

FEES

The total cost of the CNA course is \$700.00 and is due by the first day of class. The fee includes tuition, textbook, malpractice insurance, and the State Competency test. The fee is non-refundable, all checks should be made payable to York Adult & Community Education. (We also accept Visa and Mastercard.)



Students are responsible for purchasing a uniform (scrubs) and comfortable shoes for clinical.

COURSE LOCATION

The 180 hour CNA course is scheduled twice per year - fall and spring - and is held at locations around York (Durgin Pines and York High School).

REGISTRATION

How do I register? Applicants will be selected into the course after completion of the following:

- Application form
- Interview with instructor
- Reading comprehension test

**For more information
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York Adult & Community Education

CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT PROGRAM



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COURSE OBJECTIVES

This course prepares the student to give nursing assistance at a basic level under the supervision of a registered nurse. The Certified Nursing Assistant course provides the opportunity to learn the basic skills that enable the nursing assistant to:

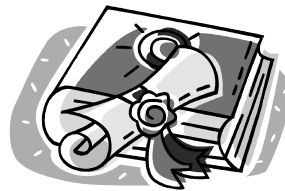
- A. Maintain a proper physical and emotional patient environment;
- B. Report and record patient observations;
- C. Provide assistance in personal hygiene;
- D. Assist with body movement and ambulation;
- E. Assist with nutrition and elimination;
- F. Assist in emergency situations;
- G. Assist the registered nurse to provide general patient care.
- H. Communicate in an effective and positive manner.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The CNA course consists of at least 180 hours, including classroom instruction, lab, and clinical experience in area health facilities.

The Maine State Legislature authorized the Maine State Board of Nursing to prescribe a curriculum for the training of Nursing Assistants, and this curriculum is used for this training program.

Upon successful completion of the course and subsequent to an evaluation of competency through testing (State CNA examination) the nursing assistant will be issued a Standardized Certificate of Training by the Maine Department of Education and Career and Technical Education, which will keep a record of all certificates issued.



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The following characteristics are necessary for success in the occupational role of the Nurse Assistant. These qualifications are prerequisites for the Nursing Assistant program.

Interview with instructor ~

Completed State Bureau of Identification (background check) ~

High School Diploma or GED ~

Demonstrated ability to read and write in English; a reading comprehension test will be administered at the time of interview ~

Two written references ~

A patient, caring nature ~

Dependable, reliable, and conscientious work and study habits ~

Good grooming and personal hygiene, and good physical mental health ~

Honesty ~

Absence of drug or alcohol abuse ~

Courtesy toward everyone, especially patients, family members, instructors, and other health care personnel ~

Immunization: Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR) unless born before 1956—all immunizations and testing required by cooperating facility, including Hepatitis B and evidence of T.B. or negative chest x-ray ~