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## Academic Calendar

### Term Start Dates 2011-2014

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**2012**

| Term 2 | Mar. 12, 2012 | May 19, 2012 |
| Term 3 | May 21, 2012 | July 28, 2012 |
| Term 4 | July 30, 2012 | Oct. 6, 2012 |
| Term 5 | Oct. 8, 2012 | Dec. 15, 2012 |

**2013**

| Term 1 | Jan. 7, 2013 | Mar. 16, 2013 |
| Term 2 | Mar. 18, 2013 | May 25, 2013 |
| Term 3 | May 27, 2013 | Aug. 3, 2013 |
| Term 4 | Aug. 5, 2013 | Oct. 12, 2013 |

**2014**

| Term 1 | Jan. 6, 2014 | Mar. 15, 2014 |
| Term 2 | Mar. 17, 2014 | May 24, 2014 |
| Term 3 | May 26, 2014 | Aug. 2, 2014 |

* Students who begin their program on the “off start” will complete their program 5 weeks later than the stated program length.

### Holidays

ATA does not hold classes on the following national and public holidays:
- New Year’s Day
- Memorial Day
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Break
- Holiday Break
ORrganization AND STRUCTURE

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Kathy Johnson ................... Career Services Advisor
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Kentucky Board of Dentistry
Indiana State Department of Health Medical Radiology Services (Dental X-ray)
Vocational Rehabilitation, Departments of Kentucky and Indiana
American Academy of Professional Coders
Microsoft Certified IT Academy

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Indianapolis, IN 46204-2767
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Welcome!

In today’s competitive society, it is of the utmost importance that today’s workforce be well prepared with basic and practical skills, techniques, and knowledge which will help to ensure the future. This in turn will enable the individual to reach social and economic goals, thereby providing a greater sense of security. ATA’s primary emphasis is to keep pace with new technologies and advancements that occur rapidly in today’s business and educational areas.

ATA College is committed to remain vigilant to the rapid changes and new developments in today’s world and offer education and training opportunities to individuals wishing to pursue career change or advancement. We want all of our students to be able to “Learn Well. Live Well.”

Don Jones, President & CEO
HISTORY

ATA College has its roots in the information technology field having offered programs of study since 1994 in various aspects of computer technology. In the fall of 2003 the decision was made to focus on allied health programming and to seek accreditation for the school. Two and one half years later in the fall of 2005, the school gained accreditation status with the Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools (ABHES).

MISSION STATEMENT

ATA College is committed to providing quality instruction, hands-on training and effective career preparation in a comfortable environment that facilitates the learning experience.

NOTICE

The provisions of this publication are not to be regarded as an irrevocable contract between the student and the school. The school, through appropriate action, reserves the right to change any provision or requirement at any time within the student’s term of attendance. ATA reserves the right to change fees, policies, regulations and calendar or to revise programs of study as deemed necessary and desirable. Any such changes would only occur provided they are within the terms and conditions of the enrollment agreement between ATA and the student. Additionally no undue hardship or disruption to the program of study would be placed upon the student. ATA also reserves the right to delay and/or cancel a program start when the number of students scheduled to start is too small economically to start the class. A student may elect to accept the new start date or have all monies refunded, if applicable.

ATA offers equal opportunity without distinction or discrimination on the basis of race, color, gender, religion, age, marital status, national origin, sexual orientation or disability in any of its activities or employment practices.
LOCATION

The ATA College facility is located in an office park type area. The school is close to restaurants and hotels for the convenience of our students. Adequate parking facilities are available to students at no expense during both day and evening classes. All ATA facilities are handicap accessible.

ATA has up-to-date computer equipment in every classroom. Each computer is loaded with the most current applications software and is updated as needed. Each classroom is furnished with ample desk space and comfortable seating. Overhead projectors are also located in each classroom. ATA has 20 classrooms available, which will seat from 12 to 30 students comfortably, a practical nursing lab, medical assisting lab, limited medical radiography lab, medical laboratory technician lab, phlebotomy lab, and a student resource room. The facility is well lighted and climate controlled.

ATA currently instructs Dental Assisting students in lab classes at the office of Drs. Pierce & Mitchell, 4825 S. 3rd Street, Louisville, KY, approximately 11 miles from the ATA facilities. This office is equipped with 10 operatories including 6 radiography machines and a wet lab.

Location
10180 Linn Station Rd., Suite A200, Louisville, KY 40223
10200 Linn Station Rd., Suite 335, Louisville, KY 40223
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ADMISSION PHILOSOPHY

The Office of Admission supports the mission of ATA College. Consistent with the college’s mission of providing quality instruction, hands on training and effective career preparation, the Office of Admission seeks to enroll and retain an academically talented student body who show promise of success in college and who enrich the learning community and represent the diverse society they serve.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The general ATA College admission requirements and procedures are outlined below. Students should direct all admissions inquiries to:

ATA College
Office of Admission
10180 Linn Station Rd., Ste. A-200
Louisville, KY 40223
(502) 371-8330

All applicants should be aware that certain programs have additional admission standards and criteria beyond those for general admission. The Office of Admission will notify each student in writing via US Mail of acceptance or denial to the college. ATA Admissions Representatives cannot make any guarantees to the applicant with regard to acceptance to the college, transfer of credit to or from the college, or class schedules.

All applicants to ATA College must authorize ATA to perform a background check. Background checks include, but are not limited to: criminal record check, social security number validation, and sex offender registry check. All information collected in the background check is considered in the selective admission process. Applicants with felony convictions will not be accepted to ATA College. Additionally, ATA may decline admission to applicants who, in ATA’s sole opinion, may have difficulty finding employment in their field of application as a result of issues disclosed on their background check.

ATA is open to all applicants without discrimination on the basis of race, color, gender, religion, national origin, age, marital status, sexual orientation or disabilities in any of its programs, activities, or employment practices. ATA does not discriminate against individuals on the basis of physical and/or mental disability. ATA may provide reasonable accommodations, including auxiliary aids and services to qualified individuals unless providing such accommodations would result in an undue burden or alter the nature of the program or benefit from the program or service provided by ATA College. ATA will refer individuals with disabilities to the appropriate agencies for assistance financially as well as for professional support beyond the scope of ATA. Any disagreements would be addressed through the ATA College grievance procedures.
MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENT

ATA College’s minimum requirements for application in a certificate, diploma or degree program are to be either a high school graduate or have a GED certificate from an accredited institution. All potential students are required to meet with an ATA admissions representative for an admission interview. However, the applications for many programs far exceed the number of spaces available in the entering class. For this reason, the selective and competitive admission requirements often exceed the minimum eligibility requirement.

SELECTIVE ADMISSION

The Office of Admission is responsible for managing the admission process for current students and prospective ATA College students. Admission is granted on a selective basis. The admission committee, consisting of college administrators, faculty, and staff strives to admit students who show promise of success at the college. In its selection process, the admission committee may review past academic performance, participation in school and community activities, recommendations, a personal interview, background check, writing samples and standardized test scores. The college does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, marital status, beliefs, age, national origin, sexual orientation, or physical or mental disability. All applicants should be aware that certain programs have additional admission standards and criteria beyond those for general admission.

SPECIAL ADMISSION PROGRAMS

The following programs have application and admissions dates and procedures that are different than the general application and admission procedures for admission to ATA College:

- Occupational Associates Degree Pre-Licensure Practical Nursing
- Diploma Dental Assistant
- Associates Degree - Medical Laboratory Technician

Occupational Associates Degree Pre-Licensure Practical Nursing

In order to be considered for admission to the Practical Nursing program, the applicant should submit the following:

- ATA Nursing Application
- Completed ATA Applicant Questionnaire
- Official High School Transcript, High School Diploma, or GED Score Report
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- Official Transcripts from all previous college attended, Entrance Exam scores or Proof of Associates, Bachelors or Masters Degree. Accepted entrance exams include: HESI (70%), Compass (Math 34, Reading 76, Writing 57), ACT (19), SAT (900 - Verbal and Math combined), ASSET (160), or TEAS (Reading 80%, Science 60%, Math 60%, English 70%). Applicants may take the HESI exam at ATA College for a fee.

- Copy of current Healthcare Provider CPR

- Submit form for ATA College to run a National Criminal Background check

All required materials should be reviewed with your Admissions Representative and submitted in a legal sized envelope to:

ATA College
Office of Admission – Practical Nursing
10180 Linn Station Rd., Ste. A-200
Louisville, KY 40223

Following submission of application materials, a preadmission conference with the Nurse Administrator, or designee, is required prior to the applicant’s consideration by the Selective Admission Committee.

Preference for admission is given to applicants who: have completed 12 or more credit hours in an approved curriculum from an accredited college/university/technical school with a GPA of 3.0, rated above average standing in high school or GED, scored an ACT composite of 20 or above or have a Compass score exceeding Reading (84-85), Math/Pre-Algebra (64-69), English/Writing (81-85).

Diploma Dental Assistant

Applicants must submit the ATA Admissions Application. A preadmission conference is required prior to the applicant’s consideration by the Selective Admission Committee.

Questions Concerning Admission

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CLASS SCHEDULES

Day Classes: Monday through Saturday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., including labs as warranted. Specific classroom times are determined by course content and lab requirements.

Evening Classes: Monday through Friday from 5:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., including labs as warranted. Specific classroom times are determined by course content and lab requirements.

Lab Classes: Lab hours are scheduled for students enrolled in some courses. These hours are scheduled within the hours of operation shown above.

Scheduling Classes: Classes are scheduled as needed for the full program student to progress at a full-time rate throughout the program of study. If courses must be repeated due to prerequisites there is no assurance that the student will remain at a full-time class rate. Schedules are distributed via the student’s e-mail account two weeks prior to the start of the quarter. New students receive their schedule at orientation. Any changes to the student’s schedule must be made in writing. Generally, classes with eight students or less may be canceled.

Any special class requests must be submitted in writing to the Associate Director of Academic Affairs four (4) weeks prior to a quarter start.

A student’s schedule must be approved by the Associate Director of Academic Affairs and Financial Offices.

UNIT OF CREDIT

ATA operates on a quarter credit hour basis. One quarter credit hour is defined as follows:

A student carrying 12 credits per quarter or more is considered to be a full-time student. A student enrolled in 9 to 11 credits per quarter is considered a 3/4 time quarter student. A student enrolled in a 6 to 8 credits per quarter is considered a half time student. A student enrolled in less than 6 credits per quarter is considered a less than half time student. The academic year is defined as 30 weeks and/or 36 credits.

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GRADING SYSTEM

A student at ATA receives grades on attendance / participation, laboratory and project work, written examinations and/or homework. All final grades are given at the end of each 10-week quarter in all subjects taken by the student. Note: Final exams are generally given during the last week of the quarter.

GRADE POINTS PER CREDIT HOUR/GRADING POLICY

A cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or higher is required for graduation from all programs. For all classes, the following grading scale is used: A = 90-100%; B = 80-89%; C = 70-79%; D = 60-69%; F = 59% and below

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<td>C</td>
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Grade point average (GPA) is determined by dividing total quality points earned by total hours earned. GPA is figured each quarter for all hours attempted at the school – cumulative credit and quality points earned at other schools are not counted toward cumulative GPA at ATA. Course completion percentages will be affected by failure to resolve “I’s” and “F’s”. Grades of W, will also affect course completion percentages. Grades of “T” and “P” are not calculated in the student’s grade point average, however they are counted toward the course completion percentages. All grades of A, B, C, D, F, W, P, T and I are included in the quantitative satisfactory progress measurement calculations. The grade of AU is not included in the quantitative satisfactory progress measurement calculations.
NURSING GRADING POLICY

Students must maintain an 80% average in each subject taught during each quarter of the program. Failure to make an 80% in each subject in the Quarter means the student cannot enroll in the next Quarter classes. This policy holds true for all required courses and throughout the program. Courses may be repeated one time only. Failure to make a 80% in a repeat course will mean termination from the program. Students shall not be considered for readmission to the program until remediation and proof of successful passage of courses and/or problems resolved that may have contributed to the failures.

Students must maintain an 80% average in theory and a satisfactory in clinical performance in each rotation.

The overall grade in a rotation will be calculated upon theory and clinical satisfactory. If a student has not successfully completed theory or clinical, he/she must repeat the entire class.

Students must maintain an 80% average for all test scores before any additional points for homework, presentations, participation, etc. may be added into their final course grade. Once all points have been added, the student must have obtained an 80% to have successfully completed the course.

Each instructor will pass out a syllabus on the first day of each class and clinical rotation indicating the percentages of the class participation, oral reports, bibliography cards, test and final exam.

Grading Scale:
94 to 100 : A (4.00) . . . . . Excellent
87 to 93 : B (3.00) . . . . . . Above Average
80 to 86 : C (2.00) . . . . . Average
79 and under : F (0.00) . . . Failing

MAKE-UP WORK/INCOMPLETE GRADES

All course requirements (written work, reports and tests) must be made up and/or submitted by finals’ week. A student who fails to complete course requirements, with permission of the instructor, will receive a grade of incomplete for that class. Course requirements must then be completed within two weeks of the end of the quarter in order for a letter grade to be substituted for the incomplete grade. Failure to complete class requirements by the deadline will result in a final grade of “F”. Incomplete grades will be calculated in the credit hours attempted portion of the satisfactory academic progress measure and maximum time frame. All incomplete grades must be converted to a letter grade within 2 weeks of completion of the academic quarter in which the “I” was assigned. Students in externships may be permitted up to 5 weeks following the end of the quarter to complete the number of required hours in externship. Permission to extend the externship must be received from the Director of Career Services.
WITHDRAWAL GRADING POLICY

Withdrawal from a class through week one is the normal drop/add period. No grades are assigned for withdrawal during this period if the student remains registered for other classes. After the normal drop/add period withdrawing from a class will result in a “W” on the student’s permanent record. The “W” will not be averaged in the students GPA. In calculation of the quantitative measure every attempted credit hour will count toward the 150% maximum attempt level.

REPEATED COURSES GRADING POLICY

Students will be required to repeat any course in which a passing grade is not earned. When a passing grade is earned the passing grade and the assigned quality points will be calculated in the grade point average calculation, however the credit hours attempted will only be counted once in the calculation of grade point average. In calculation of the quantitative measure every attempted credit hour will count toward the 150% maximum attempt level.

GRADE APPEAL

If a student has the reason to believe that a grade he/she has received is incorrect, the student should first contact the instructor to resolve it. If satisfactory resolution is not reached, the student may consult Academic Affairs or the Office of the Registrar and appeal his or her grade by obtaining a Petition for Grade Appeal form. The completed petition for grade appeal form must be submitted by the student to the registrar’s office within the first week of the subsequent quarter. The program director reviews the grade appeal with the instructor and makes a determination.

If student is not satisfied with the decision, he/she may wish to appeal by writing a letter addressing his/her concerns and submitting it to the Office of the Registrar within 4 weeks of the date of initial submission of the petition for grade change. The Registrar will forward the appeal request to the Academics Review Committee (ARC) for further review. The committee will convene and make a determination within seven business days and inform the student of the decision.

ACADEMICS REVIEW COMMITTEE (ARC)

The Academics Review Committee (ARC) is comprised of program directors, faculty, and student services. The Associate Director of Academic Affairs will request a student conference to discuss incidents of possible academic dishonesty, plagiarism, grade appeals or violation of the student code of conduct.

The Associate Director of Academics Affairs reserves the right to administer disciplinary action of student violation of student code of conduct and when the violation is minor. In more serious violations of the student code of conduct, incidents involving academic dishonesty or plagiarism the student’s violation will be reviewed by the committee who will determine the appropriate course of action(s) to be taken.
Students will be informed via the student email address of the Academics Review Committee’s decision regarding disciplinary within seven business days.

**ACADEMICS REVIEW COMMITTEE APPEAL PANEL**

Students have the right to appeal any ARC decision in writing to the Director of Education or President. The panel will make a final determination of any disciplinary action. The Appeal Panel is comprised of the Program Director, Director of Education, and ATA President.

**EXTERNSHIP RETAKE POLICY**

ATA College programs require a student to complete an externship in their final quarter of study. The externship course is offered on a pass/fail basis.

The externship is a capstone course which provides the opportunity for the student to gain hands-on experience in a real-life workplace. ATA has a number of affiliation agreements with our externship partners. On occasion an externship affiliate site will require ATA to remove a student from their site due to issues occurring at the site. Examples of such are: inability to perform assigned tasks, failure to show-up at the pre-determined time without calling, unprofessional behavior and/or appearance at the site.

If a student is removed from an externship site during the first week of their first enrolled externship quarter, the student will have 1 week to find another location. The student must notify Career Services of the site as the site must be approved by ATA personnel.

A signed externship contract with the site will be initiated by Career Services. This location has to be signed off by Career Services as an approved site and the office manager needs to agree that the student will be able to complete the required externship hours before the end of the externship quarter.

If a student is removed from their second location during their first externship quarter they will have to wait until the beginning of the next quarter to re-enroll for the externship course. The student will be responsible for locating the next externship site and getting approval by Career Services. If the student is removed from the externship location during the second externship quarter the student will not be allowed to complete the program and their enrollment with ATA will be terminated. Once this action occurs the student is also not allowed to bridge to another program.

Students who are removed/fail an externship will not be permitted to carry any unsuccessful hours that they completed forward to their next externship attempt.

In the event a student is removed from an externship location they have the right to appeal their removal by submitting a letter to the Director of Career Services within 5 days of removal. The letter should state the reasons the student feels they were wrongly dismissed from the site. The Director of Career Services
will assemble the re-entry committee who will review the letter and make the determination if the appeal should be upheld or denied. Voluntary or involuntary removal results in the same process.

WITHDRAWAL PROCEDURES

Students wishing to officially withdraw from the school must do so in writing addressed to ATA College: Associate Director of Academic Affairs. Notifying an instructor or admissions representative does not constitute official withdrawal. All balances owed ATA after any refund computations must be made in a timely fashion. All students must complete an exit interview with Financial Aid upon withdrawal from school.

HONORS

Honor’s and President’s Lists – For students in all programs, the Honor’s and President’s Lists are formal recognitions of superior academic achievement. Students who earn a quarterly grade point average of 3.30 to 3.69 are named to the Honor’s List. Students who earn a grade point average from 3.70 to 4.00 are named to the President’s List. Only full-time students who earn no grade lower than a “D” may qualify for these honors. All students named to the Honor’s or President’s Lists receive Honor’s or President’s List certificates. Part-time students enrolled in any program will receive a “Certificate of Merit”; non-regular students are not eligible for honors awards.

STANDARDS OF SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS

All students in all programs must meet the following academic requirements:

1. Complete the program of study prior to attempting 1 1/2 times the credit hours/contact hours required for graduation from the program. Students must successfully complete 66.6% of the credit hours/contact hours attempted each academic quarter. Students who have failed to complete the program successfully and have attempted 150% of the program credit hours will be dismissed from ATA College.

2. Achieve a cumulative grade point average of 2.00 upon completion of the second quarter of study.

3. Achieve a cumulative grade point average of 2.00 to qualify for graduation and complete all courses in the program with a grade of “D” or higher.

Quantitative Measure Example #1

For example, a student in the 90 credit hour Medical Professional program must successfully complete the program of study in no more than 135 total credit hours. 135 credit hours is 1 1/2 times the number of credit hours allocated to the program. A student taking 12 credit hours this quarter must successfully complete 8 of the credit hours that quarter to avoid academic probation.
Qualitative Measure Example #2

ATA’s programs of study are primarily 4 to 7 quarters in length. Students must achieve a cumulative grade point average of 2.00 by the conclusion of their second quarter of study. The satisfactory academic progress of the student will be reviewed at the conclusion of each of the ten week grading periods (quarter).

ATA currently does not have a policy pertaining to non-credit, remedial courses, or non-punitive grades on satisfactory academic progress.

Probation/Suspension

Students failing to meet the above listed criteria at the end of a quarter will be placed on probation and be required to meet with the Associate Director of Academic Affairs to complete advising regarding satisfactory academic progress. During this meeting an academic plan will be devised to assist the student in returning to making the required academic progress.

If at the conclusion of the probationary quarter a determination is made that the student has achieved satisfactory academic progress for the quarter they will be returned to a status of satisfactory academic progress. However if it is determined that the student has not met the guidelines set forth in the academic plan the student will be suspended from ATA College. Students must sit-out for one academic quarter following suspension. Students may request re-entry following the suspension quarter by submitting a letter to the Associate Director of Academic Affairs which provides information relating to corrective actions that have been taken which will make the student better able to achieve satisfactory academic progress. The request for readmission will be reviewed, the student will be notified of the outcome within 5 days of the receipt of the request. Students returning to classes following suspension return to school on probationary status and are ineligible for Title IV funds until Satisfactory Academic Progress is reestablished. Students returning following suspension must achieve the quarterly academic standards, failure to do so will result in termination from the school.

Academic Appeal Process:

Once unsatisfactory progress has been determined, the student may:

Appeal his/her status in writing to the Associate Director of Academic Affairs. Appeals must be made in writing and addressed to the Director of Academic Affairs no later than five (5) days after receiving notification of Probationary/Suspended Status from the Director.

The student must indicate his/her reasons why he/she did not achieve the minimum academic requirements and adjustments that will be made to assure that satisfactory academic progress will be achieved following the probationary quarter. The student must submit any necessary documentation to support the appeal.
Mitigating circumstances under which a student’s educational status may be revised or that might lead to a successful appeal may include: student injury/illness, death of a student’s relative OR other reasons resulting in undue hardship to the student.

The student will be notified in writing of the outcome of his/her appeal within 5 days of receipt of the letter of appeal. Documentation regarding the appeal will be maintained in the student’s academic file.

**CONDITIONS FOR REINSTATEMENT**

If a student demonstrates, after retaking courses, that he/she is academically and motivationally prepared to continue in his/her program of study, the student may be reinstated as a regular student. The Director of Education must approve reinstatement and the reinstatement is based on evaluations made by instructors who are familiar with the work of the student. If reinstated as a regular student, the student will be placed on probation until at least the following quarter. Upon approval of reinstatement, the Financial Aid Office will determine if the student is to be instated to Federal Title IV financial aid eligibility based upon any extenuating evidence submitted, and notify the student of the decision. If eligibility for financial aid is not reinstated, the student will remain ineligible to receive any form of Federal Title IV financial aid until satisfactory academic progress is met.

**TRANSFER OF CREDITS**

ATA will evaluate the student’s previous education, training and experience to determine if any subjects or training activities in the student’s program may be waived and thereby reduce the amount of training or education required for the student to reach the educational objective. Credits earned at an institution accredited by an agency recognized by the United States Department of Education or the Council for Higher Education Accreditation may be accepted on the basis of a valid transcript provided by the student. Only grades of “C” or higher will be eligible for transfer. Credit will be awarded where appropriate. ATA will notify the student and appropriate agencies (i.e. Veterans Administration, Voc. Rehab etc.) upon completion of evaluation and determination of outcome. Transfer credits must be earned in courses that are similar in nature to the course offered by ATA. Credits that were earned more than seven (7) years prior to the current year will not be considered for transfer. It is the responsibility of the student to request an official transcript be mailed to ATA College in order for transfer credit to be considered. Any fees associated with transcript requests are the responsibility of the student. All transfer of credit requests must be evaluated and approved within the first week of training at ATA. Transfer credit is calculated in the quantitative measure of satisfactory academic progress. Any credit, advanced placement or credit for experiential learning transferred in that reduces the length of the program will reduce the cost of the total program. Student tuition charges are applied for the credit hours taken by a student in any given quarter of study. The amount charged the student is based on the current tuition and fee schedule.
Decisions concerning the acceptance of credits by an institution other than the granting institution are made at the sole discretion of the receiving institution. No representation is made whatsoever concerning the transferability of any credits to any institution. ATA programs are considered to be vocational/terminal in nature, due to this credits are unlikely to transfer.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT/EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

Students in all programs may be granted advanced placement based on previous education, experience or licensure. Appropriate documentation will be required to allow for adequate evaluation of previous education, experience, or licensure. Appropriate credit will be applied for any classes awarded via advanced placement. The final decision regarding transfer of credits and/or advanced placement will be made by the Associate Director of Academic Affairs, Registrar, and the Program Director. The decision is not subject to appeal. Generally no more than 25% of the total program length may be applied toward any program of study at ATA. Any exceptions to this policy can only be made by the Associate Director of Academic Affairs.

PROFICIENCY TESTING

Credits may be earned for some courses ATA offers, providing the student passes a proficiency test for that subject (an equivalent grade of 80% or better). No more than 25% or the total program credits may be earned by proficiency examinations and/or transfer of credits or advanced placement.

1. A test out may only be taken one time per subject.
2. A student may not test out of a course that he/she had previously started and withdrawn from.
3. A student may not test out of any academic subject in which a grade has been received.
4. The student will receive a grade of “P” if credit is granted. Test out results are not computed in the student’s GPA, but are counted as credits completed.
5. Once a test out has been formally requested by the student and contact has been made by the proctor/test out coordinator, the student must complete the test within the 30 day time limit indicated on the test out request form.

In order to test out, a non-refundable fee of $50.00 must be paid to the Student Accounts Office and the attached Proficiency Test Out Evaluation Application form must be completed and submitted to the Office of the Registrar. The test out must be completed within 30 days of the application date. If the 30-day time limit expires, the Test Out/Proficiency Evaluation Request will be null and void. In order to register for the test out again, the student must pay non-refundable
fee of $50.00 application fee again. An additional fee of $150.00 must be paid if the student passes the test in order to receive credit. Test out may take up to two weeks to process.

INDEPENDENT STUDY

1. Independent study courses may be taken from among those subjects which are general in nature, as determined by the Director of Academic Affairs.

2. Independent Study decisions are made after a thorough review of the students academic standing and progression.

3. In addition to his/her independent study, a student may also be required to carry a minimum of 12 credit hours of regular classes, except for the quarter in which a student is due to graduate.

4. If a course is offered during the quarter, independent study may not be available in that subject for that quarter.

5. Any course taken by independent study must be completed by the last day of the current quarter.

6. At the minimum, the student will be required to submit an outline of each chapter in the text for the course. Additional requirements will be set up by the instructor which would generally follow the course syllabus.

7. A student may carry only one independent study course per quarter.

8. Students seeking to take a course as independent study must meet the requirements/guidelines as stated within the Independent Study Request application. Arrangements must be made with the respective program director and approved by the Director of Education.

AUDIT POLICY

1. Graduates may be permitted to audit any class that was taken while in school at no additional cost. Graduates may find it necessary to purchase the textbook.

2. If a dental student wishes to audit a lab class, he/she may be required to pay an additional lab fee.

3. A student auditing a class will not be required to take quizzes or tests, whether oral or written.

4. No credits will be awarded for an audited course.

5. Students should contact the Registrar to arrange audit of class.
CHANGE OF CURRICULUM

A student electing to change curriculum must do so with the understanding that graduation may be delayed. Furthermore, curriculum changes may result in a student not being able to continue on a full-time basis. Any student desiring a change of program must schedule an appointment with the Associate Director of Academic Affairs and Financial Aid Office to discuss the ramifications of curriculum changes. A curriculum change will require a new application and enrollment agreement. Students must be in satisfactory academic standing to be permitted to change curriculum.

Curriculum and schedule changes are only permitted to occur prior to a quarter start. Students are not permitted to change classes or class meeting times during a quarter.

ATTENDANCE

All students are expected to attend every class for which they are scheduled. If for any reason a student finds that he/she will be absent, the student is expected to notify the school and indicate the reason for absence. If a student accumulates absences totaling more than 20% of the scheduled class meetings, he/she will be removed from the class roll (roster). Absence beyond 20% level will be reviewed by the Student Services office upon the student’s submission of documentation citing the mitigating circumstances. Mitigating circumstances include serious illness, death of immediate family member, jury duty, military duty, court proceedings. Final determination of mitigating circumstances is up to the Student Services Team Leader.

In Medical Assisting program only one absence is permitted for all clinical & lab courses.

In the case of interruption due to unsatisfactory attendance, students may re-enter missed courses in the next available course on a space available basis.

Note: Appropriate reports will be made to the Department of Veteran’s Affairs when necessary.

TARDY POLICY

A student is considered tardy when arriving after the scheduled course start time. A student is also considered tardy if he/she leaves class before the scheduled end time. Each tardy will accumulate toward the 20% maximum absence policy. For example, if a class meets once a week for 3 hours, that equates to 30 classroom hours over a ten week quarter. 20% of 30 hours is 6 hours. A student that accumulates 6 hours or more of absences and/or tardiness at any point in the quarter is dropped from the course. In the case of absence or tardiness, it is the
student’s responsibility to make up any missed work. For externships, the tardy and absence policies are explained in detail in the externship agreement available with the Office of Career Services.

DISMISSAL FROM SCHOOL

A student may be dismissed from school for the following reasons: failure to maintain the established academic standards of the school (see academic policy), failure to be current in all financial obligations to ATA, excessive absences, violation of academic integrity policy, damage/destruction of school property and conduct disruptive to the classroom and/or school activities. Students who are dismissed/terminated due to failing to maintain established academic standards or for excessive absences are dismissed/terminated for at least 1 full academic quarter at which point they may request in writing to re-enter the school. The request for re-admission following dismissal/suspension should be made in writing to the Director of Academic Affairs, notification of the outcome of the request for re-admission will be made in writing to the student within 5 business days of receipt of the request for re-admission. Students who fail to meet the quarterly academic standards set forth in this document following re-admission after suspension will be permanently terminated from the school. Students convicted of a felony during the course of their schooling will be immediately dismissed. Students in the practical nursing program may also be dismissed for instances of unsafe practice or if two medication administration errors are committed during the course of their program.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE/RE-ENTRY POLICY

ATA does not have a leave of absence policy. Any student requesting leave of absence is treated as a withdrawal and refund calculations are applied accordingly. A student who has withdrawn from school and wishes to re-enter must apply for re-entry in writing. A student who leaves school for a quarter or more must do so with the understanding that when he/she applies for re-entry, he/she may not be able to enroll on a full-time basis. A student dismissed for reasons other than academic (see Academic Probation Policy), may apply for re-entry, but must do so in writing to the Director of Academic Affairs and show just cause for re-admission to ATA. Withdrawals will be used in the calculation of Satisfactory Academic Progress and impact the 150% time frame. All applicants for re-admission must be approved by the Associate Director of Academic Affairs, and the Financial Planning office.

TRANSCRIPTS

An individual progress record is maintained by ATA for each student. All grades reported by the instructor are included in the record and are available to the student at any time upon written request. There is no charge for the first official transcript; however, all subsequent requests must include a $5.00 fee. Transcripts will not be released for a student who owes ATA money.
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

All Programs

The candidate for graduation must:

- have successfully completed all credits or hours and all specific programmatic requirements for the appropriate credential;
- earn a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.00 (a “C” average);
- meet all requirements for acceptance by ATA including documentation of his/her graduation from high school with a regular diploma or documentation of his/her achievement of high school graduation equivalency; and/or by attestation: (see Admission Requirements)
- be current on all indebtedness to ATA.

GRADUATION WITH HONORS

The students who meet the requirements for graduation in any program and whose cumulative grade point averages meet the following criteria will graduate with the honors indicated.

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GRADUATE AUDIT POLICY

Following graduation, a student may return to ATA to re-take classes previously completed as part of his/her original curriculum on a space available basis only. Students interested in re-taking a course should contact the Registrar. There is no charge for a refresher class. A student may be asked to purchase new textbooks for the refresher class. Additional credit hour/quality points will not be awarded for the refresher class. Graduates wishing to re-take a laboratory class will be required to pay the associated lab fee for that class.

COURSE RE-TAKE POLICY - NON-GRADUATE

Any student who opts to re-take a class to improve his/her grade point average or re-take a previously failed class will be charged the current credit hour rate for the re-take of the class. Retaken credit hours on previously passed courses are not eligible for title IV funding.
DRESS CODE

ATA considers dress to be each student’s responsibility. ATA encourages all students to dress in a professional, business casual manner. Unacceptable items are: pajama pants, slippers, revealing clothing (low-cut shirts, see-through clothing, short skirts/shorts/dresses), bare midriffs, etc.

Lab Courses: Students are required to wear scrubs and closed toe shoes while in the lab or at clinical.

Nursing clinicals and labs: Students must wear their ATA embroidered scrubs and white closed-toe/heel shoes. All tattoos must be covered, hair pulled back from face, only one set of post earrings with no other piercings, and have all required equipment with them (watch, stethoscope, pen, etc.) to be allowed to participate in the activities for the day.

FACULTY / STAFF REFERENCES

Faculty and staff are prohibited from providing academic or personal references for students.

STUDENT ID BADGES

Each student is issued a photo ID Student Badge upon enrollment. Students are required to wear the ID badge at all times on campus as well as externships.

STUDENT CONDUCT POLICY

Academic Integrity Policy

All ATA College students are expected to conduct themselves in an ethical and professional manner. All academic assignments, including papers, homework, tests, and in-class assignments are to be the work of the individual student unless otherwise specified by the instructor. The following are examples of unethical or unprofessional behavior:

- Plagiarism: Using another person’s words, ideas, or results without giving proper credit to that person.
- Using notes, textbooks, or other materials when not allowed during an examination.
- Giving test questions or answers to another student or obtaining them for another student.
- Partly or wholly completing an assignment for another student.

Consequences:

1ST OFFENSE: zero on the assignment / test which may result in an “F” in the class.
2ND OFFENSE: an “F” will be given for the class.

3RD OFFENSE: an “F” will be given for the class. Student will be suspended for the remainder of the quarter if the offense takes place prior to week 9. If offense occurs after week 9, the student will be suspended for the entirety of the proceeding quarter.

4TH OFFENSE: Expulsion.

In all cases of student suspension, student is required to request possible re-entry in writing addressed to the Academic Review Committee. Submit this re-entry request to the Office of the Registrar.

Student

All students are expected to conduct themselves in a professional manner at all times. Students who engage in certain misconduct activities are subject to disciplinary action up to and including dismissal from school. Specific forms of misconduct are as follows: all types of dishonesty, sexual harassment, theft or damage to school premises or property, physical or verbal abuse of any person on school premises, intentional disruption or obstruction of any school proceeding, violation of any code of ethics or any behavior that would be considered detrimental to the operation of ATA. Violation of any of these policies may result in administrative termination from ATA. Students will be notified in writing of any disciplinary action taken by ATA.

ATA is committed to a “zero indifference” approach which means that any and all witnessed or reported incidents of bullying and harassment will be addressed appropriately, which may include conferences with students, conducting an investigation, the requirement of outside counseling and taking disciplinary action as warranted by the severity of the situation. This may include administrative withdrawal from ATA College.

DRUG/ALCOHOL POLICY

ATA complies with the Drug Free Schools and Communities ACT of 1989, Public Law 101-226, which requires that as a condition of receiving funds or any form of federal financial assistance under any federal program, the institution of higher learning must certify that it has adopted and implemented a program to prevent the unlawful possession, use or distribution of illicit drugs and alcohol by its students and employees.

ATA will provide for its students and employees a learning environment free of drugs and alcohol. All students and employees must comply with the policies, procedures and regulations imposed by ATA.
ATA may provide drug free awareness programs to its students and employees through assemblies, workshops, memos and drug free literature provided by the local drug abuse programs and treatment centers.

ATA will post the names, address, and telephone numbers of local drug/alcohol counseling centers and rehabilitation programs. The school will support a student’s and/or employee’s decision to seek treatment for drug or alcohol abuse.

The possession or distribution of illegal drugs and alcohol can result in fine or imprisonment under state or federal law, and the use of such substances can lead to significant health risks.

Students may be asked by the Program Director, ATA, or the affiliating clinical/externship facility to submit to individual, group, and/or random drug screens at any time. ATA reserves the right to determine the agency to conduct the drug screening. Refusal to comply with the requested screening within the timeframe directed can result in dismissal from ATA College.

Students and employees are prohibited from the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance while on ATA’s property or while engaging in ATA sponsored activities (field trips, holiday parties, picnics, etc.)

ATA may discipline and/or terminate any student or employee in the event that ATA discovers that the student or employee has consumed, manufactured, distributed, dispensed, stored, processed, or used illegal drugs or abused prescription or other legal substances off of ATA’s premises if ATA believes, in its sole judgment that such action is in the best interest of ATA. ATA may also refer the student or employee for prosecution. No student or employee will be considered for readmission or rehire until they have provided satisfactory evidence to ATA that they have received and completed appropriate counseling and treatment.

Consumer Information is available online at: http://ata.edu/about/consumer

CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT

Students are prohibited from bringing children and/or pets with them to class. Service animals are not included.

TOBACCO USE

The use of tobacco products is prohibited in all buildings at ATA. Designated smoking areas are located outside each ATA facility away from all entrances.
DISCRIMINATION AND SEXUAL HARASSMENT POLICY

It is ATA’s policy to forbid any employee from discriminating against another employee, job applicant, student, or prospective student on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, disability or age. ATA also forbids any form of sexual harassment by its employees toward other employees, job applicants, students, or prospective students. Any student who feels he/she has been discriminated against or has been sexually harassed must file a complaint with the Director of Compliance.

ADA

The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 was passed by Congress in order to ensure certain freedoms to residents of the United States who are living with an impairment of a major life function. The principles of the Americans with Disabilities Act ensure that barriers to success and opportunity will no longer stand in the way of those with disabilities. An individual with a disability is defined by the ADA as a person who has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities, a person who has a history or record of such impairment.

Impairments including developmental disabilities, also known as intellectual disabilities, need to be disclosed by the student to the Associate Director of Academic Affairs with documentation from the health care provider outlining recommended accommodations prior to receiving any accommodation.

FERPA

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is a Federal law that protects the privacy of a student’s education records. The law applies to all schools that receive funds under an applicable program of the United States Department of Education. The act requires students to provide their written consent when releasing the following information:

- Social Security Number
- Student identification number
- Race, ethnicity, and or nationality
- Transcript and grade reports

CAMPUS SECURITY AND AWARENESS POLICY

ATA complies with the Campus Security Act of 1990 (Public Law 101-542, Part Two of the Student Right-to-Know and Campus Security Act). This Act requires
institutions of higher learning to prepare, publish and distribute all information regarding procedures and facilities for students and others to report criminal actions or other emergencies occurring on campus and the policies concerning the institution’s response to such reports.

ATA will not tolerate mischievous and/or criminal actions by students or employees on school grounds or at school-related activities. All sexual offenses are included in ATA’s definition of criminal actions.

Students and/or employees participating in criminal acts on campus or at school related functions will be automatically dismissed from school or terminated from employment by ATA. ATA reserves the right to prosecute any student or employee found participating in criminal activity.

A student or employee having knowledge of a criminal activity occurring at ATA should immediately report the incident to an appropriate staff or faculty member.

Staff and faculty members are required to contact the local authorities to report the criminal action. The Executive Director and/or Director of Academic Affairs of ATA must also be notified of the incident. ATA will cooperate with the local authorities in prosecuting any and all persons involved in criminal activities on ATA property or at ATA related functions. ATA will keep a record of all criminal occurrences beginning August 1991, and will provide a copy of this information to all students and employees. ATA will also provide this information to all prospective students and employees, upon request, beginning September 1, 1992 and each year thereafter.

ATA will provide guest speakers from local law enforcement agencies to enable students and employees to learn about security procedures and practices, and how the students and employees can be responsible for their own security and the security of others.

ATA’s Campus Security Report is available on-line at: http://www.ata.edu/studentservices/studentrighttoknow.pdf

**VOTER REGISTRATION**

Voter registration applications are made available to students.

**SCHOOL CLOSING POLICY**

ATA notifies FOX 41 Television & WHAS 840 AM radio in the event of school closing. A determination is made 1 1/2 hours prior to class starting time for both day or evening classes cancellation. A message is also posted on the www.ata.edu website.
3 ACADEMIC POLICIES

FOOD AND DRINKS

No food is allowed in the classrooms. Drinks are allowed in spill-proof containers only.
CAREER SERVICES

Information on job requests from businesses and industries will be made available to students who qualify. ATA does not promise or guarantee placement/employment after graduation, but will assist in obtaining initial contact with employers. Placement statistics are available upon request from the Career Services Office.

TUTORING SERVICE

The entire faculty and staff are available to the student for academic help whenever possible. Appointments should be made in advance.

BOOKSTORE

ATA has calculated an estimate of the funds needed to purchase books and supplies for each program of study. The amount may be packaged in the estimated financial aid award. This amount will be automatically loaded to reflect as charges you may make to your bookstore account. These funds will be available for use at the the campus bookstore (rm M205) during the normal business hours.

Students wishing to purchase books from a source other than ATA should check the ATA website each quarter for the title and edition of the textbooks being used. A list of ATA textbooks is available at: http://www.ata.edu/studentservices/books

TEXTBOOK RETURN

Students withdrawing from school may return unmarked textbooks (purchased from ATA) to the business office to receive a refund credit on their accounts. Quarterly, ATA will purchase used textbooks from students. Information regarding the sale of used textbooks can be received from accounting.

STUDENT LOUNGE

The student lounges provide for student relaxation before and after class and during class breaks. Water, soft drinks and light snacks may be purchased at this time.

APPEARANCE

ATA maintains a smoke free environment. Smoking, food and beverages are prohibited in the classrooms. A smoking area is located outside the building and away from all building entrances. All students are expected to leave their work areas neat and free from trash.
RESOURCE ROOM

The Resource Room is open each week, Monday through Thursday, from 8:00 a.m. until 9:30 p.m. On Fridays, the Resource Room is open from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Books and periodicals may be checked out for student use. Reference materials must be used in the Resource Room. ATA has loaded appropriate encyclopedia and dictionary requirements on computers and these are available for student use. The school also provides Internet access for other student requirements. ATA subscribes to ProQuest Virtual Library. The Virtual on-line library can be accessed from the Resource Room and gives students access to over 900 periodicals, a virtual reference room, medical videos and an extensive pharmacology database.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

The Student Ambassadors may be active in planning and helping to conduct wholesome activities such as picnics, parties, intramural sports, graduation activities and orientation activities for new students.

GUIDANCE

The Associate Director of Academic Affairs serves as an academic advisor to students. Students may also seek out faculty members based on their chosen program of study. Counseling of a severe/professional nature is referred to appropriate outside licensed agencies.

HOUSING

There are no school sponsored housing facilities available.

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

Upon request, ATA will provide information regarding employment rates of graduates of ATA. Information regarding present and future opportunities in the areas for which ATA trains will be readily supplied by the Career Services Office.
### Placement Rates

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NA denotes that there were no graduates during the reporting period.

*less than 10 students

**Placement Rate Calculation**

(Graduates Placed in the Field or in a Related Field) / (Total Graduates - *Unavailable)

*Unavailable is due to continued education, called into active duty military service, health related, incarceration, death.
## LICENSURE RATES

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LMR - Diploma is the Diploma in Limited Medical Radiography Program

LMR - Degree is the Degree in Limited Medical Radiography Program

DPN is the Diploma in Pre-Licensure Practical Nursing Program

Formula Utilized = Number of Graduates who passed the Licensure Exam / Number of Graduates Who Attempted the Exam

The information provided in these charts was reported to ABHES for the period of 6/30/2010 - 7/1/2011

Required disclosure requirements can be found here:

http://www.ata.edu/assets/pdf/lou_consumerflyer.pdf
FINANCIAL INFORMATION
A prospective student and his/her parents are encouraged to visit ATA's Financial Aid Office for detailed information, forms, and assistance in completing application forms for the financial assistance program available.

FINANCIAL AID PROGRAMS

Financial Assistance is available for those who qualify. Financial aid programs include student loans and grants. Convenient payment plans are also available. Students should apply early for admission in order to ensure that their financial aid can be completed by registration day.

Students attending ATA may have access to federal and state financial aid programs. In order to apply, students must complete the Free Application For Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). You can apply for funding through the Student Financial Aid Office.

FEDERAL PELL GRANTS

- This is a grant – no repayment required
- For undergraduates only

Pell Grants are awards to help undergraduates pay for their education after high school. For many students, these grants provide a “foundation” of financial aid, to which aid from other Federal and non-Federal sources may be added. Unlike loans, grants do not have to be repaid.

Pell Grant awards for the academic year will depend on program funding. How much you are actually eligible for will depend on your Expected Family Contribution (EFC), the cost of education at your school, whether you are a full-time or less than half-time student and how long you will be enrolled in the academic year.

FEDERAL DIRECT STUDENT LOANS

- This is a loan-it must be paid back
- Repayment begins 6 months after last day of academic related activity

It is the goal of ATA College to educate students regarding their rights and responsibilities so as to assure students will understand the seriousness of borrowing and be capable of repaying these loans. The Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010 (HR 4872) eliminates the Federal Family Education Loan Program (FFLP) that has been utilized since 1965 to provide federal loan funds to students. As a result, ATA College now participates in the William D. Ford Direct Loan Program (DL).
For student borrowers, Federal Loans are either subsidized or unsubsidized. If you are a regular, diploma-seeking student, enrolled in an eligible program of study at least half time, you may receive a Federal Loan, as long as you complete a Federal Loan entrance interview quiz and meet general financial aid eligibility requirements.

A subsidized loan is awarded on the basis of financial need. If you qualify for a subsidized loan, the federal government pays interest on the loan until you begin repayment and during authorized periods of deferment thereafter. An unsubsidized loan is not awarded on the basis of need. If you qualify for an unsubsidized loan, you will be charged interest from the time the loan disbursed until it is paid in full. You can choose to pay the interest or allow it to accumulate. If you allow it to accumulate, it will be capitalized, that is, the interest will be added to the principal amount of your loan and will increase the amount you have to repay. If you pay the interest as it accumulates, you will repay less in the long run. If you would like detailed information regarding your student loans, please visit the Department of Education’s National Student Loan Data System website: www.nslds.gov

**FEDERAL PLUS LOANS**

The Federal Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students (PLUS) program enables parents with good credit histories to borrow to pay the educational expenses of each child who is a dependent undergraduate student enrolled at least half-time. To be eligible to receive a Federal PLUS Loan, parents generally will be required to pass a credit check. Parents might also qualify for a loan if someone who is able to pass a credit check agrees to co-sign the loan. You and your parents must also meet other general eligibility requirements for federal student financial aid.

**COLLEGE ACCESS PROGRAM (CAP)**

The College Access Program (CAP) provides grants to Kentucky's financially needy students to attend Kentucky colleges. CAP Grants are awarded to Kentucky residents enrolled for at least six semester hours (half time) in an associate’s degree program and must be Pell eligible. The amount varies yearly and is determined by Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority.

**KENTUCKY EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP (KEES)**

The Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship is a scholarship designed to encourage and reward high school students for good performance during their high school careers. GPA determines the amounts for each year of study and bonus dollars are awarded for ACT scores. Students must have graduated in May 1999 or thereafter. To keep the maximum award for the second year in college the student must complete their first year with a cumulative 2.5 GPA and be “on track to graduate.”
VETERAN’S EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS

ATA is approved for the training of veterans, veterans’ survivors, and children of disabled veterans under public laws administered by the U.S. Veterans Administration. Veterans or their families who think they may be eligible for benefits should contact their local Veterans Affairs Counselor or go to www.gibill.va.gov to register and receive a certificate of eligibility for additional information.

REHABILITATION PROGRAMS

ATA serves clients of Kentucky Vocational Rehabilitation. A student who has a substantial handicap to employment may be eligible for financial assistance while training. The amount available is determined by the respective Vocation Rehabilitation Agency and the individual circumstances of each person.

WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT (WIA)

The Workforce Investment Boards (WIBs) provide grants to those eligible students who have been displaced or who are unemployed. Other minimum requirements and funds availability also apply. Additional information and applications to determine eligibility are available through the local WIBs.

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR FINANCIAL AID

The regulations governing all financial assistance programs are subject to change. ATA’s Financial Aid Office will have the latest information.

FINANCIAL AID PROBATION OR SUSPENSION

Financial aid probation or suspension occurs when a student passes fewer than the minimum number of credit hours or falls below the grade point average minimum as defined in the section regarding Satisfactory Academic Progress.

STANDARDS OF SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS-FINANCIAL AID PROBATION AND SUSPENSION

Probation - While on probation, students may be eligible to receive Title IV funding.

Suspension - Students re-entering following suspension are ineligible for financial aid until satisfactory academic progress has been re-established.
FINANCIAL AID REINSTATEMENT

Once placed on financial aid suspension, a student will be considered for additional financial aid at ATA only when one of the following conditions has been met:

1. Sufficient credits have been completed and/or the minimum cumulative grade point average requirements have been satisfied.

2. It is established through the financial aid appeals process that the student encountered extenuating circumstances that hindered academic performance (for example, a documented serious medical problem) during the quarter(s) in question. A student wishing to appeal the suspension must do so in writing with any appropriate documentation to the Financial Aid Office.

3. If the appeal is denied and the student believes his/her situation merits additional consideration, the student may then utilize the “Satisfactory Academic Progress Appeal Procedure” to seek resolution.
TUITION, FEES, PAYMENT AND REFUND POLICY
TUITION

Current charges for tuition and fees are listed in Supplement “B”, included with this catalog. Tuition, books and fees are payable quarterly in advance, any other arrangements must be made through the Financial Planner’s office prior to the start of the quarter.

CANCELLATION POLICY

A full refund of all monies is made if the applicant cancels the enrollment within three (3) business days. After three (3) business days the application fee is non-refundable. Refunds will be made within 30 days of cancellation. Additionally, ATA College reserves the right to delay and/or cancel a program start when the number of students scheduled to start is too small economically to start the class. A student may elect to accept the new start date or have all monies refunded.

INSTITUTIONAL REFUND POLICY

The college shall refund both tuition and fees, based on the percentage of the quarter remaining after the last day of attendance, up until the time the student has attended 60% of the quarter. This percentage will be calculated based on the number of calendar days remaining in the quarter divided by the total number of calendar days in the quarter. Scheduled breaks of 5 or more consecutive days will be excluded in determining the calendar day’s used in the calculation. After attending 60% of the quarter there will be no refund.

UNIFORM REFUND POLICY FOR INDIANA STUDENTS

ATA utilizes a refund policy recognized by the United States Department of Education (USDOE) Title IV refund policy enacted by the 1992 Amendments to the Higher Education Act. ATA will provide written verification in the form of a final refund calculation, upon the request of the commission, that its refund policy is, indeed, more favorable to the student than that of the commission’s. ATA uniformly applies the USDOE and commission’s tuition refund policy to all students enrolled.
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REFUND POLICY FOR STUDENTS RECEIVING VETERANS BENEFITS

VA funds returned to the student from ATA typically must be returned to VA. Please contact the Department of Veteran’s Affairs to be sure, as this can affect your future eligibility.
The exact pro-rata will be determined on the ratio of the number of days of instruction completed by the student to the total number of instructional days in the charging period. Vocational refund policy will be applied as required in 5 CSR 60-900.050 (4) (E).

NOTE: Books and supplies may be purchased at ATA bookstore or any other available source. Payment for books or supplies are due at the time of purchase, however, a student may charge their books on account as a matter of convenience. Books and supplies are considered non-institutional costs and are not subject to refund provisions.

POLICY ON RETURN OF TITLE IV FUNDS

Federal financial aid funds are awarded with the expectation that students “earn” a percentage of the funds they are disbursed with each day of class attendance each quarter. When a student who has received federal financial aid funds (Title IV Funds) leaves school before the end of the term, federal law requires the institution to calculate the percentage and amount of “unearned” financial aid funds that must be returned to the federal government. Once a student has completed more than 60% of a term, he/she is considered to have earned all funding received. This calculation may have the effect of requiring the student to repay funds that have already been disbursed to the student. Students are encouraged to meet with their financial aid administrator prior to making the decision to withdraw from school.

The order of repaying the funds are as follows: (1) Unsubsidized Stafford (2) Subsidized Stafford Loan (3) PLUS Loan (4) Pell Grant (5) SEOG Grant (7) Other Title IV programs (8) Student.

APPEALS PROCESS

Students wishing to appeal a decision made by ATA may do so by completing a written statement within two days of the incident or circumstances at issue. The written statement must explain the circumstance the student believes should be considered. The student will be notified in writing of ATA’s determination of the appeal usually within one week. Challenges made in regards to grades must be made no later than the end of the drop/add period. The student status will not change while an appeal is in process. Any mitigating circumstances must be fully disclosed in the written statement provided by the student in order for ATA to make a decision regarding the appeal. The student appeals process must be completed before initiating the following grievance procedure. This letter of appeal should be directed to the office of academic affairs.
GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

If a student has any problems or concerns regarding his/her classes or instructors, the student is encouraged to speak with the instructor first. If the problem is not resolved, the student should make an appointment with the Director of Academic Affairs. Every effort should be made by both the student and ATA staff to resolve any complaint issues at the levels indicated above.

ATA College
Evelyn Kaufman
Associate Director of Academic Affairs
10180 Linn Station Rd., Suite A-200
Louisville, Ky 40223
502.371.8330 Ext. 344

As a last resort the student who feels his/her problems/concerns are not able to be resolved within ATA’s organizational structure should contact:

Kentucky
Executive Director
Kentucky State Board of Proprietary Education
P. O. Box 1360
Frankfort, KY 40602
502-564-4233

Accreditation
Executive Director
Accrediting Bureau of Health Education Schools
7777 Leesburg Pike, Suite 314N
Falls Church, VA 22043
PROGRAMS

ATA offers programs leading to a Certificate, Diploma and/or Degree. All programs offered by ATA are taught on campus; The following courses may be taken via distance education:

LAS120 Success Skills
COM151 Interpersonal Communications
MLT170 Transition to Practice
MLT171 Transition to Practice 2
MED126 Computers in Healthcare
BUS110 Keyboarding
MED170 Transition to Practice

Certificate Program Level
This level generally requires completion of twenty-four (24) credits and is designed to be completed in two academic quarters. This level develops skills that may enhance employment possibilities at the entry level.

Diploma Level
This level generally requires completion of thirty-six (36) but less than ninety (90) quarter credits and is designed to be completed in three to six academic quarters. This level develops skills that may enhance employment possibilities at the entry level.

Degree Level
This level requires completion of at least ninety (90) quarter credits with appropriate general education courses designed to be completed in 6 or more quarters.

All students entering ATA will enroll in the program of their choice. Students will benefit most from their selected program by uninterrupted progress toward completion of the full program; however, there may be some valid reason for a student to complete something less than the full program of study. Should the student later complete the full program, the regular academic credential will be awarded to the student.
ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Occupational Associate Degree
Limited Medical Radiography with a Clinical Concentration............ 60 weeks
Medical Professional ........................................................................ 70 Weeks
  Concentration in Outpatient Coding
  Concentration in Hospital Coding
  Concentration in Medical Assisting
Pre-Licensure Practical Nursing ...................................................... 60 weeks

Diploma Programs
Medical Office Assistant ................................................................. 40 weeks
Phlebotomy .................................................................................... 30 weeks
Professional Coding ...................................................................... 40 weeks
Dental Assisting .......................................................................... 40 weeks

Academic Associate Degree
Medical Laboratory Technician ....................................................... 80 weeks

* Students who start a program on an “off start” as per the academic calendar will require 5 additional weeks for program completion.
Occupational Associate Degree (AOS) In MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL

Objective: This degree program offers three different career tracks. The core portion of the program is designed to train for entry-level medical assisting/administrative positions. Students have the option to choose from three career concentrations: Medical Assisting, Outpatient Coding or Hospital Coding. Graduates of this program receive not only specialized courses relating to the medical field, but also a solid background in the basic skills necessary for most medical office positions. The student realizes the importance of the computer and data processing in the medical field through computer curricula. Depending on the career track chosen, graduates will be prepared for positions such as medical assistant, medical secretary, insurance office worker, medical claims processor, medical/hospital coders or records clerk. During the final quarter of study, students participate in an Externship which will provide them with an opportunity to work in the field under the supervision and evaluation of a cooperating medical facility and the school. Estimated program completion is 7 quarters (70 weeks)*.

* All laboratory and clinical classes require a C or higher for completion.
* Only one absence per clinical or laboratory class is permitted.
* Students are required to show proof of immunization against Hepatitis B. In addition, proof of a negative TB Skin test must be submitted.

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Concentration credit hours required for graduation: 28

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* Denotes a General Education Course
Diploma In
MEDICAL OFFICE ASSISTANT

Objective: This diploma program is designed to train individuals for entry-level medical office positions. Graduates of this program receive not only specialized courses relating to the medical office field, but also skills necessary for any office environment. The student will understand the importance of computer and data processing in the medical field through extensive computer curricula. Graduates will be prepared to seek positions such as receptionist, medical secretary, insurance office worker, medical claims processor or records clerk. Estimated program completion is 4 quarters (40 weeks).

* Students are required to show proof of immunization against Hepatitis B. In addition, proof of a negative TB Skin test must be submitted.
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Objective: This program is designed to prepare students for entry level employment as a phlebotomist. The objective of this program is to prepare the graduate to provide high quality, direct patient care while performing venipuncture and other phlebotomy techniques. The phlebotomist is a vital member of the clinical laboratory team whose main function is to obtain patients’ blood specimens by venipuncture and micro-collection and transportation of other clinical specimens. Phlebotomists are employed throughout the health care system in hospitals, neighborhood health centers, medical group practices, HMOs, public health facilities, and veterans’ hospitals. Estimated program completion is 4 quarters (40 weeks).

Within 90 days prior to starting the PHL104 Phlebotomy Clinical student must:

a. Clear TB skin test - within the last 12 months
b. Have received at least the first vaccination in the Hepatitis B series of 3
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Diploma In
PROFESSIONAL CODING

Objective: This diploma program provides students with the appropriate didactic theory and hands-on skills required and necessary, for starting, maintaining and growing in a chosen health information coding career. Students are prepared to function in a variety of medical facilities within the chosen fields of medical coding and billing. The objective for this program is to prepare students to analyze medical records and assign codes to medical conditions, diagnoses and procedures using a complex health care coding classification system. Students will be encouraged to achieve CPC Certification upon successful completion. Graduates will be prepared to seek positions such as medical secretary, insurance office worker, medical claims processor or records clerk in physicians’ offices, hospitals, clinics, insurance companies, medical billing companies and medical financial consulting companies. Estimated program completion is 4 quarters (40 weeks).
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Objective: This degree program is designed to provide quality career education and training in Limited Medical Radiography while also preparing the graduate to provide clinical support in the medical facility. Upon completion of the program graduates will be prepared to sit for licensure as a Limited Medical Radiographer through the Kentucky State Cabinet for Health Services. The Licensed Limited Medical Radiographer plays an important role in the medical team by providing quality radiographs for a physician or radiologist. LMR specific responsibilities include adjusting radiographic equipment for specific examinations and placing the patient in the correct position and processing the radiograph. Graduates will be prepared to seek positions in a physicians’ office as a Limited Medical Radiographer. Estimated program completion is 6 quarters (60 weeks).

All applicants will be required to submit a clear criminal background check prior to entering classes. Students in this program will be required to submit a clear TB skin test and hepatitis B immunization.
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* - Denotes General Education Course
Diploma In
DENTAL ASSISTING

Objective: This diploma program is designed to train individuals for positions as dental assistants in the dental office setting. The dental assistant program has a clinical emphasis. The dental assistant will be trained to function as a member of the dental health care delivery team. Graduates of this program receive classroom training as well as lab experience and clinical experience to fully prepare them for employment in the dental office. Laboratory classes in the dental assisting program are completed off-site at the ATA extended classroom facility at the office of Drs. Pierce & Mitchell, 4825 S. 3rd Street. Graduates will be prepared to seek positions such as dental assistant or in the front office of a dental practice (40 weeks).
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**Total Credits Required for Graduation**: 56 800

**Note**

Students are required to show proof of immunization against Hepatitis B.

In addition, proof of a negative TB skin test must be submitted.

Students have 24 (twenty-four) months from program completion to complete the Expanded Duties Dental Assistant (EDDA) training at UofL Dental School.
Occupational Associate Degree In
PRE-LICENSEURE PRACTICAL NURSING

Objective: This diploma program provides classroom and clinical experiences with opportunities that allow for the acquisition of knowledge and skills that enable each student to meet the requirements necessary for success as a practical nurse. Estimated program completion is 6 quarters (60 weeks).

Upon completion of this Practical Nursing program, the student will be able to apply for licensure and take the National Council Licensure Examination for Practical Nurses (NCLEX-PN). Once licensed, the student will be able to seek employment and provide nursing care as an entry level practical nurse, working under the direction of a physician or registered nurse.

Graduates are prepared to function as professionals in accordance within the scope and standards of practical nursing practice set by the National Association of Practical Nurse Education and Service (NAPNES) and the Kentucky Board of Nursing (KBN).

This program prepares graduates for employment in numerous health care settings. Licensed practical nurses hold positions in hospitals, nursing care facilities, physician offices, community, home health, and employment agencies, outpatient care centers, and in federal, state, and local government service organizations.

Students who are not licensed Medicaid Nurse Aides will be required to gain licensure prior to the start of quarter 3 of study.
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PROGRAMS OF STUDY

Associate of Applied Science Degree (AAS) in MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNICIAN (MLT)

Objective: This degree program is designed to train graduates to gain employment as a Medical Laboratory Technician. The Medical Lab Tech performs procedures in collection, processing and analyzing biological specimens and in multiple aspects of routine clinical laboratory and other current and emerging diagnostic tests. They prepare and maintain laboratory equipment, analyze test results, consult with the pathologist to diagnose or further analyze specimens. Graduates are encouraged to seek certification/licensure. Graduates will be prepared to seek entry level positions in a hospital laboratory setting, a specialized reference laboratory, physicians office lab and industrial/research laboratories. Estimated program completion is 8 quarters (80 weeks).

Students in this program will be required to submit a clear TB Skin Test and verify Hepatitis B immunization.
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Diploma In
LIMITED MEDICAL RADIOGRAPHY

Objective: This diploma program is designed to provide quality career education and training in Limited Medical Radiography. After successful completion graduates will be prepared to take the Kentucky Limited Radiography examination administered by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologist.

The Limited Medical Radiographer plays an important role in the medical community by providing quality radiographs for a physician or radiologist. Responsibilities include adjusting radiographic equipment for specific examinations and placing the patient in the correct position and processing the radiograph. Graduates will be prepared to seek positions in a physician’s office as a Limited Medical Radiographer. Estimated program completion is 4 quarters (40 weeks).

Mission Statement
ATA’s Limited Medical Radiography Program is designed to provide the health care community with quality career educated and trained professionals in Limited Medical Radiography.

Goals

1. To provide high quality instruction in developing the skills required to prepare employable, entry-level radiographers.

2. Provide a curriculum that includes didactic, laboratory, and clinical experiences that will build the knowledge and skills required to think critically and problem solve in the work environment.

3. To prepare graduates for licensure in Limited Medical Radiography.

4. To assure exceptional quality to the patient, employers and partnering institutions through the development of technically and professionally qualified individuals.

* Any LMR course requires a grade of “C” or higher for successful completion.
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**Total Credits Required for Graduation**  54  770

Note: This program is no longer offered for entry level enrollment.
Diploma In
PRE-LICENSEURE PRACTICAL NURSING

Objective: This diploma program provides classroom and clinical experiences with opportunities that allow for the acquisition of knowledge and skills that enables each student to meet the requirements necessary for success as a practical nurse. Estimated program completion is 6 quarters (60 weeks).

Upon completion of this Practical Nursing program, the student will be able to apply for licensure and take the National Council Licensure Examination for Practical Nurses (NCLEX-PN). Once licensed, the student will be able to seek employment and provide nursing care as an entry level practical nurse, working under the direction of a physician or registered nurse.

Graduates are prepared to function as professionals in accordance within the scope and standards of practical nursing practice set by the National Association of Practical Nurse Education and Service (NAPNES) and the Kentucky Board of Nursing (KBN).

This program prepares graduates for employment in numerous health care settings. Licensed practical nurses hold positions in hospitals, nursing care facilities, physician offices, community, home health, and employment agencies, outpatient care centers, and in federal, state, and local government service organizations.
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**Total Credits Required for Graduation**

84 1350

Note: This program is no longer offered to new students at the diploma level.
COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

ANA101 Anatomy & Physiology
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course covers the study of the human body from the single cell to the coordinated whole, with emphasis on the interaction of all body systems in the maintenance of a stable internal state. The course includes the discussion of pathological conditions and diseases through the course. Prerequisite: None

ANA101N Anatomy & Physiology
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course introduces the structure and function of the human body. The cells and tissues of the human body are presented along with the basic structure and physiology of the integumentary, skeletal, muscular, and nervous systems. It includes the examination of the basic structure and physiology of the cardiovascular, endocrine, lymphatic, and immune, respiratory, digestive, urinary and reproductive systems. Prerequisites: None

ANA102 Anatomy & Physiology II
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course offers a more in-depth study of the human body from the single cell to the coordinated whole, with further emphasis on body systems, disease effects, and the maintenance of a stable internal state. The course includes discussion of pathological conditions and diseases throughout the course. Prerequisites: ANA 101,

ANA105 Basic Oraficial Anatomy
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course provides a basic introduction to the structures of the head, neck, and oral cavity. Topics include tooth morphology, head and neck anatomy, histology and embryology. Upon completion, students should be able to demonstrate knowledge of normal structures and development and how they relate to the practice of dental assisting. Prerequisite: None

BIO101 Biology
4 Credit Hours
30 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours

This course is designed to give students a foundation in the key concepts, classification of organisms, and research trends for major fields of biology.
**BUS110 Keyboarding**  
2 Credit Hours  
40 Lab Hours  

This course covers the development of basic keyboarding skills to improve speed and accuracy. Prerequisite: None

**BUS113 Records Management**  
2 Credit Hours  
20 Lecture Hours  

This course is designed to introduce the student to a variety of records and record keeping systems and the principles underlying effective management of records. It also combines technical aspects of records procedures with the systems typically used in business today. Prerequisite: None

**CHM101 Chemistry I: Inorganic**  
3 Credit Hours  
20 Lecture Hours  
20 Lab Hours  

This course is designed to give students an understanding of the behavior of matter, energy, basic chemical reactions, and acid/base theory. Prerequisite: ANA 101, MED 100

**CHM102 General Chemistry II: Organic**  
3 Credit Hours  
20 Lecture Hours  
20 Lab Hours  

This course is designed to give students an understanding of the structure, properties, composition, reactions, and preparation (by synthesis or by other means) of carbon compounds and their derivatives. Prerequisites: ANA 101, MED 100

**CHM200 Clinical Chemistry**  
4 Credit Hours  
20 Lecture Hours  
40 Lab Hours  

This course focuses on the principals and procedures for chemistry analyzers and general laboratory chemistry principals. Prerequisites: CHM101, CHM102, MLT101

**COD127 Medical Insurance & Billing**  
2 Credit Hours  
10 Lecture Hours  
20 Lab Hours
This course has been designed to introduce the student to the fundamentals of insurance Billing and Coding. The basics of health insurance are discussed, including the claim form, coding classifications, collection strategies and various health care payers. Prerequisites: None

**COD128 Medical Insurance & Billing**
4 Credit Hours
30 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours

This course has been designed to introduce the student to the fundamentals of insurance billing and coding. The basics of health insurance are discussed, including the claim form, coding classifications, collection strategies and various health care payers. Prerequisites: None

**COD138 Basic ICD-9-CM Coding**
2 Credit Hours
10 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours

This course develops skills in the use of ICD: International Classification of Diseases coding principles. The text will assist students to reference course workbook, and associated manuals, while matching procedures, evaluations and assessments to numeric codes. Additionally, students will be introduced to E codes and V codes and their appropriate use. Also, coding Laws and Ethics will be discussed. Prerequisites: ANA 101

**COD139 Advanced ICD-9-CM Coding**
2 Credit Hours
10 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours

This course is designed to advance the student to a more heightened awareness of medical coding procedures and to provide an advanced approach to diagnostic and procedural coding. This course is a continuation of prior exposure to coding, and how the classification system is maintained, including the use of DRGs and Case Mix. Prerequisites: COD 138

**COD140 Basic ICD-9-CM Coding**
4 Credit Hours
30 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours

This course develops skills in the use of ICD: International Classification of Diseases coding principles. The text will assist the student to reference course workbook, and associated manuals, while matching procedures, evaluations, and assessment to numeric codes. Additionally, students will be introduced to ‘E’ and ‘V’ codes, and their appropriate use. Also, coding Laws and Ethics will
be discussed. Instructional Goals: The primary goal of this course is to expand the student's coding knowledge, specifically in ICD-9-CM coding challenges. Prerequisites: ANA 101

**COD141 Advanced ICD-9-CM Coding**
4 Credit Hours
30 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours

This course is designed to advance the student to a more heightened awareness of ICD-9 medical coding and to provide an advanced approach to diagnostic coding. This course is a continuation of prior exposure to coding and how the classification system is maintained. Instructional Goals: The primary goal of this course is to expand the student's coding knowledge, specifically in troubleshooting coding errors. Prerequisites: COD 140

**COD145 Medical Record Auditing**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course is designed to introduce the student to the structure of the inpatient & outpatient medical record and the fundamentals of E/M auditing used to determine the correct code for the level of service provided. Documentation, coding and E/M guidelines, required by third party payers, will be reviewed. The student will receive training on how to abstract necessary information from the medical record and the use of appropriate resources (audit tools) to perform E/M chart audits. Students will analyze medical case studies and perform E/M chart audits using an audit form. Students will be exposed on how to analyze and report results of the audit. Prerequisites: COD 155

**COD150 AAPC Professional Medical Coding Curricular**
12 Credit Hours
120 Lecture Hours

The course curriculum is presented in a 21 chapter format. Chapters include medical terminology, anatomy overviews, and CPT® and ICD-9-CM coding issues organized in a way that is consistent with the most current American Medical Association’s Current Procedural Terminology. The course also includes “end of chapter” review questions to enhance comprehension of the material covered. A midterm and final examination are also provided. Students may choose to achieve CPC certification upon successful completion of American Academy of Professional Coders Professional Medical Coding Curriculum. This class may be taken as a stand alone CEU after satisfactory testing. Prerequisites: COD 139 or COD 140

**COD155 AAPC Professional Medical Coding Curricular**
10 Credit Hours
100 Lecture Hours

This course is primarily centered on the use of the CPT: Current Procedural Terminology coding system. Principles of ICD-9-CM are covered briefly. The
HCPCS (Healthcare Common Procedural Coding System) is explained and practice examples are given. The texts used cover all sections of CPT and the coding guidelines applicable to each section are discussed. End of chapter questions are assigned and reviewed. In addition, Medicare rules and regulations governing CPT coding procedures will be discussed. Prerequisites: COD 141, COD 128, MED 135

COD160 Professional Hospital Coding
6 Credit Hours
60 Lecture Hours

This course instructs students on outpatient/inpatient hospital coding, billing and reimbursement procedures, guidelines and regulations. Material will be presented through lecture and practical application exercises. Students will be instructed in how to correctly complete a UB-04 (CMS1450) claim form. Accurate utilization of ICD-9-CM Volume 3 (procedural coding) is taught. Payment methodologies, DRG’s, APC’s, Charge Description Master (CDM) and revenue codes are explained. A review of POA indicators for inpatient coding is included. Students will be presented with real world scenarios from inpatient/outpatient charts and taught how to abstract data and assign correct codes. Scenarios are reviewed with instructor and rationale provided for correct coding. Mock practice exams, tailored in similar format of the national exams, are given for additional preparation. Prerequisite: COD 140, COD 141, COD 155

COM151 Interpersonal Communication
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course examines perspectives and recent research on verbal and non-verbal elements affecting communication between individuals in a variety of contexts. Prerequisite: None

DEN101 Introduction to Dental Assisting
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

Preview of dental practice, including specialties, history, professional and legal responsibilities and the role of the dental assistant. Dental and medical terminology; dental forms, records and charts, patient communication, telephone communications and office personnel relations. Prerequisite: None

DEN110 Dental Radiology
2 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours

This course provides a comprehensive view of the principles and procedures of radiology as they apply to dentistry. Topics include techniques in exposing, processing, and evaluating radiographs, as well as radiation safety, quality assurance and legal issues. Upon completion, students should be able to demonstrate proficiency in the production of diagnostically acceptable radiographs using appropriate safety precautions. Prerequisite: None
DEN110L Dental Radiography Lab
1 Credit Hour
20 Lab Hours
This course provides a comprehensive view of the principles and procedures of radiology as they apply to dentistry. Topics include techniques in exposing, processing, and evaluating radiographs, as well as radiation safety, quality assurance, and legal issues. Upon completion, students should be able to demonstrate proficiency in the production of diagnostically acceptable radiographs using appropriate safety precautions.

DEN115 Dental Materials
2 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours
This course provides instruction in identification, properties, evaluation of quality, principles, and procedures related to manipulation and storage of operative and specialty dental materials. Emphasis is placed on the understanding and safe application of materials used in the dental office and laboratory. Upon completion, students should be able to demonstrate proficiency in the laboratory and clinical application of routinely used dental materials. Prerequisite: None

DEN115L Dental Materials Lab
1 Credit Hour
20 Lab Hours
This course provides instruction in identification, properties, evaluation of quality, principles, and procedures related to manipulation and storage of operative and specialty dental materials. Emphasis is placed on the understanding and safe application of materials used in the dental office and laboratory. Upon completion, students should be able to demonstrate proficiency in the laboratory and clinical application of routinely used dental materials.

DEN120 Specialty Principles & Techniques
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours
This course is a study of endodontics, periodontics, pediatric dentistry, prosthetics and other specialty dental practices and the dental assistant’s role in a specialty practice. Prerequisite: None

DEN125 Practice Management
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours
This course provides a study of principles and procedures related to management of the dental practice. Emphasis is placed on maintaining clinical and financial records, patient scheduling, and supply and inventory control. Upon completion, students should be able to demonstrate fundamental skills in dental practice management. Prerequisite: None
**DEN140 Advanced Operative Procedures**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course instructs students in the art of restorative dentistry. Prerequisite: None

**DEN140L Advanced Operative Lab**
2 Credit Hours
40 Lab Hours

This course instructs students in the art of restorative dentistry.

**DEN145 Clinical Practice**
10 Credit Hours
300 Clinical Hours

This course is designed to increase the level of proficiency in assisting in a clinical setting. Emphasis is placed on the application of principles and procedures of four-handed dentistry and laboratory and clinical support functions. Upon completion, students should be able to combine theoretical and ethical principles necessary to perform entry-level skills.

**ENG101 English I**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

The course covers the development of composition skills through purposeful reading, logical thinking, and the application of principles of rhetoric. Includes practice in the selection, restriction, organization and development of topics. It also reinforces the student's facility with sentence structure, diction and mechanics. Prerequisite: None

**EXT100 Externship**
4 Credit Hours
120 Lab Hours

Externship provides the student an opportunity to visit and work in a medical office environment. The student will be exposed to day to day operations of the medical office that may include management functions, personnel administration, record keeping and medical office equipment. The student will be evaluated by the work site as they apply skills learned in the classroom in a practical environment. Prerequisite: Final Quarter Medical Office Assistant Program

**EXT200 Externship**
6 Credit Hours
180 Lab Hours

Externship provides the student an opportunity to visit and work in a medical office environment. The student will be exposed to day to day operations of the medical office that may include management functions, personnel administration,
record keeping and medical office equipment. The student will be evaluated by the work site as they apply skills learned in the classroom in a practical environment. Prerequisite: Final Quarter Medical Professional Degree Program.

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**LAS100 Essential English**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course is designed for the student who needs a review of the basic fundamentals of reading and writing. Instruction is given in spelling, vocabulary, grammar, sentence structure and reading comprehension.

**LAS110 Essential Math**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course offers a review of the basic skills and understanding of the mathematical processes needed for business mathematics and related courses. Mathematical operations covered include: whole numbers, fractions, decimals, percentages and algebra.

**LAS120 Success Skills (LAS120N - PN grading scale applies)**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course covers the development of self-reliance through understanding and utilizing the concepts of self-esteem, goalsetting, and accountability. Topics include study skills, test taking, note taking, time management, goal setting, listening, communication and customer service skills. Prerequisite: None

**LAS130 Professional Development (LAS130N - PN grading scale applies)**
2 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours

This course is designed to assist the student in developing skills necessary to gain employment. It also covers a wide range of job-seeking skills, including the development of an effective résume. Interviewing skills, referral letters, cover letters and other professional areas will be discussed. Prerequisite: None

**LMR100 Introduction to Radiography**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This introductory course provides the student with general information about the profession of Limited Medical Radiographer and introduces basic radiographic imaging principles and radiation protection. Special emphasis is also placed on medical ethics and professional conduct as well as patient care techniques.
LMR102 Radiographic Anatomy
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course for Limited Radiography students builds upon the basic understanding of the human anatomy and provides the student with in-depth identification of specific bone landmarks and bone markings that are to be identifiable on the x-ray film by the student. Co-requisite: LMR100

LMR110 Principles of Radiation
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course gives the student an understanding of the importance of radiation protection and radiation’s effects on the human body. The student will also be familiarized with the regulatory agencies and the agency’s guidelines as they govern and pertain to radiation. Co-requisite: LMR100

LMR115 Pharmacology with Injections
4 Credit Hours
30 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours

This course provides the student with the knowledge and skills required to prepare and administer oral and parenteral drugs. The student is introduced to principles of pharmacology, including major drug classifications, actions, side effects, immunology and implications for care.

LMR120 Radiographic Imaging
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course presents additional concepts of x-ray physics and their relationship to the quality of the resultant radiograph. The properties of density, contrast, detail and distortion are analyzed extensively with emphasis on the factors that control and influence them. This includes such topics as screen/film combinations, grid usage, effects of collimation, processing, etc. The role these factors play in radiation exposure and protection is also emphasized. Prerequisites: LMR110

LMR145 Kentucky State Exam LXMO Review
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course for Limited Radiography students is designed to prepare the students to take the ARRT Limited Scope (LXMO) Radiography exam. This course includes review over patient care, radiographic procedures, equipment operation, image production and evaluation, radiation protection, anatomy and test taking skills. Prerequisites: LMR120, LMR102, LMR110, LMR200, MED100, MED101
LMR 160 Medical Laboratory Procedures
4 Credit Hours
30 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours
This course is designed to develop student skills in a simulated laboratory setting in the areas of the correct procedure in performing diagnostic tests.

LMR 165 Venipuncture
1 Credit Hours
20 Lab Hours
This course is designed to develop student skills in a simulated laboratory setting in the areas of identifying the role of the medical assistant in collection of all specimens and demonstrating the correct procedure to perform tests on various body fluid specimens.

LMR200 Radiographic Positioning I
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours
This course for Limited Radiography students offers laboratory experience to develop competency in performing x-ray examinations of the extremities, shoulder girdle, pelvic girdle, spines, and chest. Attention is also directed toward the organization of the radiology department — examination priorities, patient preparation, processing and archiving of x-ray images, etc. A combination of lecture, demonstration, and laboratory simulation are utilized to prepare students to perform these x-ray examinations. LMR100 co-requisite. Must be taken and successfully completed with LMR200L.

LMR 200L Radiographic Positioning 1 Lab
2 Credit Hours
40 Lab Hours
This course for Limited Radiography students offers laboratory experience to develop competency in performing x-ray examinations of the upper and lower extremities, shoulder girdle, pelvic girdle, chest, and abdomen. Attention is also directed toward the organization of the radiology department examination priorities, patient preparation, processing and archiving of x-ray images, etc. A combination of lecture, demonstration, and laboratory simulation are utilized to prepare students to perform these x-ray examinations. Must be taken and successfully completed with LMR200.

LMR250 Radiologic Pathology
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours
This course is designed to teach Limited Medical Radiology students about the basic concepts underlying various pathological conditions. The student will learn
about disease processes and how they may present radiographically. The student will also learn the etiology methods for detection of these disease processes and pathological conditions.

**LMR300 Radiographic Positioning II**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course for Limited Radiography students offers additional laboratory experience to develop competency in performing x-ray examinations of the thorax, skull, sinuses, facial bones and the abdomen. Attention is also directed toward the organization of the radiology department — examination priorities, patient preparation, processing and archiving of x-ray images, etc. A combination of lecture, demonstration, and laboratory simulation are utilized to prepare students to perform these x-ray examinations. Prerequisites: LMR200. Must be taken and successfully completed with LMR300L.

**LMR300L Radiographic Positioning 2 Lab**
2 Credit Hours
40 Lab Hours

This course for Limited Radiography students offers additional laboratory experience to develop competency in performing x-ray examinations of the thorax, spine, skull, sinuses, and the facial bones. Attention is also directed toward the organization of the radiology department - examination priorities, patient preparation, processing and archiving of x-ray images, etc. A combination of lecture, demonstration, and laboratory simulation are utilized to prepare students to perform these x-ray examinations. Must be taken and successfully completed with LMR300.

**LMR301 Limited Radiography Clinical**
2 Credit Hours
80 Clinical Hours

This competency based course for Limited Radiography students covers the radiographic evaluation in a clinical setting, of the chest, extremities, shoulder girdle, pelvic girdle, spine, skull, and thorax, under the direct supervision of a state certified radiation operator. The student will be assigned to a clinical site to complete a total of 80 hours of clinical experience. Prerequisites: LMR100, LMR102, LMR110, LMR200, MED100, MED101

**LMR400 Advanced Limited Radiography Clinical**
6 Credit Hours
180 Clinical Hours

This competency based course for Limited Radiography students covers the radiographic evaluation in a clinical setting, of the chest, extremities, shoulder girdle, pelvic girdle, spine, skull, and thorax, under the direct supervision of a
state certified radiation operator. The student will be assigned to a clinical site to complete a total of 180 hours of clinical experience. Prerequisites: LMR120, LMR102, LMR 110, LMR 200, MED 100, MED 101

MAT101 Applied Mathematics
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours
This course includes instruction in essentials of mathematics for a medical laboratory technician. Basic math skills as well as fractions, decimals, and conversions are a focus; word problems and solving linear equations allow the student to practice real-life health care skills requiring mathematics and algebraic skills. This course also develops skills necessary to problem solve and apply appropriate mathematical concepts to daily life.

MED100 Medical Terminology
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours
This course provides the student with an understanding of the medical language in the healthcare fields while incorporating body structures and function in health and disease. The student will have an effective understanding of the major body systems, including the musculoskeletal, cardiovascular, respiratory, digestive and integumentary system. Prerequisite: None

MED100N Medical Terminology
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours
This course focuses on analyzing and combining prefixes, root words, and suffixes. The spelling, meaning, and pronunciation of these components, and commonly used medical terms are presented. Included are medical abbreviations. Prerequisites: None.

MED101 Health and Safety Techniques
4 Credit Hours
30 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours
In this course students become CPR certified health care provider American Heart Association. Basic patient care skills, OSHA standards, medical asepsis and standard precautions are discussed. Competency in vital signs, first aid procedures, and patient transport/transfer complete the course. Prerequisites: ANA101

MED105 Nursing Math
2 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours
This course provides instruction on the math skills and understanding of other mathematical processes needed for nursing mathematics. Mathematical operations covered include: whole numbers, fractions, decimals, percentages, and algebra. Basic medication dosage calculations and medication preparations are
also covered. A combination of lecture and demonstration are utilized to prepare students to perform these operations as related to nursing practice. Prerequisites: None.

**MED106 HIPAA for the Medical Office**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course is designed to help the student understand the HIPAA’s Administration Simplification Act. The student will learn how to create a framework for initiating and maintaining a HIPAA compliant workplace. Prerequisite: None

**MED110 Medical Math**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course includes instruction in essentials of mathematics for a health care provider. Drug dosages, intake and output, weights and measures, temperatures, IV drip rate and conversions are a focus, and illustrations of syringes, prescriptions, medication labels, IV bags, and I and O charts allow the students to practice real-life health care skills requiring mathematics and algebraic skills. Skills necessary to problem solve and apply appropriate mathematical concepts to daily life are developed: Prerequisite. None

**MED115 Pharmacology**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course provides the student with the knowledge and skills required to prepare and administer oral and parenteral drugs. The student is introduced to principles of pharmacology, including major drug classifications, actions, side effects, immunology and implications for care. Prerequisite: None

**MED120 Medical Law & Ethics**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

An overview of the role of the allied health professional in the legal and ethical concerns faced in the medical office; confidentiality of medical records and physicians’ licensure requirements are covered. Prerequisite: None

**MED126 Computers in Healthcare (MED126N - PN grading scale applies)**
4 Credit Hours
30 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours

This course is designed for students in medical assisting, nursing and allied health programs, this course trains introductory Microsoft 2007 skills. As a participant, you will become more prepared for your career as a Medical Professional, in learning how to successfully support the front or back office of a clinic or hospital. Prerequisites: None
MED135 Medical Administrative Procedures
4 Credit Hours
30 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours

This course is designed to develop competencies in front office procedures, including scheduling and time management, telephone technique, procedure codes. This course also familiarizes students with business procedures performed in a medical facility. Students are introduced to various electronic claims, professional fees, credit arrangements, submission, collection and data entry. Emphasis is placed on the practical application of collection procedures, patient billing and data entry and becoming proficient in the use of a billing software program. Prerequisite: MED100

MED140 Medical Practice Procedures
2 Credit Hours
10 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours

This course provides the student with realistic experience, utilizing recorded simulations, that places the student in a medical office environment. The student performs the duties of the medical secretary. Emphasis is placed on administrative duties, with a broad coverage encompassing oral and written communications, documents production, telecommunications, records management, financial records, legal issues and patient relations. Prerequisite: MED100

MED150 Clinical Procedures I
3 Credit Hours
10 Lecture Hours
40 Lab Hours

This course is designed to introduce the student to the medical assistant program and to his/her role as a medical assistant. The student will be introduced to the components of the medical record, how to identify the different types of documents within the medical record and how to prepare charts. The important concepts relating to the measurement of vital signs will also be introduced and the student will have the opportunity to learn several methods of taking temperature, pulse, blood pressure and respiration. Prerequisite: ANA101, MED100

MED155 Clinical Procedures II
3 Credit Hours
10 Lecture Hours
40 Lab Hours

This course is designed to provide the student with an opportunity to learn the principles and methods used to promote tissue healing, and how to assist the physician and patient during a gynecological examination and prenatal care. The student will also be provided with an opportunity to learn how to assist the
physician during a flexible sigmoidoscopic examination. Additionally, the student will be provided with an opportunity to learn how to provide care and treatment to children and infants. Prerequisite: MED150

MED160 Laboratory Procedures I
3 Credit Hours
10 Lecture Hours
40 Lab Hours

This course is designed to develop student skills in a simulated laboratory and will provide the student with an opportunity to learn about laboratory testing as a diagnostic tool as well as the steps that are taken when specimens are tested at an outside laboratory. Specifically, the student will be provided with an opportunity to learn about urinalysis, including the physical, chemical and microscopic analysis of urine. The student will also be provided with the opportunity to learn the proper procedures for collection of various urine specimens. Prerequisite: ANA101, MED100

MED165 Laboratory Procedures II
3 Credit Hours
10 Lecture Hours
40 Lab Hours

This course is designed to assist the student in developing skills in a simulated laboratory setting and will provide the student with an opportunity to learn and develop skills in preparing for and performing venipuncture, as well as learning about the various components of the blood. The student will also be provided with an opportunity to learn the purpose and functions of various blood chemistry tests, including specimen requirements, normal values and those conditions resulting in abnormal values. Prerequisite: MED160

MED170 Transition to Practice
2 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours

This course is designed to guide the student in transitioning school based competencies and philosophies into the real working environment and to track their progress throughout the externship. Prerequisite: Final Quarter Medical Professional Program.

MED175 Medical Assistant Certification Review
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course is designed to help prepare the student to perform well on the Medical AssistantCertifying Examination (CMA) test. The principal guidelines for this course are based on the American Association of Medical Assistants (AAMA) Certification Examination Content Outline. There are four major areas of comprehensive review: General information, administrative procedures, clinical procedures, & a practice exam. Prerequisite: MED155, MED165
MED175P Phlebotomist Certification Review
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours
This course is designed to help prepare the student to perform well on the Phlebotomy Certification Exam. The principal guidelines for this course are based on the American Association of Medical Assistants (AAMA) and the American Medical Technologist (AMT) content outline. Prerequisite: PHL101, PHL102

MED250 Clinical Procedures III
2 Credit Hours
40 Lab Hours
This course is designed to further the student’s skills in a simulated clinical setting and will prepare the student to assist the physician in minor surgical procedures and how to handle medical emergencies. Basic CPR certification will also be provided. Prerequisite: MED150, MED160

MED260 Laboratory Procedures III
2 Credit Hours
40 Lab Hours
This course is designed to develop student skills in a simulated laboratory setting and will provide the student with an opportunity to learn about the important components of sanitation, disinfection and sanitation. The student will additionally have the opportunity to learn about the structure and function of the heart and the purpose of the electrocardiogram as a diagnostic tool, and will also develop skills in performing an EKG and the application of a Holter monitor. Prerequisite: MED150, MED160

MIC100 Microbiology
2 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours
This course introduces a brief history of persons involved with early development of microbiology, the study of microorganisms (fungi, parasites, bacteria, & viruses) in relation to health and disease. Discussed are the impact that these organisms have on the human body in health and wellness. The concepts of infection and immunity will also be examined. Also included will be Standard/Transmission Precautions, OSHA Standards, Health and Safety measures in health care arena. Prerequisites: ANA101N, MED100N, NPN100

MIC101 Microbiology I
4 Credit Hours
30 Lecture Hours
20 Lab Hours
This course is designed to provide, through lecture and lab instruction, further training in the concepts and practices of microbiology with regards to health
and human disease. Lab instruction provides hands-on training in specimen collection, inoculation techniques, staining techniques, microorganism ID in bacteriology. Prerequisites: BIO101, MLT101

**MIC102 Microbiology II**
3 Credit Hours  
20 Lecture Hours  
20 Lab Hours

This course is designed to provide, through lecture and lab instruction, further training in the concepts and practices of microbiology with regards to health and human disease. Lab instruction provides hands-on training in specimen collection, inoculation techniques, and microorganism ID in bacteriology, mycology, virology, and parasitology. Prerequisites: MIC101

**MLT101 Introduction to Medical Laboratory**
4 Credit Hours  
30 Lecture Hours  
20 Lab Hours

This course is designed to increase the student’s general knowledge of the medical laboratory, laboratory safety, instruments, and calculation will also be discussed in this class. Prerequisites: ANA 101, MED 100

**MLT170 Transition to Practice**
1 Credit Hours  
10 Lecture Hours

This course is designed to guide the student in transitioning school based competencies and philosophies into the real working environment and to track their progress throughout the externship. Prerequisites: MLT300

**MLT171 Transition to Practice**
1 Credit Hours  
10 Lecture Hours

This course is designed to guide the student in transitioning school based competencies and philosophies into the real working environment and to track their progress throughout the externship. Prerequisites: MLT301

**MLT201 Hematology**
4 Credit Hours  
20 Lecture Hours  
40 Lab Hours

This course focuses on the hematopoiesis, morphology, and biochemistry of blood cells. There is also an emphasis on the function and disorders of human blood cells. Prerequisites: MLT101 Introduction to Medical Lab
MLT202 Coagulation
4 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours
40 Lab Hours
This course focuses on the pathways of coagulation and the principal tests involved in diagnosing disorders, and to emphasize the procedures for analysis of body fluids and its relationship to diagnoses and treatment of various diseases. This course also gives an overview of the basic concepts of histology, cytology, and other special laboratory procedures. Prerequisites: MLT201 Hematology

MLT203 Immunohematology/ Serology
4 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours
40 Lab Hours
This course focuses on the immune system as it relates to serologic testing. Also understanding of basic immunologic mechanisms. Prerequisites: MLT201

MLT204 Body Fluid Analysis
4 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours
40 Lab Hours
This course is designed to emphasize the procedures for analysis of body fluids and its relationship to diagnosis and treatment of various diseases. This course also gives an overview of the basic concepts of histology, cytology, and other special laboratory procedures. Prerequisites: MLT201Hematology

MLT300 Medical Laboratory Externship
11 Credit Hours
330 Contact Hours
This externship provides a clinical laboratory experience for the students with an approved clinical or hospital laboratory. The externship facility will expose student to the necessary skills required of an MLT. The director or mentor of the facility will evaluate the students’ process in all if the generalist departments of a clinical laboratory. Prerequisites: All courses in the MLT program

MLT301 Medical Laboratory Externship II
11 Credit Hours
330 Contact Hours
This externship provides a clinical laboratory experience for the students with an approved clinical or hospital laboratory. The externship facility will expose student
to the necessary skills required of an MLT. The director or mentor of the facility will evaluate the students’ process in all if the generalist departments of a clinical laboratory. Prerequisites: MLT300 Medical Laboratory Externship I

### MNA100 Medicaid Nurse Aide
6.5 Credit Hours  
40 Lecture  
16 Clinical Hours  
40 Lab Hours

This course is designed to prepare students for entry level employment as a Nurse Aide. The objective of this course is to prepare the nurse aide to provide high quality, direct patient care under the supervision of licensed nurse personnel. Upon completion of the program a nurse aide will have a working knowledge of the physiological, psychological and sociological impact of institutionalization on the nursing facility resident. Upon conclusion of this course students will sit for licensure as a Medicaid Nurse Aide.

### NPN100N Introduction to Practical Nursing
6 Credit Hours  
30 Lecture  
90 Clinical Hours

Introduction to history of nursing, health care system, roles and responsibilities of healthcare team with emphasis on nursing; role of practical nursing, development of therapeutic communication skills, legal standards for nursing practice, KBN regulations, development awareness of culture and diversity, importance of professional and student organization, and physical assessment skills. Prerequisites: MNA, CPR/HCP

### NPN110 Fundamentals of Practical Nursing/Role of the Practical Nurse
6 Credit Hours  
30 Lecture  
90 Clinical Hours

Introduction to practical nursing skills procedures requiring medical/surgical asepsis and “Nursing Process” as a basis for problem solving related to needs of general physical and emotional condition of the client across the lifespan; emphasis on nursing documentation and subsequent care which will meet the legal standard of nursing practice. It is designed to progress from the simple to the more complex. Students will practice basic skills, techniques in the Fundamental laboratory and then progressing to the clinical experiences which will be area hospitals, long term care facilities, rehabilitation units, clinics and community settings. Prerequisites: NPN100, ANA101N Corequisite: MED100N
NPN120 Medical Surgical Nursing I
6 Credit Hours
30 Lecture Hours
90 Clinical Hours

This course introduces concepts of health and illness. This course provides essential information relative to the management of patients with health problems resulting from alterations in various body systems. Emphasis is placed on providing safe and knowledgeable nursing care to adults while utilizing critical thinking within the nursing process. Selected topics of system disorders include: cardiovascular, respiratory, musculoskeletal, and integumentary. Laboratory and clinical experiences are designed to compliment, integrate, and enhance this knowledge of health alterations and to assist with the application of holistic and therapeutic nursing care to adults in a variety of clinical settings. Prerequisites: PHA100, NUT100, MIC100

NPN130 Medical Surgical Nursing II
4 Credit Hours
20 Lecture
40 Clinical Hours

This course is a continuation of Medical Surgical Nursing; areas of study include alternations in hematological, lymphatic/immune, endocrine, and gastrointestinal. Emphasis is placed on the application of the nursing process and health promotion in the support of basis human needs, critical thinking, and providing clients with safe and competent care; including principles that govern practical nursing standards. Prerequisites: NPN120, PSY100

NPN131 Pediatric Nursing
4 Credit Hours
30 Lecture
20 Clinical Hours

This course introduces concepts in the application of caring for children in various phases of development. The stages of childhood development that are examined include the newborn, infant, toddler, preschooler, school-age child, and the adolescent. The focus is on basic growth and development, and on nursing care in children with real and potential health disorders, common within the pediatric population. Essential information is presented that is necessary for the understanding of health and health alterations in children and the roles and responsibilities of the practical nurse. Laboratory and clinical experiences provide opportunities in applying the nursing process while caring for and meeting the needs of the pediatric client in a variety of diverse clinical settings. Prerequisites: NPN120, PSY100

NPN140 Medical Surgical Nursing III
6 Credit Hours
30 Lecture
90 Clinical Hours
This course is a continuation of Medical Surgical Nursing II. This course provides essential information relative to the management of patients with health problems resulting from alterations in various body systems. Emphasis is placed on providing safe and knowledgeable nursing care to adults while utilizing critical thinking within the nursing process and practicing within the scope of Practical Nursing. Selected topics of system disorders include: neurologic, sensory, renal, and reproductive. Laboratory and clinical experiences are designed to complement, integrate, and enhance this knowledge of health alterations and to assist with the application of holistic and therapeutic nursing care to adults in a variety of clinical settings. Prerequisites: NPN130, NPN131, PHA200

**NPN141 Maternal/Newborn Nursing**
4 Credit Hours
25 Lecture
45 Clinical Hours

This course introduces the concepts of the reproductive processes. This course presents essential information necessary for understanding health and the issues in the well-being of the childbearing family. Emphasis is placed on the application of nursing care for the maternal/newborn clients during their antepartum, intrapartum, and postpartum phases within scope of legal and ethical parameters of Practical Nursing standards. Laboratory and clinical opportunities provide experience in applying the nursing process in the prenatal period, during labor and delivery, the postpartum period in a variety of clinical settings. Prerequisites: NPN130, NPN131, PHA200

**NPN151 Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing**
4 Credit Hours
25 Lecture
45 Clinical

This course introduces the concepts of psychiatric health. This course presents essential information necessary for understanding mental health and illness. The focus is placed on the application of the nursing process in caring for clients who experience mental health alterations and by incorporating the roles and responsibilities of the psychiatric nurse. Emphasis is placed on the restoration and protection of the mental health of individuals and groups. Clinical experiences allow for opportunities to provide care to clients with psychiatric issues. A variety of clinical settings will be used to provide learning experiences in the continuum of mental health treatment using the standard legal scope of Practical Nursing. Prerequisites: NPN130, NPN131, PHA200

**NPN152 Long Term Care/Geriatric Nursing/Palliative Care/Leadership**
4 Credit Hours
25 Lecture
45 Clinical Hours

This course presents the concepts and principles of Gerontological nursing. This course provides the necessary information for understanding the processes of
normal aging. The focus is on gaining knowledge that will assist in maximizing the health promotion and maintenance of the geriatric client. Emphasis is placed on special topics in caring for the older adult that includes: physiologic and cognitive alterations, social needs, end of life care, along with nutritional, communication, and safety issues. Clinical experiences are designed to allow for the integration of the nursing process while caring for the aging population in a variety of settings. Prerequisites: NPN130, NPN131

NUT100 Nutrition
2 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours

This course provides the student with an introduction to the principles of nutritional needs and its relationship in maintaining health during infancy, childhood, adolescence, young, middle, and late adulthood. The chemical substances (nutrients: carbohydrates, fats, proteins, vitamins, minerals & water) that are necessary for life are examined along with variations in food patterns based on individual cultures, religions, and philosophies. Included will be U.S. Government Guidelines for Americans. Prerequisites: ANA101N, NPN100 Corequisite: MED100N

PHA100 Pharmacology/Medication Math I
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course provides an introduction of the study of drugs, examined are the concepts of measurement of systems, drug orders, drug labels, and drug dosage calculations. Emphasis will be placed on techniques used to administer commonly used drugs; included are the classifications, indications, actions, contraindications, side effects, nursing implications for administration and pertinent client teaching in the use of these various agents. Also included will be; ethical and legal responsibilities of the practical nurse in administering medications and common therapeutic and diagnostic procedure with pharmacological implications. Prerequisites: NPN100, ANA101N, MED100N

PHA200 Pharmacology/Medication Math II
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course is a continuation of Pharmacology/Medication Math I, including the introduction of Intravenous Therapy along with preparation, assessment, planning, implementation, calculation of IV flow rates. Emphasis is placed on the classification of drugs that are prescribed to treat cardiovascular, endocrine, respiratory, gastrointestinal, reproductive disorders, vaccines and drugs that interfere with microbial growth. Included is the developmental skills for administration of oral and parenteral medications denoting and using the nursing process. Also included will be Kentucky Board of Nursing guidelines for administration of medications within the scope of Practical Nursing. Prerequisites: NPN120, PSY100, PHA100, PHL101, PHL102, PHL103, PHL104
**PHL101 Phlebotomy Lab I**
3 Credit Hours
10 Lecture Hours
40 Lab Hours

This course was designed to provide, through lecture and lab instruction, the theoretical basis for phlebotomy and venipuncture techniques. Didactic lectures cover the history of the phlebotomist’s role, as well as roles of various clinical laboratory personnel. Lab instruction provides hands-on training in interpersonal communication, safety and infection control, as well as an introduction into venipuncture technique.

**PHL102 Phlebotomy Lab II**
6 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours
80 Lab Hours

This program was designed to provide, through lecture and lab instruction, training in venipuncture. Lab instruction provides hands-on training in venipuncture technique with procedures verified through a skills check-off system. Prerequisites: PHL 101

**PHL102N Phlebotomy Lab II**
4 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours
40 Lab Hours

This program was designed to provide, through lecture and lab instruction, training in venipuncture. Lab instruction provides hands-on training in venipuncture technique with procedures verified through a skills check-off system.

**PHL103 Phlebotomy Lab III**
3 Credit Hours
10 Lecture Hours
40 Lab Hours

This program was designed to provide, through lecture and lab instruction, training in venipuncture and capillary puncture technique, as well as the collection of special blood tests. Prerequisites: PHL 102

**PHL104 Phlebotomy Clinical**
4 Credit Hours
120 Clinical Hours

This program was designed to provide, through lecture and lab instruction, training in venipuncture and capillary puncture technique, as well as the collection of special blood tests. Clinical observation experience provides the student an opportunity to visit and work in a medical office environment. The student will be exposed to day-to-day operations of the medical office as it relates to
phlebotomy. The student will be evaluated by the work site as they apply skills learned in the classroom in a practical environment. This class will provide an opportunity for the student to observe a phlebotomist in an actual work setting. Prerequisites: Class must be taken in the last quarter of the phlebotomy program.

**PRA100 Integrated Practicum**
4 Credit Hours
120 Clinical Hours

This practicum consists of concentrated direct patient care in a health care facility. The clinical hours must be completed within the last seven week period. Students must show competence in application and critical thinking to be successful in this course.

during the final quarter of the nursing program as regulated by the Kentucky Board of Nursing. This is described as a “capstone experience” that is defined by the Board as being “an opportunity for students to demonstrate that they have achieved the goals for learning established by their educational institution or major.” Prerequisites: Successful completion of all Practical Nursing courses.

**PSY101 Introduction to Psychology**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course is designed to show students how psychology helps them understand themselves and the world, and uses psychological principles to illuminate the variety of opportunities they have in their lives and their careers. Prerequisite: None

**PSY100 Psychology/growth & Development**
2 Credit Hours
20 Lecture Hours

This course introduces developmental theories of Freud, Piaget, Jung, Erickson, Kohlberg, Havinghurst and Maslow of human growth and development; emphasis is placed on the psychological development of the human being over the life span from infancy throughout life’s developmental stages of maturity and old age. Prerequisites: MIC100, NUT100, PHA100

**PTH100 Pathology**
4 Credit Hours
40 Lecture Hours

This course will provide the student with the basic concepts underlying various pathological processes. The student will study the pathogenesis of diseases, learn their mechanism and understand how they develop. The student will also learn the etiology of pathologic changes and understand the causes of many diseases. Prerequisite: ANA 101
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