



ACCELERATED SKILLS TRAINING – HEALTHCARE

Accelerated Skills Training programs at Valencia College focus on intensive, hands-on training designed to help students enter a new career field or advance their skills by training in essential workplace skills, earning industry-recognized credentials and receiving job placement support.

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HEALTHCARE PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Working hand-in-hand with leaders in our medical community, Valencia College has created a top-notch medical assisting program. In this program, students learn what it takes to work in health care from industry experts who cover a wide range of topics. Depending on the program of study, students may learn front office administrative operations, charting, billing and coding, HIPPA compliance or management of electronic medical records. Students may also gain knowledge and experience in patient intake, medical procedures and charting, checking vitals, administering vaccines and more.

These programs help individuals at all levels — from experienced professionals to those entering the field — find high-demand, higher-wage careers. In each program, students will be offered the opportunity to earn multiple national certifications to prepare for a variety of career opportunities within the medical profession.

Job Outlook in Healthcare

The healthcare industry is expected to add an estimated 2.3 million jobs through 2026 — faster growth than any other occupational group. Occupations in the healthcare field continue to be among the fastest growing due to technological advances in patient care, increased demand for healthcare services and the long-term needs of an increasingly elderly population.

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HEALTHCARE PROGRAMS AND STARTING SALARIES

Clinical Medical Assistant + EKG:

\$17-\$23 per hour

Medical Office Specialist:

\$14-\$22 per hour

**Per the most recent reporting year in the continuing education program review and Florida Education and Training Placement Information Program (FETPIP) data.*



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