

Medication Nursing Assistant Program

80-hour, non-credit course

Are you an LNA looking to expand your career?



The Career

Medication Nursing Assistants (MNAs) are Licensed Nursing Assistants (LNAs) who have completed a program certified by a Board of Nursing. The MNA plays a key role as a direct care provider and is a way for experienced LNAs to advance in their career path.

The Program

The Medication Nursing Assistant (MNA) Program prepares Licensed Nursing Assistants (LNA) to function as trusted care partners of the Registered Nursing and Licensed Practical Nurses in administering medications to stable clients in long term care facilities. The scope of the program covers all the basic principles and techniques of medication administration including an overview of common drugs, their effects and side effects, and key safety issues that include medication interactions, common errors, over-the-counter medications, and medication use in older adults. This program will be delivered as 40 hours of theory in the classroom setting and 40 hours of clinical at an approved clinical facility.

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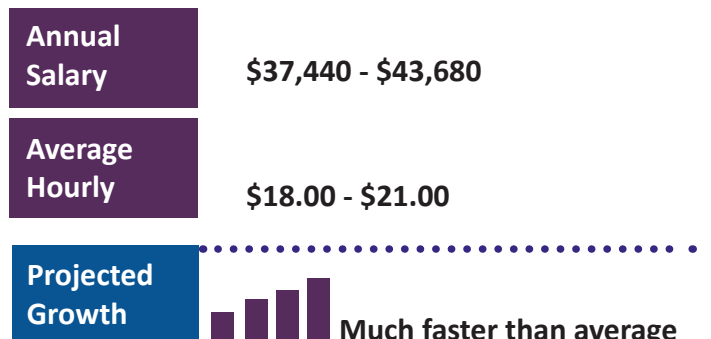
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Job Opportunities

The RVCC Medication Nursing Assistant program has full approval from the New Hampshire Board of Nursing. Graduates may obtain employment in a variety of different settings including (but not limited to):

- Hospitals
- Nursing and Home Healthcare Facilities
- Government Assisted Living Facilities
- Retirement Communities

Career Outlook



Career data sourced in 2022 from Glassdoor

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Student Eligibility: Students who wish to enroll in the MNA program at River Valley College must meet the following requirements:

- Hold a valid unencumbered nursing assistant license issued by the Board of Nursing
- Worked as an LNA for two full years (4,160 hours) within the past five years
- Has not been convicted of a felony
- Pass a 12 panel drug test
- Comply with RVCC's application procedures
- Comply with RVCC's tuition Requirements



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