Nursing Assistant

TECHNICAL DIPLOMA  Program Code: 30-543-1 | Downtown Milwaukee, Oak Creek, West Allis campuses

This is a three-credit, one-course program that prepares you for employment as an entry-level bedside caregiver. The Nursing Assistant course focuses on basic nursing skills and procedures to assist hospital patients, nursing home residents and at-home health clients with their daily living activities and specialized care. At the Downtown Milwaukee Campus, classes are taught at MATC’s Health Education Center (HEC), 1311 North Sixth Street.

Career Outlook
Opportunities are available through nursing homes, hospitals, home health agencies and private-duty practice settings.

Bilingual Option
Students are instructed in English, but selected sections are specific for the bilingual learner.

Workplace Competencies
Employers expect graduates to:
• Provide safe, competent care
• Practice principles of infection control
• Be able to perform job-related procedures with attention to detail
• Work efficiently under pressure
• Possess good listening skills with an ability to follow instructions

Admission Requirements
Health requirements, criminal background check and additional documents are required for admission; see this program’s web page at matc.edu. A high school diploma or GED is recommended.
## Nursing Assistant Curriculum

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**TOTAL CREDITS:** 3

‡ Prerequisite required.
Program curriculum requirements are subject to change.

### Possible Careers
- Home Health Aide
- Nurse Aide/Nursing Assistant
- Patient Care Assistant

### Related Programs
- Medical Assistant
- Phlebotomy
- Renal Dialysis Technician

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