

NURSING ASSISTANT

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Certificate of Proficiency

30706

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This program prepares you for an entry-level position as a nursing assistant. Emphasis is on basic patient care skills, based on the knowledge of universal precautions, asepsis, basic human needs, body mechanics, treatments and procedures, patient admission, transfer, discharge, and eldercare.

NOTE: Students are eligible to sit for the Arizona State Board of Nursing Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) Examination upon completion of the NUR 100, Nursing Assistant course.

The Board of Nursing may not consider applications for certification as a Certified Nursing Assistant if the applicant has any felony convictions and has not received an absolute discharge from the sentence(s) for all felony convictions. The absolute discharge must be received five or more years before the Board of Nursing processes the application. The Arizona State Board of Nursing requirements for certification also include proof of legal presence in the United States and disclosure of any felony conviction(s).

Current Arizona Nursing Assistant Certification is an admission requirement to EAC's Nursing program.

Courses in the program may require vaccinations or other medical tests. See course descriptions for additional information. Students will be required to complete a minimum of 40 hours in a skilled nursing facility.

Curriculum Requirements

HCE 100	Basic Health Care Concepts and Skills	4 credits
HCE 101	Basic Life Support OR	
EMT 122	First Aid and CPR	2 credits
HCE 112	Medical Terminology	2 credits
HCE 114	Math for Medications OR	
HCE 116	Medical Dosage Calculations	2 credits
NUR 100	Nursing Assistant	6 credits
Total Minimum Certificate Requirements - 16 credits		

In order to obtain this certificate you must:

- Complete each required course above with a grade of "C" or better.
- File a petition for certificate through your Gila Hank Online account.
- Remove any indebtedness to the College.
- Complete at least 8 certificate credits at Eastern Arizona College.