



NURSE AIDE

Nurse Aide I (NAS-101) is a six credit hour state approved course offered through a curriculum program. This 160 course hour program can be completed in either an eight week program or a sixteen week program.

After successful completion of the course, you will be eligible to sit for the state exam to be placed on the North Carolina Nurse Aide Registry. Placement on the registry allows you to work as a Nurse Aide in the state of North Carolina. Please see www.ncnar.org.

To view actual posted dates and hours of the current/upcoming semester offering go to the Self Service link. To search nurse aide class offering use the prefix NAS and then click on Nursing Assistant.

<https://www.alamancecc.edu/selfservice/>

Please note when you register to participate in nurse aide training:

- You MUST bring on the first day of class Current (not outdated) Photo ID and Social Security Card. Proof of Identity is a requirement of our state regulatory body.
- Passing a background check and drug screen is also a requirement to participate in the clinical portion of training.

16 Week Classes are held in the Fall and Spring semesters:

- Classes meet two days a week
- Day or evening classes
- Schedule choices are generally:
 - Mondays and Wednesdays: 8 a.m. to 2:40 p.m. or 4:00 p.m. to 9:40 p.m.
 - Tuesdays and Thursdays: 8:00 a.m. to 2:40 p.m. or 4:00 p.m. to 9:40 p.m.
 - Thursdays: 5:00 p.m. to 9:15 p.m. and Saturdays: 8:00 a.m. to 2:40.p.m.

8 Week Fast Track classes are held all year around and also through our CE (Continuing Education) if you are interested the noncredit/continuing education please contact 336-506-4318 or 336-506-4253

- Schedules are generally:
 - Monday through Thursday: 8:00 a.m. to 2:40 p.
 - Sessions are held October to December and March to May
 - Summer session is mid-May to end of July

Attendance: The Nurse Aide program has a very strict attendance policy. **You cannot miss any classes.** Please take this into consideration when registering for the course. You may have to juggle appointments and commitments if you plan to enroll in this program.

Cost: All figures, except registration fees, are approximate:

- ✓ \$509.00 **registration fee** (includes \$16.00 liability insurance and \$10.00 Student Fee)
- ✓ \$125.00 **books:** The mandatory NAS 101 binder cost is approximately \$50.00 this must be purchased in the ACC bookstore for class use. The book is: The Nursing Assistant; Essentials of Holistic Care; Brief Edition: Second Edition ISBN # 978-164925-888-5
- ✓ Name tag \$10 from bookstore and \$10 for 12 Scantron Sheets from bookstore
- ✓ \$60 uniform and shoes (Will be discussed the first day of class) Black, grey or white shoes. Required shoe type will be discussed first day of class. Uniforms will be worn to class each day.
- ✓ \$60.00 CPR Certification with American Heart Association. Classes are offered at ACC at various times. The course is not mandatory but strongly encouraged/recommended.

- ✓ \$140.00 NNAAP examination, to be taken within two years of completing the Nurse Aide I course for certification with the state of NC to practice as a Nurse Aide. This is your cost after successful completion of the course objectives.
- ✓ **Immunizations** costs *will vary* depending on what your individual needs are: You must have these immunizations to participate in the clinical portion of class. Your local Health Department may have your records on file and can assist you with determining your needs.

Immunizations per clinical sites may include:

COVID-19 immunization or waiver
 2 step TB skin test (this process will be explained on the first day of class)
 Annual Influenza (Flu) if in clinical during Oct -March
 HBV (hepatitis B vaccine) or signed waiver

- ✓ Other possible immunizations include: Rubeola, Rubella, Mumps, Chickenpox/Varicella, Tetanus/Diphtheria (tDAP)

- ✓ \$65.00 **mandatory drug screen and criminal background** *Special note: Please DO NOT do this ahead of time. You will get this done with the contracted company through nurse aide at ACC. Your instructor will provide the link and directions on the first day of class.*

Background check, drug screen and immunizations must be completed thoroughly. These requirements are per the clinical sites. If one clinical site denies a student's clinical entrance because of the BG/Drug screen results or incomplete immunizations the student will not be permitted to enter any clinical site and will be dropped and not allowed to advance to the clinical portion of the class. No Exceptions

How to enroll:

- Complete an electronic application for admission to Alamance Community College at www.alamancecc.edu
- The Nurse Aide classes have high demand, so it is important to follow the admission process in a timely manner to secure a seat in the course.
- If you are in need of Financial Aide please contact them for information. There may be scholarships that you are eligible for. If you are going to use Financial Aid on your admission application put your program of study as pre-nursing. Financial Aid does not cover the nurse aide class unless you are coded as a pre-nursing student.

<https://www.alamancecc.edu/financial-aid-site>

Questions If you would like to speak to someone in the Nurse Aide Department, please call one of our full-time instructors:

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