



# Health Science Professions

## Program Description

First year students will focus on a wide variety of medical careers. They will explore all five pathways of the Health Science cluster while paying close attention to Diagnostic and Therapeutic Services. This class provides the returning highly motivated, second year student an in depth study of a specific medical field. An individualized education plan will be developed for each student and consist of three components: related class work, college level courses and internship placement. Internships are long term, and some are paid experiences for students to complete their training. Employment opportunities may become available after completion of the program.

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## Related Professions

- All professional medical positions
- All technical medical positions
- Various medical occupational certifications

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## Articulations:

Davenport College (up to 38 credits)

Delta College

HSC 105-Medical Terminology (2 credits)

Macomb Community College

Oakland Community College:

MED 1103-Medical Terminology (3 credits)

St. Clair County Community College

HE 102-Medical Terminology (2 credits)

## Possible Certifications:

Medical Assisting Career Diploma

Dental Assisting Career Diploma

EKG Technician Certification

Phlebotomy Certification

Optician Career Diploma

Occupational Therapy Aide Career Diploma

Physical Therapy Aide Career Diploma

Pharmacy Technician Certificate

## Program Success Indicators

### Academic

- Science/general biology
- Interest in program
- Keyboarding skills
- Able to read and write at age appropriate level
- Algebra I & II
- Calculate percentages

### Interpersonal

- Positive attitude/dependable attendance
- Able to follow directions
- Age appropriate social skills
- Teamwork skills
- Open minded and patient; with sense of empathy
- Good communication skills

### Program specific

- Willing to work with all age level clients
- Enjoy physical activity, working at fast pace, and working with people
- Able to adhere to confidentiality requirements
- Able to follow health and safety rules
- TB test as of September 1 each year
- HBV series started by September 1 prior to enrollment
- No felony or certain misdemeanor convictions

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