Healthcare Applications

Certificate Program

Considering a career in Healthcare?

The Healthcare Applications Certificate Program prepares students for entry level professions in the health care industry. Upon completion of the program students will:

- Have a foundational knowledge of the human body and body process that impact health.
- Understand legal and ethical issues impacting healthcare.
- Appropriately use medical terms when discussing patients/clients with healthcare teams.
- Understand the impact of insurance on healthcare delivery.
- Work within the standards of HIPPA
- Possess communication skills necessary for patient/client interaction.
- Accurately use technology related to healthcare deliver services.
- Safely assist patients/clients with transferring and with assistive devices.
- Obtain knowledge and skills related to job performance.

Career Pathways

- Home Health Aid earn a certificate in Gerontology.
- Dietetic Aid earn a certificate in Food,
 Nutrition & Health.
- Wellness Coach earn a certificate in Holistic & Integrative Health - Level I.
- Rehabilitation Aide
- Clinical Service Representative



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93%

Job placement rate for RVCC graduates



86%

Of students receive financial aid

Program of Study

33 - 38 Credits

First Year: Fall Semester

<u>Title</u>	<u>Credits</u>
College Composition*	4
Mathematics Elective	3 - 4
Anatomy & Physiology I*	4
Medical Terminology	3
Open Elective	3 - 4

First Year: Spring Semester

<u>Title</u>	Credits
Anatomy & Physiology II*	4
Humanities/Fine Arts/World Language Elective	3-4
Legal & Ethical Issues in Health Care	3
Open Elective	3-4
Social Science Elective	3-4

*Pre-/Co-requisites required. See course descriptions. Program of study is subject to change.

Admissions Requirements: Request transcripts from high school and/or college be sent directly to RVCC.

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