

How Do I Know If Practical Nursing Is For Me?

- *You are a hard worker.*
- *You are a team player.*
- *You enjoy helping and taking care of others.*
- *You can multi task.*
- *You enjoy a challenge.*
- *You are looking for job security.*
- *You have positive work ethics.*
- *You are able to think critically.*
- *Your future goal is to go into the healthcare field.*



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Practical Nursing I & II



Practical Nursing I :

The first year of the practical nursing program is designed to ready students for the Virginia Board of Nursing Certified Nursing Assistant Examination. Students will learn basic nursing care techniques to help assist residents in activities of daily living. The students will learn basic lifesaving techniques, basic principles of nursing care, medical terminology/abbreviations, and nursing skills that commonly appear in the Virginia Board of Nursing Assistant Examination. Students also learn basic anatomy and physiology that will prepare them for Practical Nursing courses they may choose to take as high school senior for college credit.

Practical Nursing II:

The second year of the practical nursing program is focused on expanding the students knowledge in the areas of anatomy and physiology, pharmacology, a review of the principles of good health practices, performance of procedures that are essential to the basic nursing care of the clients and workplace readiness skills that ready the student to enter the workforce. PNE 141, Nursing Skills I. PNE 142, Nursing Skills II, PNE 155, Body Structure and Function, and PNE 173, Pharmacology for Practical Nursing are offered at WCTC as optional dual credit classes in conjunction with WCC provided applicable prerequisites are met.



To Become a Certified Nursing Assistant You Will Need To:

1. Enroll in Practical Nursing I.
2. Complete 40 hours of clinical in a geriatric setting.
3. Complete class work and maintain a C average to sit for Virginia Board of Nursing Certified Nursing Assistant Examination.
4. Complete required competencies.



Clubs:

Students have the opportunity to participate in Skills USA .

Dues applicable.

See instructor for more information.