

Technical and Vocational Programs

D 45 97 0 Health Science: Therapeutic and Diagnostic Services – Nurse Aide Pathway Diploma

CONCENTRATION OVERVIEW

The Nurse Aide curriculum prepares individuals to work under the supervision of licensed nursing professionals in performing nursing care and services for persons of all ages. Topics include growth and development, personal care, vital signs, communication, nutrition, medical asepsis, therapeutic activities, accident and fire safety, household environment and equipment management, family resources and services, and employment skills.



Upon completion of this concentration, graduates may be eligible for listing as a Nurse Aide I and other selected Nurse Aide registries.

Student Learning Outcomes – Upon completion of the program, students will:

1. Demonstrate competency in providing safe basic personal care for individuals with emphasis on the elderly.
2. Identify the role of the Nurse Aide I and the health team members.
3. Demonstrate a basic knowledge of anatomy and physiology to better understand the concepts behind the advanced skills performed by Nursing Aide II's.
4. Understand advanced skills of the Nurse Aide II to meet the daily needs of the patient/resident.

Partnership: N/A

Some Health Sciences and Wellness Programs may have additional requirements related to required GPAs, grades, and other progression policies required for graduation. Please see program handbooks for more information.

***This program offers a [Career and College Promise pathway \(CCP\) D45970H](#). Courses within the pathway are highlighted in yellow.**

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First Year Fall Semester Course Number and Title	Pre-Requisites and Co-Requisites	Class Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours	Total Contact Hours	Total Credit Hours
Choose One: ACA 111 College Student Success ACA 122 College Transfer Success		0-1	0-2		1-2	1
HEA 112 First Aid and CPR		1	2		3	2
ENG 111 Writing and Inquiry	Pre-Requisites: ENG 025 Co-Requisites: None	3			3	3
MED 121 Medical Terminology I	Pre-Requisites: ENG 025	3			3	3
CIS 111 Basic PC Literacy (or will accept CIS 110 Introduction to Computers)	Pre-Requisites for CIS 111: None Pre-Requisites for CIS 110: ENG 025 and MAT 025	1	2		3	2
BIO 168 Anatomy and Physiology I	Pre-Requisites: ENG 025 and MAT 025, and either BIO 090 or one unit of HS Biology, and either CHM 090 or one unit of HS Chemistry	3	3		6	4
PSY 150 General Psychology	Pre-Requisites: ENG 025	3			3	3
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS		14-15	7-9		22-23	18
First Year Spring Semester Course Number and Title	Pre-Requisites and Co-Requisites	Class Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours	Total Contact Hours	Total Credit Hours
MED 118 Medical Law & Ethics	Pre-Requisites: ENG 025	2			2	2
BIO 169 Anatomy and Physiology II	Pre-Requisites: BIO 168	3	3		6	4
HUM 115 Critical Thinking OR PHI 240 Introduction to Ethics	Pre-Requisites for HUM 115: ENG 025 Pre-Requisites for PHI 240: ENG 111	3			3	3
MED 122 Medical Terminology II	Pre-Requisites: MED 121	3			3	3
NAS 101 Nurse Aide I	Pre-Requisites: Enrollment in the Nurse Aide Program via Admission Fact Sheet process; Must be 17 years old on or before the first day of class	3	4	3	10	6
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS		14	7	3	24	18

First Year Summer Semester Course Number and Title	Pre-Requisites and Co-Requisites	Class Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours	Total Contact Hours	Total Credit Hours
ENG 112 Writing/Research in the Disciplines	Pre-Requisites: ENG 111	3			3	3
NAS 102 Nurse Aide II	Pre-Requisites: Enrollment in the Nurse Aide Program via Admission Fact Sheet process; NAS 101; Must be listed on the NC NAI registry with no substantiated findings; CCP/ CTE students must contact the Nurse Aide Program Coordinator for specific allowances related to NAI registration in this course. Must have a high school diploma or equivalency; CCP/ CTE students must contact the Nurse Aide Program Coordinator for special circumstances related to enrollment in this course.	3	2	6	11	6
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS		6	2	6	14	9
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS REQUIRED FOR DIPLOMA						45-46