

# Nurse Aide Certificate Program CN21

## Curriculum

### Program-Specific Core – Total of 13 Hours

- ALHS 1040 *Introduction to Healthcare* (3)\*
- ALHS 1060 *Diet & Nutrition for ALHS* (2)\*
- ALHS 1090 *Medical Terminology* (2)\*
- NAST 1100 *Nurse Aid Fundamentals* (6)\*

### Total: 13 Hours

\* A minimum grade of C is required in all courses for this program.

### Program Description

The Nurse Aide technical certificate of credit prepares students with classroom training and practice as well as the clinical experiences necessary to care for patients in various settings including general medical and surgical hospitals, nursing care facilities, community care facilities for the elderly, and home health care services. Students who successfully complete the Nurse Aide technical certificate of credit may be eligible to sit for the National Nurse Aide Assessment program (NNAAP) which determines competency to become enrolled in the State Nurse Aide Registry.

### Program Specific Information

Students are accepted each semester based on space and course availability.

All ALHS courses must be taken prior to taking NAST 1100.

Students must complete ALL COURSES with a grade of C or higher in order to graduate.

NNAAP test *must* be taken within one year of program completion.

Please be advised that though a student may complete Nurse Aide coursework while under the age of 18, many employers require individuals to be at least 18 for employment.

### Program Length & Availability

2 Semesters

Campus Availability: Oakwood, Forsyth, Jackson, Barrow, Dawson

### Admissions Requirements

- Must be 16 years of age.
- ACCUPLACER Testing, or submit SAT, ACT, CPE, COMPASS, or ASSET test scores.

### Graduation Requirements

Although a High School Transcript or GED is not required for admission to this program, one must be provided showing proof of graduation/completion *before* any credential may be awarded from Lanier Technical College.

### Financial Aid

This program is not eligible for the Pell Grant, but may be eligible for Institutional and State Financial Aid.

Contact a Financial Aid Counselor for eligibility requirements and application materials.

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