

Medical Assistant

Application & Registration Form

541.880.2243 ce@klamathcc.edu

Program Mission:

Students will be eligible to take the NHA(National Healthcare Association) certification exam to become a certified medical assistant. Students will be able to earn a non-credit training certificate from Klamath Community College.

Course Description:

This 20-week course has 6 hours of classroom instruction per week and a 90-hour internship with a local provider to practice providing patient care on real patients. Clinical Medical Assistant is a medical support professional that performs a variety of tasks to assist physicians in providing patient care. This course will provide the student the skills needed to sit for the NHA (National Healthcareer Association) certification exam.

Participation and attendance are mandatory to be placed in an internship and to take the national certification exam. You are allowed two absences during this program, which you should save for illness and emergencies that prevent you from attending class.

This course has a student cap of 15 students. Students will be entered into the program on a first come, first serve basis.

Prerequisites & Program requirements:

- High school graduate or GED equivalent
- Must be 18 years or older before class starts.
- Up to date on all vaccinations (Provide copy)
- Hepatitis B vaccine series & Tuberculin (TB) skin test (Provide copy)
- COVID-19 vaccination is required by Oregon Health Authority to participate in clinical internship.

Requirements to be completed during training:

- BLS American Heart Association card
- Bloodborne Pathogens training

- Completion of agreement & internship orientation with clinic prior to internship
- Completion of 90- hour internship
- Start online application for Medical Assistant Certification on NHA website
- Schedule time and date to take Exam (cost of exam is included in the cost of the program if the studenttakes the exam within 6 months of completing the course)
- Pass a random Drug Screen & Background check (No refunds due to inability to pass background check/drug screen)
- Attend resume workshop

*Screening can be conducted any time prior to the start of internship. All applicants understand that inability to pass the drug screen and/or background check will affect their ability to complete internship and program requirements.

*Disclaimer: Although marijuana may be legal in the state of Oregon for adults over the age of 21, most providers do not allow it and therefore we cannot accept any student into the internship that tests positive for marijuana on their drug screen.

If you have any questions about your ability to meet these requirements, please contact the Workforce/Community Education Department Coordinator at 541-880-2243.

Course Topics:

- 1. Foundational Knowledge and Basic Science
- 2. Anatomy and Physiology
- 3. Patient Care Coordination, and Education
- 4. Administrative Assisting
- 5. Communication and Customer Service
- 6. Medical Law and Ethics
- 7. Clinical Patient Care
- · Patient Intake and Vitals (14 items)
- · General Patient Care (28 items)
- · Infection Control and Safety (15 items)
- · Point of Care Testing and Laboratory Procedures
- Phlebotomy
- · EKG and Cardiovascular

Schedule:

Dates: 9/30/2025-03/05/2026

Our Medical Assistant program is offered once a year during the Fall/Winter term. It is two days a week, Tuesday and Thursday, 6pm-9pm. Fridays starting 1/09-01/30, 5pm-8pm these scheduled labs are mandatory.

Course Supplies:

All supplies including a textbook is provided to all students. Students will need to purchase pressure cuff and scrubs.

Course Cost: \$2,500

Payment is due the first week of class. This class is not eligible for financial aid. A payment plan is available in installments of three. Please inquire with the Cashier's Office in Building 9.

Student Grant Options:

KCC Foundation Scholarships

Non-credit/Apprenticeship (EAO) scholarshipStudentEmergency Scholarship Contact: Lisa Carter,541-880-2234,carter@klamathcc.edu

• STEP Program at Klamath Community College

Must be receiving SNAP benefits (food stamps). Contact: Reynda Scobee, STEP Coordinator, 541-880-2343, Scobee@klamathcc.edu

• STEP Program at Worksource

Must be receiving SNAP benefits (food stamps). 30-day eligibility period Contact: Tangie, Lead STEP Coordinator, Tangie.M.MCREYNOLDS@employ.oregon.gov or visit Worksource to make an appointment.

Workforce Innovation Opportunity Act (WIOA) Federal Program at Worksource & Klamath Works

Must be receiving SNAP, TANF, SSI, Dislocated worker/displaced homemaker or low-income. 30-day eligibility period

Contact: Tina Scotton, WIOA Manager, 541-591-4667, tina@klamathworks.com

Vocational Rehabilitation training funds

Voc. Rehab assists individuals with disabilities for job placement that matches their skills, interest, and abilities.

Contact: Tammi 541-883-5614

Job Placement:

A resume and cover letter class are included in this course. KCC also has a Career.

Center located in Building 4. They are able to provide job search assistance, resume, cover letter, and interviewing techniques.

Application/Registration Process:

- Applications will be received first come, first serve starting at 9am on Monday, September 15th. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.
- You will receive a letter of admissions to your email with next steps.

Contact:

Workforce/Community Education Coordinator ce@klamathcc.edu
541-880-2243 (text/call)



Student Printed Name

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Student Signature

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HEPATITIS B VACCINATION HEALTH PROFESSION STUDENTS

HEPATITIS B VIRUS (HBV) causes a viral infection, which involves the liver. The spectrum of disease ranges from asymptomatic infection to fulminant disease, which may lead to death. Six to ten percent of infected young adults become carriers of the infection. Over 25 percent of these carriers develop chronic active Hepatitis, which often progresses to cirrhosis. There has been an association demonstrated between the Hepatitis B carrier state and the occurrence of liver cancer. The disease is spread by introducing infected blood or body fluids into the body by percutaneous or permucosal routes, i.e. sharps injury, getting infected blood or body fluids into non-intact skin or on mucous membranes, and by sexual contact and intravenous drug use. There is evidence that there is increased risk of HBV infection for health care workers who have frequent contact with blood and body fluids. In addition, more virulent form of Hepatitis is associated with superinfection or coinfection by Delta virus. Delta virus can only infect and cause illness in persons with Hepatitis B infection. Therefore, persons immune to HBV infection are also immune to Delta virusinfection.

HEPATITIS B VACCINE immunizes against infection caused by all known subtypes of HBV. It is a vaccine prepared fromcultures of a recombinant strain of yeast Saccharomyces cervisiae. The vaccine contains thimerosol (a mercury derivative) and as preservative.

INDICATIONS FOR USE: Hepatitis B vaccine is indicated for persons at increased risk for developing HBV infection andwho are demonstrated to be susceptible to HBV. Risk is based on frequency of contact with blood or body fluids.

Healthcare workers without occupational exposure to blood or body fluids are at no greater risk of infection then thegeneral population.

PRIMARY ADULT VACCINATION consists of a series of three intramuscular injections of one ml. each. The first dose isgiven at the selected date. The second and third doses follow the first by one and six months, respectively.

Administration of doses at longer intervals may be equally protective but optimal protection is not achieved until afterthe third dose. Vaccination of carriers will not cause harmful or beneficial effects.

ANTIBODY TESTING prior to receiving Hepatitis B vaccine is recommended to determine the immune status of theindividual. Post-vaccine antibody testing is also recommended to determine immunity induced by the vaccine.

REVACCINATION NONRESPONDERS: When persons who do not respond to the primary vaccine series a revaccinated, 15%-25% produce an adequate antibody response after one additional dose and 30%-50% after three additional doses.

BOOSTER DOSES for adults with normal immune status, booster doses of vaccine are not recommended, nor is routineserologic testing to assess antibody status after the primary post-vaccine antibody screening.

SIDE EFFECTS consist mostly of pain at the injection site (3%-29%) and a slight fever (1% to 6%).

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PRECAUTIONS: Persons with hypersensitivity or allergic reaction to yeast or any other vaccine

be considered a contraindication to vaccination.

components should not begiven recombinant Hepatitis B vaccine. Neither pregnancy nor lactation should



HIPPA CONFIDENTIALITY STATEMENT

I understand that during my clinical rotations I may have access to confidential information about clients, patients, their families and clinical facilities. I understand that Imust maintain confidentiality of all verbal, written or electronic information and in some instances, the information may be protected by law, such as state practice acts or other regulatory standards. In addition, the client's right to privacy by judiciously protecting information of a confidential nature is part of the health professionals expected behavior.

Through this understanding and relationship to professional trust, I agree to discuss confidential information only in the clinical setting as it pertains to patient care and notwhere visitors and/or other patients may overhear it.

During each clinical rotation in the education program, I agree to follow each agency's established procedure on maintaining confidentiality.

STUDENT SIGNATURE	DATE	
PRINTED NAME		



WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INFORMED CONSENT

As a participant in the Klamath Community College (KCC) Phlebotomy Program, I have read, understand, and agree to the following:

- I willingly consent to participate in all laboratory treatments and practice sessions as a human subject (i.e. patient) for educational purposes at Klamath Community College. These treatmentsmay be rendered by faculty or by fellow students.
- As a participant in a phlebotomy training program, I may be exposed to a
 variety of hazards andrisks of injury, foreseen or unforeseen. While proper
 industry safety procedures will be discussed in the program, Klamath
 Community College and its program partners cannot eliminate the potential
 for such injuries. Furthermore, it is my responsibility to disclose any
 information or medical issues that will limit or bar me from the above
 participation to the Instructor in a timely manner.
- I agree that I am personally responsible for all risks associated with participation in the KCC Phlebotomy Program. To the fullest extent allowed by law, I agree to waive, release, discharge, and hold harmless Klamath Community College, its Board of Education, and all of its officers, agents, employees, and representatives from any and all liability, claims, causes of action, or demands arising out of any injuries to me or my property which may result from my participation in the KCC Phlebotomy Program.
- I willingly consent to appear in photographs, transparencies, films, videotapes, and other formsof media, for educational and informational purposes at Klamath Community College.
- I willing consent to give the Health Science Program Director or Klamath Community College Designee permission to give my Student Identification Number and other personal information to the Klamath Community College clinical affiliations and licensure/registration authorities forappropriate reasons. I willingly consent to give the Community Education Department permission to release drug testing results, or Criminal Offender Record Information (CORI) to clinic sites that may require such information as terms of their contract with Klamath Community College for clinical affiliations.

STUDENT SIGNATURE	DATE	
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MEDIA RELEASE

	KCC, and any additional agencies (indicated here) to use my image, likeness, or name in media releases,
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complete a separate form for said person.

FERPA Consent to Release Student Information

Office of Registrar · Building 3 · 7390 South Sixth Street · Klamath Falls, OR 97603

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Persons to whom information	can be released:		
Name:		Relationship:	

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All listed persons will have access to the initialed information/ departments above. If a person shall have access to different information than listed, student must

 $Please\ provide\ the\ contact\ information\ for\ the\ previously\ stated\ persons\ to\ whom\ information\ can\ be\ released.$

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I acknowledge by my signature that I understand that, although I am not required to the above-named person(s). I understand that this release will remain in effect unby Klamath Community College.	
Student Signature	Date
	Return to Enrollment Services
	Received By:Date:

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