

Home health aides make a remarkable difference in the lives of the sick, disabled or elderly. They assist other healthcare professionals in maintaining and restoring a client to optimum levels of physical and emotional well-being while allowing that person to stay at home! This quick course moves you from a hospital setting into a residential setting.

# **LEARNING AT WASHBURN TECH**

You must be a CNA to enroll in this part-time course, which offers two hours of credit. The program provides the foundation for more advanced healthcare programs at Washburn Tech such as practical nursing and surgical technology. Upon completion, you will be eligible to earn a home health aide certificate after passing the Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services exam. Please note: this short-term course is not eligible for financial aid or commencement.

# **JOB AND SALARY OUTLOOK**

Employment for home health aides is expected to be excellent because of rapid growth in home health care and high replacement needs. U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) expects a job increase of 33 percent from 2020 to 2030. Kansas Department of Labor reports the average entry-level salary for a home health aide is \$12.56 an hour or \$26,130 annually.

The average wage is \$13 an hour or \$27,040 annually.

# **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

You are required to meet the minimum score on an assessment test. Washburn Tech offers the Accuplacer. A score of 4 in both reading and math is required. Other assessments or college coursework can be accepted in place of Accuplacer. Please see an admissions counselor for details. You also must complete an application and pay a course fee as well as submit a copy of official transcripts and your social security number.

#### **CERTIFICATIONS**

+ Home Health Aide

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#### **CAREERS IN HEALTHCARE»**

- + practical nurse
- + medication aide
- + registered nurse
- + surgical tech
- + phlebotomist
- + educator
- + EMT
- + therapy assistant



# **Home Health Aide**



# **COURSE DESCRIPTIONS**

#### **HOME HEALTH AIDE**

This course is designed for the person seeking to provide direct care services to clients in their home. Home Health Aides assist other healthcare professionals in maintaining and restoring the client to optimum levels of physical and emotional well-being while allowing the client to remain at home.

Upon completion of the course, students are eligible to receive a certificate after passing the Kansas Department of Aging and Disability Services exam. This is a part-time course. Prerequisite: CNA certified.

#### **ENROLLMENT OPTIONS**

This course is offered at varying times throughout the year. For more information, contact the Admissions Office at 785.670.2200 or by emailing tech-info@washburn.edu.



# **APPLICATION CHECKLIST**









MEET WITH ADMISSIONS

TAKE ACCUPLACER\*

SUBMIT TRANSCRIPT(S)

ENROLLMENT FEE

# 2023-2024 PROGRAM COSTS (Estimated)

	ADULT
Enrollment fee	\$50
Tuition	\$304
All other fees	\$148
TOTAL	\$502

<sup>\*</sup>Tiered courses are paid by Excel in CTE. Non-tiered courses are paid by the student.

# **ADDITIONAL CHARGES\*\*** (Estimated)

	ADULT
Tools/Books	\$0

#### **COST NOTE**

\*\*A list of required tools/books is on a separate sheet of paper and on our website, WashburnTech.edu. Students also will need to purchase supplies such as (but not limited to) pens/pencils, notebooks/paper, three-ring binder, etc. Students may purchase them at the vendor of their choice.

# **MORE INFO** »

For more programs, enrollment and course schedule information, please contact Admissions.

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