

HEALTHCARE TECHNICIAN

Diploma, 35 Credit Hours, 9-Month Program

The primary objective of the Healthcare Technician program is to prepare students with the necessary skills to work in the medical field maintaining a patient's health information.

Course	No.	Course Title	Credits
General Education Requirements			
CIS	105	MICROCOMPUTER SOFTWARE APP I	3
ENGL	101	COMPOSITION*	3
MATH	100	ELEMENTARY ALGEBRA** <i>or</i>	3
MATH	112	BUSINESS MATHEMATICS	
PSYC	101	GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY <i>or</i>	3
PSYC	103	HUMAN RELATIONS IN THE WORKPLACE	
Total			12
Technical Requirements			
HC	114	ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY FOR THE HEALTH PROFESSIONS	3
HC	125	INTRODUCTION TO PATIENT CARE	2
HC	126	INTRODUCTION TO PATIENT CARE LAB AND CLINICAL	2
HC	130	MEDICAL COMPUTERIZED OFFICE APPLICATIONS	2
HC	135	MEDICAL LAW AND ETHICS	2
HC	145	ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORDS	2
HC	213	MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY I	3
MDS	210	HEALTH CARE CODING I	4
MDS	212	HEALTH CARE FUNDAMENTALS & REIMBURS	3
Total			23

All remedial coursework must be completed in the first semester.

*Prerequisite: Acceptable ACCUPLACER score or Basic Writing

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Semester Breakdown

First Semester			Second Semester		
Course	CR		Course	CR	
CIS 105	3	Microcomputer Software App I	HC 145	2	Electronic Medical Records
HC 114	3	A & P for Health Professions	ENGL 101	3	Composition
HC 125	2	Introduction to Patient Care	MATH 100	3	Elementary Algebra <i>or</i>
HC 126	2	Introduction to Patient Care Lab and Clinical	MATH 112		Business Math
HC 130	2	Medical Computerized Office Applications	MDS 210	4	Health Care Coding I
HC 135	2	Medical Law & Ethics	MDS 212	3	Health Care Fund/Reimbursement
HC 213	3	Medical Terminology I	PSYC 101	3	General Psychology <i>or</i>
			PSYC 103		Human Relations in the Workplace
Total Credit Hours			Total Credit Hours		
17			18		