Lab Procedures I	5
MED 260	Medical Clinical Practicum	5
BIO 163	Basic Anatomy and Physiology	5
CIS 110	Introduction to Computers	3
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