Health Care Assistant Certificate (Surgical Technology Track) (HA21)

DESCRIPTION
The Health Care Assistant technical certificate of credit is a program that provides academic foundations at the certificate level in communications, mathematics, and human relations, as well as technical fundamentals. Program graduates are trained in the underlying fundamentals of health care delivery and are well prepared for employment and subsequent upward mobility.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES
Graduates will be able to perform a variety of duties to assist the medical and technical staff.

ADMISSIONS CRITERIA
1. Submit a completed application and application fee;
2. Be at least 17 years of age;
3. Submit official high school transcript or GED transcript;
4. Submit official college transcripts, if applicable;
5. Meet the following assessment requirements:

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HEALTH CARE ASSISTANT CERTIFICATE CURRICULUM
The curriculum for the Health Care Assistant certificate program is designed for the semester system. A student may enter the program any semester. To graduate, certificate-seeking students must earn a minimum of 30 semester credit hours. The program requires a minimum of 540 contact hours and generally takes 2 semesters to complete.

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<th>Program Courses</th>
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<td>ALHS 1040 – Introduction to Health Care*</td>
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<td>ALHS 1090 – Medical Terminology for Allied Health Sciences* (OL)</td>
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<td>COLL 1010- College and Career Success Skills* (OL)</td>
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<td>CSSSP 1010 – Central Sterile Supply Processing Technician</td>
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<td>PSYC 1010 – Basic Psychology* (OL)</td>
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*(OL) designation indicates course may be available online during selected semesters. * “C” or higher grade is required for this course.*

PROGRAM COSTS
Tuition/Fees: $3,416
Books/Supplies: $1500
Course Supply Fee: ALHS 1040 Introduction to Health Care: $20
*(Costs are estimates and are subject to change.*)
GAINFUL EMPLOYMENT
For more information about our graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program, and other important information, please visit our website at www.ogeecheetech.edu/gainful_employment.

TOP 10 REASONS
why OTC is the right choice for you!

1. Great-paying careers!
2. Strong job placement!
3. Affordable tuition with financial aid options you don’t have to pay back!
4. Over 100 majors to choose from!
5. Flexible class scheduling: day, evening, and online classes!
6. Faculty with real-world experience
7. Hands-on learning
8. Small class sizes
9. An Associate’s Degree, diploma, or certificate in less 2 years or less!
10. We GUARANTEE your education!

GET STARTED TODAY!

1. Select a program! Free career counseling is available.
2. Review the Admissions Checklist and APPLY online at www.ogeecheetech.edu!
3. Plan for expenses. You can view tuition and fees and available financial aid options online as well.

QUESTIONS:
Contact Admissions at 912.688.6994 or via email at enrollmentservices@ogeecheetech.edu!

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