

Medical Assistant Program Mission Statement

The mission of the Medical Assistant Program is to provide a balanced education of cognitive, psychomotor, and affective learning courses to ensure well educated citizens are employable in the healthcare field within the community. The program structure is designed to prepare students for entry level employment, national certification, life-long learning, and a successful career.

Medical Assistant Program Outcomes

Graduates of the Medical Assistant Program will:

1. Be immediately eligible to sit for CMA (AAMA) National Certification Exam.
2. Perform as an entry level medical assistant.
3. Function capably in the areas of competence for medical assistants.
4. Apply fundamental principles and concepts from bio psychosocial sciences in clinical practice.
5. Perform medical assisting administrative and clinical procedures competently and safely within their scope of practice.
6. Display a professional manner and image, communicating effectively with clients and members of the health care team.
7. Perform within legal and ethical boundaries in the scope of practice for Medical Assistants.
8. Recognize and respond effectively to verbal, nonverbal, and written communications.