

Nursing Assistant Program (AHE 130)



Nursing Programs

This course focuses on applying client self-care concepts and basic procedures relative to fundamentals of nursing, communication, nutrition, anatomy, and physiology, medical terminology, legal/ethical issues, and aging. The concepts and procedures are introduced in the classroom and practiced in the college laboratory before implementation under faculty supervision in a clinical setting. This course prepares the learner for taking the state examination to become a certified or licensed nursing assistant.

***The Arizona State Board of Nursing requires evidence of citizenship or nationality for state certification or licensure (CNA, LNA). ***

Course Length: Fall/Spring – 8 & 16 weeks, Summer– 8 weeks

Requirements:

- Score of 219 or higher on the Accuplacer Reading Course Placement Test **OR** Grade C or higher in ENG 090 **OR** 75% or higher on the Hesi A2
- Grade C or higher in MAT 081 **OR** 75% or Higher on Hesi A2 **OR** Accuplacer Math Placement into Mat 081
- CPR certification – must be Healthcare Provider or Professional Rescuer
- Current Arizona DPS Fingerprint Clearance Card

Cost of Course:

- Tuition: \$460.00 (Resident status - \$92/credit)
- Lab Fee: \$275.00 (Including the state certification test fee)
- Uniform: \$40 Wine-colored scrubs + \$6.00 program patch to be purchased at the AWC bookstore
- Name tag: Allied Health Name Tag \$10
- White or Black shoes: \$40
- Textbook and workbook: \$120
- Health & Safety Requirements:
 - CPR Card: \$55
 - Fingerprint Clearance Card: \$73
 - Tuberculosis Screening: \$20 - \$30
 - Drug Test: \$40
- Equipment:
 - Gait Belt: \$8 - \$20
 - Watch-indicating seconds: \$20
 - Blood Pressure Cuff & Stethoscope: \$25 - \$50

The costs provided are estimates and are subject to change.

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See the Nursing Assistant Program website at: www.azwestern.edu/nursing-assistant

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