

Nursing Services & Support Occupations

Includes Nurse Assistant, Acute Care for Nursing, and Home Health Aide training.

Federal Financial Aid available for those who qualify for Pell Grant.

LOCATION	TIME	DAYS	TERM	CLOCK HOURS	FEE*
Don F. Kenny Regional Learning Center - Main Campus, Indio	8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	T-F	22 weeks	600	\$4,685
Alessandro Branch - Branch Campus, Riverside	8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	T-F	22 weeks	600	\$4,685

**Program fee DOES NOT include enrollment prerequisites, immunizations, health clearances, program requirements, or required materials.*

**Schedules and fees are subject to change without notice.*

This is a combination course that consists of Nurse Assistant, Acute Care for Nursing, and Home Health Aide training. Instruction includes:

- Nurse Assistant training to prepare students to take the California competency exam to become a Certified Nurse Assistant (CNA).
- Students will be prepared to become a Certified Home Health Aide.
- Patient observation and reporting, communication skills, and taking vital signs.
- Patient care skills such as feeding, hygiene care, and helping with walking and exercise.
- Training in illnesses and disabilities as related to the life cycle.
- Emphasis on acute care areas such as emergency, intensive care, medical/surgical, and cardiac.

Admission Requirements

- Proof of high school diploma or equivalent.
- Successful completion of required assessment test.
- Current government-issued photo ID.
- Social Security card.

Program Requirements

- Maintain a minimum 76% grade average and a 93% attendance rate.
- Basic keyboarding and computer skills to facilitate learning of software.
- 237 Clinical hours included in program.
- Fingerprinting and background check may be required.

Included in the Cost of Program Fees

- Textbooks.
- Two uniform sets.
- American Heart Association Basic Life Support (BLS) CPR training and card.

Where would I work?

- Skilled nursing facility.
- Hospital.
- Assisted living facility.
- Residential health agency.

What wages can I expect?

MEDIAN 2016 WAGES*		
	Hourly	Annually
California	\$14.29	\$29,725
Inland Empire	\$13.60	\$28,298

*Data based upon Occupation Employment Statistics (OES) Survey Results for Nurse Assistants in California: www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov

Completion, Placement, and Licensure available on website at www.riversidesce.org

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