



Nurse Aide Training

RACC's certificate program is Approved by the Pennsylvania Department of Education (PDE) and is designed to prepare individuals for nurse aide jobs in the healthcare field.

How long does it take to complete?

The program is 120 hours with 42 hours of classroom instruction and 24 hours of lab practice on the RACC Campus. The remaining 54 hours of clinical instruction takes place at a Berks County Area long-term care facility. Ask for a calendar for specific dates and times.

What does this program cost?

The cost for the program is \$1,390.00.

Are there additional costs?

Yes. You are responsible for the cost of the medical exam, PA State criminal background check, uniforms, shoes, and a \$20 administrative fee.

Is financial aid available?

No, this program is not eligible for financial aid

Are there scholarships?

Yes! The Mae W. Langan Scholarship offers students up to \$790.00 towards the Nurse Aide Program. Applications must be submitted at least two weeks prior to your program start date.

What are the requirements?

Please call 610.375.8188 or visit racc.edu/careertraining to complete an interest form.



Are there medical requirements?

The responsibilities of the training candidate requires the full use of hands, arms and legs; the ability to stand for extended periods of time (5+ hours), and the ability to perform tasks that include bending, pulling, pushing, and lifting a minimum of 50 pounds without restrictions. The trainee must also be free of communicable diseases and have no conditions that would affect the trainee's performance.

How do I get started?

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