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place
to start for

NURSE AIDE



This 95 hour program prepares the student to work as a nurse aide in an extended care facility, hospital or home health organization. Upon successful completion of NUA 101 and NUA 170, the student is eligible to take the Colorado State Board of Nursing Certification Exam.

NUA 101 Nurse Aide Theory provides the student with 75 hours of class time devoted to theory/lab and NUA 170 provides the student with 20 hours of clinical practice. Enrollment in NUA 170 is based upon successful progress in NUA 101.

The following certificate may be earned:

Nurse Aide

Class Hours

Classes will meet Monday through Friday
from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. (times may vary)

Dates TBA

NURSE AIDE

Certificate Length: 1 semester

Courses required for this certificate:

NUA 101 Nurse Aide Health Care Skills

NUA 170 Nurse Aide Clinical Experience

Nurse Aide Certificate Total:

Credits: 5

Reimbursement Notification

Pursuant to section 483.152(c) of the Federal Rules and Regulations related to Nurse Aide Training and Competency Evaluation Programs (NATCEP), a long-term care facility ("facility") that receives Medicare or Medicaid funds: Must reimburse a nurse aide who pays for a NATCEP and becomes employed by the facility within 12 months of date of certification, prorated for the portion of the 12-month period that the individual was employed by the facility.

REQUIRED AT LEAST TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO FIRST DAY OF CLASS:

Criminal Background Check: \$34.20 (\$24.90 for 17 years and younger) (price could vary per state) additional fees could be required. To be done through Castle Branch: <http://ccs.castlebranch.com>. If the individual reveals information that could be relevant to the application, the designated individual responsible for background checks may request additional information from the applicant. The offense shall be reviewed on a case by case basis. Students who have successfully completed the terms of a deferred adjudication agreement will not be disqualified. Admittance to the CNA Program may be denied based on background check

TB Skin Test: \$20.00-\$80.00 (estimated). Suggested facilities for test are as follows: Denver Public Health, Tri-County Public Health, Urgent Care Centers and Walgreens (or arranged with private physician)

Proof of completion must be turned into the instructor. Once turned in, the student will be given a Student ID. Students who do not complete this process will be removed from the class list. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Estimated Cost

Tuition*/Credit Hour Fee:

Semester 1: \$720.00(Tuition)

Program charges: \$250.00

Student ID: \$10.00

Clinical charges: \$300.00

Books: \$74.52 (with tax)

Total amount due at registration:

Tuition and Charges: \$1,280.00

Tuition and Charges + Book: \$1,354.52 (with tax)

The following must be pre-paid for a spot to be reserved in a testing session:

TABE Assessment: \$5.00

Estimated Additional Costs

Mandatory costs for program, but to be paid for off campus:

Navy Blue Scrubs: \$35.00-\$75.00

Flu Shot: \$14.00-\$35.00

Watch with a second hand: \$20.00-\$30.00

State Board Certification Exam: \$123.00

Please note: certain clinical sites may require paid parking

Optional Costs:

Hepatitis B Vaccine: \$195.00 (series of 3) done through your own physician

Based on Colorado Resident In-state tuition*

This program is not eligible for any Financial Aid. Please call (303)344-4910, ext 27797 for payment options. Additional costs may apply. All books, kits & supply costs are estimated. Cost, information, and classes are subject to change at any time. Please visit www.pickenstech.org to view our catalog online for course description.

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