

Certified Nurse Assistant

CNA

The UBEOC offers a FREE 9 week Certified Nurse Assisting program and 6-week recertification program. Learn the hands-on skills necessary to provide excellent patient care and sit for the CNA examination. Upon successful completion of this program, students receive a NYS Nurse Assistant Certification as well as certifications for Electronic Health Records, CPR, and customer service. Starting wages for a CNA is around \$12/hour!

Preparation

Instruction includes intro to communication + healthcare, CNA core competencies, professional development,+ more!

Requirements

NYS ID
Proof of Income
Immunization Records
HS Diploma/GED
TABE Scores: 8.0 R | 6.0 M
Typing Speed: 25 words per minute

Registration

Visit Buffalo EOC to complete an application or apply online at buffalo.edu/eoc
Bring all required documents and you will be registered for orientation.

*Class Times:
M-W 9am-2pm
Recertification
Th-F 9am-2pm
*Subject to change

Need a high school diploma? EOC can help!

CNA Requirements

STAR Program, Prerequisites, + Testing:

Start Orientation and STAR Program is an 8-day academic series to prepare you for TABE placement testing. During the Start orientation, we will guide you through your EOC career, introduce your counselor, and provide you with strategies for successful completion of your program. The STAR Program will provide math and reading skills review for the TABE placement test which will be given on the final day of the program.

Testing- During TABE you will be tested on your math and reading skills. Applicants must score 8.0 in reading and 6.0 in math on the TABE test to be eligible for the CNA classes.

Prerequisites- students are required to interview with Allied Health faculty and provide a resume and two letters of recommendation. Students must also complete a medical skills prep course and other online health certifications.

Immunization Records- present an up-to-date immunization form prior to the start of classes.

Dress + Appearance- Uniform scrubs and comfortable sneakers are required. Facial piercings must be removed, nails must be kept short (fake nails and polish are prohibited).

Estimated Fees:

- 2 pair of green of scrubs - \$40
- 1 white lab coat - \$40
- 1 pair of white or black sneakers - \$55
- 1 earphones/headset - \$10
- 3-ring binder - \$5

Apply today! CNA only accepts the first 15 qualified students .

CNA Re-certification only accepts the first 60 qualified students.