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Patient Care Technician

Prestige Nurse Aide Training Academy is excited about the idea of combining all 3 of our programs in modules over a 5 month time frame.

- ❖ The students will start the Patient Care Technician Program with the CNA Module. During this module, the basis of Communication, Patient Care, Bedside Manner, Infection Control, Medical Terminology, Vital Signs, Calculation of Intake and Output, Collecting Specimens (Urine, Feces, Sputum), Reporting Observations, HIPAA, Patients Rights, and Legalities will be covered. The State Certification Exam for Certified Nursing Assistant will also be taken.
- The Second Module will be the Phlebotomy Technician Program: The program will reinforce Patient Identification, Communication, Patients Rights, HIPAA, and Medical Terminology. Anatomy and Physiology will be covered with emphasis on the Circulatory and Vascular Systems. The components of blood, coagulation/anticoagulation, order of draw and additives, handling specimens, labeling, and proper techniques identifying veins and addressing difficult veins. The students will adhere to the Phlebotomy Technician grading scale and mandated requirement of 25 successful Veinpunctures and 25 Capillary sticks. A separate national certification may be taken after this module if the student chooses to become a Nationally Certified Phlebotomy Technician (NCPT).
- The final Module of the Patient Care Technician Program will incorporate the EKG Technician program. Students will focus on how to properly place leads for 12-Lead EKG Recording. They will learn how to trouble shoot, and distinguish between rhythms and artifact. The basic cardiac rhythms, lethal rhythms, and heart blocks will be emphasized. Students will learn how to calculate heart rate utilizing the EKG paper and how to measure intervals using EKG calipers. All students will become American Heart CPR Certified for HealthCare Providers. A separate national certification may be taken if a student chooses to become a National Certified EKG Technician.

After completion of all three modules students will sit for the Patient Care Technician (PCT) Exam. Students have the opportunity to take one certification and become a PCT or take 4 certifications within the 5 months.

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The students resume will become very impressive with all these certifications listed.

- Certified Nursing Assistant
- National Certified Phlebotomy Technician
- National Certified EKG Technician
- National Certified Patient Care Technician
- American Heart Health Care Provider CPR Certification

BE ON YOUR WAY TO AN EXCITING CAREER IN HEALTH CARE IN AS LITTLE AS 5 MONTHS!!!!

Tuition cost 2200.00 BOOKS INCLUDED \$550 at registration to start Payment Plan \$550 monthly for 4 months

• Please note that the certification exam fees are \$90 each and not included in the tuition.