

Residential Care Technician

Diploma Program

ECT2

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Curriculum

Basic Skills – Total of 8 Hours

- ENGL 1010 *Fundamentals of English I* (3)
- MATH 1012 *Foundations of Mathematics* (3)

- PSYC 1010 *Basic Psychology* (3) - OR -
- EMPL 1000 *Interpersonal Relations* (2)

Program-Specific Core – Total of 29 Hours

- ALHS 1011 *Structure/Function-Human Body* (5)
- ALHS 1040 *Introduction to Healthcare* (3)
- ALHS 1060 *Diet & Nutrition for ALHS* (2)
- ALHS 1090 *Medical Terminology* (2)
- ALHS 1180 *Cultural Diversity & Health* (3)
- COMP 1000 *Introduction to Computers* (3)
- NAST 1100 *Nurse Aid Fundamentals* (6)
- GERT 1000 *Understanding Geriatric Client* (2)
- GERT 1020 *Behavioral Aspects of Aging* (2)
- GERT 1030 *Gerontological Nutrition* (1)

Choose a Specialization – Total of 8 Hours

Phlebotomy Specialization

- PHLT 1030 *Introduction to Venipuncture* (3)
- PHLT 1050 *Clinical Practice* (5)

Residential Care Specialization

- RCAT 1000 *Residential Care Fundamentals* (3)
- RCAT 1030 *Residential Care Procedure* (5)

Total: 45 Hours

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Program Description

The Residential Care Technician diploma provides the basic knowledge and skills needed to qualify for employment as a healthcare technician in nursing homes, elder personal care homes, assisted living facilities, hospice centers, residential care facilities, and home healthcare agencies. It emphasizes geriatric patient care, CPR, and first aid and gives students the option of specializing in residential care or phlebotomy.

Program Specific Information

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

Program Length & Availability

4 Semesters

Campus Availability: Oakwood, Jackson

Admissions Requirements

- Must be 16 years of age.
- High school diploma or GED is required prior to admission.
(Official transcripts or GED scores must be submitted from all colleges and/or high schools attended for credit.)
- ACCUPLACER Testing, or submit SAT, ACT, CPE, COMPASS, or ASSET test scores.

Financial Aid

This program is eligible for the Pell Grant and may be eligible for Institutional and State Financial Aid. Contact a Financial Aid Counselor for eligibility requirements and application materials.

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