

BASIC NURSE ASSISTANT TRAINING

The Basic Nurse Assistant Training Program is a study of principles and procedures used by the nurse assistant in long-term care, home health settings and hospitals. Through lecture/discussion/role plan, supervised laboratory and actual clinical experience, students are provided with the knowledge and skills needed to provide basic nursing care for patients in hospitals, nursing homes, private duty, and other healthcare facilities. Upon successful completion of all program requirements students will be eligible to take the Illinois Nurse Aide Competency Examination administered by the Southern Illinois University of Carbondale. Students will receive a Certificate of Completion from First Step to Excellence Health Care Training Academy, Ltd.

BNATP

6 WEEK COURSE 120 HOURS (80 theory/hybrid class delivery) 40 face to face clinical.

LECTURE/LAB (DAY SCHEDULE) Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 10:00 am – 3:15pm

CLINICAL – THURSDAY 6:45 AM – 3:45 PM

LECTURE/LAB (EVENING SCHEDULE) Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm

CLINICAL – SATURDAY 6:45AM – 3:45 PM

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

17 years of age: 16 years of age if still in High School (with parents' signature approval)

High school diploma/GED * High School students submit recent transcripts.

Placement exam (Math and Reading – 80% pass rate for both exams – 2 attempts provided)

Physical (include Immunization History, TB screen, COVID test) * Note some facilities may require weekly COVID testing.

Health Care Workers Screen (Applicants with disqualifying felony convictions are discouraged from continuing admission into the program until a Waiver from the Illinois Department of Public Health is obtained.

Interview with Education Manager and/or Chief of Nursing Operations

TUITION FEE

TUITION \$950.00 Registration fee \$325.00 (\$100.00 is nonrefundable) Remaining balance may be placed on a payment plan.

ADDITIONAL OUT OF POCKET STUDENT EXPENSES

- **Monogrammed uniform \$50.00 (additional fees for XL and above)**
- **Watch with second hand (NO APPLE WATCH)**
- **Stethoscope**
- **Blood pressure cuff**
- **Gait belt**
- **Background check \$37.00**
- **Drug Screen \$25.00**
- **State Comprehensive Exam \$75.00**