

# BNA FUNDAMENTALS AND CLINICAL, BASIC CERTIFICATE



College(s): MX

Program Code: 0801

This Illinois Department of Public Health approved certificate program for Basic Nursing Assistant (BNA) prepares students to work in the health care industry as a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA). Students will be introduced to the discipline of nursing and the basic approaches to patient care. The role of the CNA as an assistant to the licensed nurse and member of the health care team is studied and practiced in the classroom, laboratory and clinical setting. Upon successful completion of all components of the program, the graduate must pass the State competency exam to become certified as a Nursing Assistant in the State of Illinois.

*This selective admissions program requires students to submit a separate application or to take additional action before enrolling.*

For further information about the BNA Program at Malcolm X College, visit the program's webpage ([https://www.ccc.edu/colleges/malcolm-x/departments/pages/-nursing-assistant-\(basic\)-.aspx](https://www.ccc.edu/colleges/malcolm-x/departments/pages/-nursing-assistant-(basic)-.aspx)).

For further information about the BNA Program at Kennedy-King College, visit the program's webpage.

## Program Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Required Program Core</b>		
STHLTH 624	BNA Fundamentals/Clinical	8
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>8</b>

## Pathway

This is an **example course sequence** for students interested in earning a Basic Certificate in Basic Nursing Assistant. If this pathway is followed as outlined, you will earn a Basic Certificate (BC). It does not represent a contract, nor does it guarantee course availability.

## Semester-by-Semester Program Plan for Full-Time Students

Semester 1		Hours
STHLTH 624	BNA Fundamentals/Clinical	8
<b>Hours</b>		<b>8</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>8</b>

Choose your courses with your College Advisor.

## Admissions Requirements

- Eligible for ENGLISH 96 Aligned Reading and Composition#and READING 125 Developmental Reading Skills II
- Eligible for MATH 98 Beginning Algebra with Geometry or higher
- Submit completed medical examination documentation
- For **Malcolm X**:  
Submit official/sealed college transcripts to **Malcolm X College Registrar's Office (required)**. **Official transcripts located at another CCC campus will not transfer to the Malcolm X College Registrar's Office.** Please allow yourself extra time, as international transcripts take longer to receive.
- For **Kennedy-King**:  
Submit official/sealed college transcripts to **Kennedy-King College Registrar's Office (required)**. **Official transcripts located at another CCC campus will not transfer to the Kennedy-King College Registrar's**

**Office.** Please allow yourself extra time, as international transcripts take longer to receive.

- It is the **applicant's responsibility** to ensure that all submitted transcripts have been evaluated and posted by a CCC Registrar (or their designee) on the student's PeopleSoft academic history.

## Careers

This program can prepare students for the jobs listed below. Click on each one to learn more, including average earnings, annual job openings, and how much education people in that field have. For additional guidance and resources on career options, current City Colleges students and alumni can contact the Career Services Office (<https://www.ccc.edu/departments/Pages/Career-Services.aspx>).

## Nursing Assistants

### Job Description

Provide or assist with basic care or support under the direction of onsite licensed nursing staff. Perform duties such as monitoring of health status, feeding, bathing, dressing, grooming, toileting, or ambulation of patients in a health or nursing facility. May include medication administration and other health-related tasks. Includes nursing care attendants, nursing aides, and nursing attendants.

### Salary Based on Experience Level

Take a look at the average hourly/annual earnings for this career in Cook County

Lightcast earnings figures are based on OES data from the BLS and include base rate, cost of living allowances, guaranteed pay, hazardous-duty pay, incentive pay (including commissions and bonuses), on-call pay, and tips.

#### Annual Wages

Entry-Level 10 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$37,335
Median 50 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$42,318
Senior-Level 90 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$50,161

#### Hourly Wages

Entry-Level 10 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$18
Median 50 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$20
Senior-Level 90 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$24

### Annual Job Openings

3938 annual openings in Cook County

### National Education Attainment

Here, you can see the level of education that people in this career complete.

Degree Program	% of Jobs
A high school diploma or less	41.36%
A certificate	23.98%
Some college	12.20%
An Associate degree	9.82%
A Bachelor's degree	6.10%

A Master's or Professional degree	6.55%
A Doctoral degree or more	0.00%

12.65% continue their education beyond an associate degree

## Home Health Aides

### Job Description

Monitor the health status of an individual with disabilities or illness, and address their health-related needs, such as changing bandages, dressing wounds, or administering medication. Work is performed under the direction of offsite or intermittent onsite licensed nursing staff. Provide assistance with routine healthcare tasks or activities of daily living, such as feeding, bathing, toileting, or ambulation. May also help with tasks such as preparing meals, doing light housekeeping, and doing laundry depending on the patient's abilities.

### Salary Based on Experience Level

Take a look at the average hourly/annual earnings for this career in Cook County

Lightcast earnings figures are based on OES data from the BLS and include base rate, cost of living allowances, guaranteed pay, hazardous-duty pay, incentive pay (including commissions and bonuses), on-call pay, and tips.

#### Annual Wages

Entry-Level 10 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$29,439
Median 50 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$34,073
Senior-Level 90 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$38,121

#### Hourly Wages

Entry-Level 10 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$14
Median 50 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$16
Senior-Level 90 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$18

### Annual Job Openings

10825 annual openings in Cook County

### National Education Attainment

Here, you can see the level of education that people in this career complete.

Degree Program	% of Jobs
A high school diploma or less	63.23%
A certificate	20.90%
Some college	7.02%
An Associate degree	8.84%
A Bachelor's degree	0.00%
A Master's or Professional degree	0.00%
A Doctoral degree or more	0.00%

0.00% continue their education beyond an associate degree

## Personal Care Aides

### Job Description

Provide personalized assistance to individuals with disabilities or illness who require help with personal care and activities of daily living support (e.g., feeding, bathing, dressing, grooming, toileting, and ambulation). May also provide help with tasks such as preparing meals, doing light housekeeping, and doing laundry. Work is performed in various settings depending on the needs of the care recipient and may include locations such as their home, place of work, out in the community, or at a daytime nonresidential facility.

### Salary Based on Experience Level

Take a look at the average hourly/annual earnings for this career in Cook County

Lightcast earnings figures are based on OES data from the BLS and include base rate, cost of living allowances, guaranteed pay, hazardous-duty pay, incentive pay (including commissions and bonuses), on-call pay, and tips.

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### National Education Attainment

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Degree Program	% of Jobs
A high school diploma or less	65.29%
A certificate	6.24%
Some college	5.99%
An Associate degree	22.48%
A Bachelor's degree	0.00%
A Master's or Professional degree	0.00%
A Doctoral degree or more	0.00%

0.00% continue their education beyond an associate degree

## Orderlies

### Job Description

Transport patients to areas such as operating rooms or x-ray rooms using wheelchairs, stretchers, or moveable beds. May maintain stocks of supplies or clean and transport equipment. Psychiatric orderlies are included in Psychiatric Aides.

### Salary Based on Experience Level

Take a look at the average hourly/annual earnings for this career in Cook County

Lightcast earnings figures are based on OES data from the BLS and include base rate, cost of living allowances, guaranteed pay, hazardous-duty pay, incentive pay (including commissions and bonuses), on-call pay, and tips.

#### Annual Wages

Entry-Level 10 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$33,819
Median 50 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$40,778
Senior-Level 90 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$47,761

#### Hourly Wages

Entry-Level 10 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$16
Median 50 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$20
Senior-Level 90 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	\$23

### Annual Job Openings

202 annual openings in Cook County

### National Education Attainment

Here, you can see the level of education that people in this career complete.

Degree Program	% of Jobs
A high school diploma or less	95.87%
A certificate	4.13%
Some college	0.00%
An Associate degree	0.00%
A Bachelor's degree	0.00%
A Master's or Professional degree	0.00%
A Doctoral degree or more	0.00%

0.00% continue their education beyond an associate degree