

# MEDICAL ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE 30704

Upon completion of this certificate program, students are eligible to sit for the American Medical Technologists (AMT) Certification Examination to be certified as a Registered Medical Assistant (RMA).

| Course   | Requirement Field | Credits      | Notes                    |
|--|-------------------|--------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Fall - 1st Semester</b>   |                   |              |                          |
| HCE 100 Basic Health Care Concepts and Skills <b>OR</b><br>NUR 100 Nursing Assistant | Core Curriculum   | 4 to 6       | HCE 100 available online |
| HCE 101 Basic Life Support <b>OR</b><br>EMT 122 First Aid and CPR                    | Core Curriculum   | 2            |                          |
| HCE 112 Medical Terminology  | Core Curriculum   | 2            | Available online         |
| HCE 116 Medical Dosage Calculations  | Core Curriculum   | 2            |                          |
| HCE 130 Medical Assisting: Administrative Competencies                               | Core Curriculum   | 4            |                          |
| HCE 186 Phlebotomy and Clinical Laboratory   | Core Curriculum   | 2            |                          |
| <b>Total Hours</b>   |                   | <b>16-18</b> |                          |

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|--|--------------------|--------------|--|
| <b>Spring - 2nd Semester</b>                     |                    |              |  |
| HCE 171 Introduction to Pharmacology             | Core Curriculum    | 3            |  |
| HCE 190 Human Body in Health and Disease         | Core Curriculum    | 4            |  |
| HCE 160 Medical Assisting: Clinical Competencies | Core Curriculum    | 6            |  |
| Curriculum Related Course                        | Curriculum Related | 3-5          | Must be from approved list (To reach 38 Total Credits) |
| <b>Total Hours</b>                               |                    | <b>16-18</b> |  |

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|---------------------------------------|-------------------|----------|-------|
| <b>Summer/Fall - 3rd Semester</b>     |                   |          |       |
| HCE 170 Medical Assisting: Externship | Core Curriculum   | 4        |       |
| <b>Total Hours</b>                    |                   | <b>4</b> |       |

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| <b>Total Hours</b>                   | <b>36-39</b> |
| Total Curriculum Requirements (Core) | 33-35        |
| Total Related Curriculum             | 3-5          |

**Total minimum credits for this certificate program is 36-39.**

**Notes:**

- Courses in the program may require vaccinations or other medical tests. See course descriptions in the catalog for additional information.
- Students will be required to complete a minimum of 160 hours in a health clinic.
- The foregoing is a recommended, or suggested, sequence of courses. Of course, if a student enters the program in the spring, or transfers credit in, the above would have to be modified.
- All courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or better--Be sure to check the catalog for other changes and requirements.