

Spring 2021



NURSING ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE



Program

Methodist College offers a flexible Nursing Assistant program to cater to students and working adults. The course is taught in the classroom as well as the college's Simulation and Clinical Practice centers, providing students a hands-on learning experience using high-fidelity manikins. The Methodist College Nursing Assistant program is certified through the Illinois Department of Public Health.

Nursing Assistants work directly with patients in a variety of health care environments. Nursing Assistants help dress and feed patients, keep bed linens fresh, aid in turning, walking or moving a patient into a wheelchair, take vitals, feed, and work closely with other personnel to observe, report and document changes in the patient. Nursing Assistants are true care givers who work in health clinics, hospitals, nursing homes, long-term care settings and hospice organizations.

Some Nursing Assistants use their experience to build their careers in health care by becoming medical assistants, nurses, lab technicians, therapists or a number of other positions in the field.

Nursing Assistants are in high-demand in the Peoria area and are considered Critical Professions by the Greater Peoria Economic Development Council. Local employers are actively recruiting Nursing Assistants for positions in a variety of health care settings. Some of these employers offer tuition reimbursement for Nursing Assistants who want to continue pursuing their education in other health related fields.

Admission Requirements

- Completed application
- At least 16 years of age
- High School Diploma or GED - no GPA requirements
- Current High School Student - GPA of 2.5 or better
- Completed reading placement exam taken at Methodist College (10th grade Reading and Math level required)
- Criminal Background Check
- Submission of Immunization Records

Advantages of Our Program

- Learn in our state-of-the-art Simulation and Clinical Practice centers.
- On-campus focus on healthcare and human services
- Clinical placements at hospitals

Tuition

- Tuition and Fees - \$1590
- Other costs would include fingerprinting/background check fees, state exam test fees, scrubs and supplies.
- Methodist College works with employers who offer tuition reimbursement.

Admissions

Please contact a Methodist College Recruitment Coordinator at admissions@methodistcol.edu for additional information on admission requirements. Call 309.672.5513.

www.methodistcol.edu/nursing-assistant



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Spring 2021 Nursing Assistant Course Schedule

NA150 Basic Nurse Assistant Training

Class Schedule:

Wednesday	Jan 6	FIRST HALF OF TUITION IS DUE	
Monday	Jan 11	8:30am to 5:00pm	Classroom/Lab/SIM 8.5
Wednesday	Jan 13	8:30am to 5:00pm	Classroom/Lab/SIM 8.5
Friday	Jan 15	8:30am to 5:00pm	Classroom/Lab/SIM 8.5
Monday	Jan 18	No Class	Holiday
Wednesday	Jan 20	8:30am to 5:00pm	Classroom/Lab/SIM 8.5
Friday	Jan 22	8:30am to 4:30pm	Classroom/Lab/SIM 8
Monday	Jan 25	8:30am to 4:30pm	Classroom/Lab/SIM 8
Wednesday	Jan 27	8:30am to 4:30pm	Classroom/Lab/SIM 8
Friday	Jan 29	8:30am to 4:30pm	Classroom/Lab/SIM 8
Monday	Feb 1	8:30am to 4:30pm	Classroom/Lab/SIM 8
Wednesday	Feb 3	8:30am to 4:30pm	Classroom/Lab/SIM 8
Friday	Feb 5	SECOND HALF OF TUITION IS DUE	
Friday	Feb 5	8:30am to 4:30pm	Classroom/Lab/SIM 8
Monday	Feb 8	8:30am to 4:30pm	Clinical Placement 8
Wednesday	Feb 10	8:30am to 4:30pm	Clinical Placement 8
Friday	Feb 12	8:30am to 4:30pm	Clinical Placement 8
Monday	Feb 15	8:30am to 4:30pm	Clinical Placement 8
Wednesday	Feb 17	8:30am to 4:30pm	Clinical Placement 8
Friday	Feb 19	8:30am to 1:30 pm	Clinical Placement 5
			Theory Hours 90
			Clinical Hours 45

Live Virtual Orientation: December 15, 2020 - 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Completion Celebration: February 18, 2021 - 4 p.m.

For More Information:

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