



2024-2025 | ATLANTIC TECHNICAL COLLEGE & TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL
HEALTH SCIENCE

PATIENT CARE TECHNICIAN

Course Content:

This program prepares the student to function as a multi-skilled healthcare worker who, under the direction and supervision of a Registered Nurse, carries out the essential basic bedside patient care functions. The Patient Care Technician comes in direct contact with the patient in the performance of his/her assigned duties.

Students also receive supplementary training in 12-lead EKG, basic phlebotomy techniques and restorative skills.

Program Length

600 Hours (approximately 6 months full-time)

Program Offered

January

Delivery Method

Traditional - 100% classroom based

Hybrid - less than 100% of required instructional hours via distance education

Days & Times

Monday - Friday | 7:05 a.m. - 1:50 p.m.

Job Outlook



For information regarding Patient Care Assistant salaries/wages, visit FloridaJobs.org



Additional Skills Covered:

- Anatomy & Physiology
- Bloodborne Diseases HIV/AIDS, HBV
- Communication & Interpersonal Skills
- Computer Literacy
- CPR, BLS Healthcare Provider
- Documentation
- Domestic Violence, HIPAA, Legal & Ethical Responsibilities
- EKG Modalities
- Emergency Care
- Employability Skills & Career Counseling
- Home Health Care
- Infection Control Procedures
- Math & Science Skills
- Medical Errors
- Medical Terminology
- Nursing Assistant Skills
- Phlebotomy Procedures & Protocol
- Safety and Security Procedures
- Wellness & Disease Concepts

Admission Requirements:

- 16 Years of Age or Older
- Complete a Program Specific Orientation
- Basic Skills Testing or Exemption
- Meet with Program Counselor/Advisor
- Clearance on FDLE Level II Background Check
- Negative Drug Test Results
- Immunizations and Physical

Students enrolling in any Health Science Education program must undergo a Level II criminal background check and drug screening, per The Joint Commission. Students who do not have a valid social security number may encounter difficulty with certain state licensing agencies and registries. Contact the program counselor advisor for specific information.



Enroll in This Fast Track Program for a Career in a Year

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GET STARTED Today

YOUR ACTION STEPS:

Step 1

Attend an ATC Program Information Session

Step 2

Reply to Follow-up E-mail

Step 3

Secure Funding Source

Step 4

Registration, Payment, and Enrollment

Possible Job Titles

- Certified Patient Care Technician
- Certified Patient Care Assistant
- Home Health Aid
- Certified Nursing Assistant
- Patient Care Associate
- Home Health Associate



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H170694 (600 Hours)

Tuition

(approximate cost based upon program length)

Lab

(approximate cost based upon program length)

Basic Skills Test

Registration

(non-refundable fee - \$40/semester or \$20/quarter)

Annual Student Activity Fee

(\$20 per academic year)

Liability Insurance

(required, \$13 per year)

Accidental/Health Insurance

(if not currently covered, \$47 per academic year)

Complio Bundle

In-State Fees

\$1,680

\$150

\$15

\$40

\$20

\$13

\$47

\$109

Out-Of-State Fees

\$6,720

\$150

\$15

\$40

\$20

\$13

\$47

\$109

\$2,074

\$7,114

Tuition, Lab, Assessment, Registration, Activity Fee (approximate costs)

There may be additional costs associated with books, uniforms, special tools, equipment and other related items.

Health & Other Requirements:

- Physical exam – Annual
- Tuberculin (PPD) 2-Step (X2) or Chest X-ray – Annual
- Drug Testing– by Authorized Lab Only
- Level 2 Background Check (Approved Vendor Only)
- Compliance Tracking Subscription (Approved Vendor Only)

Immunizations:

- Vaccine (Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis) (DTaP or TDaP)
- MMR Vaccine Series (Measles, Mumps and Rubella) (X2) or Titer
- Hepatitis B Vaccine Series (X3) or Titer or Authorized Declination Form
- Varicella Vaccine (X2) or Titer
- Influenza Vaccine (Flu Shot)

Uniforms:

Uniform tops will be available for purchase from the ATC bookstore.

- All White or Black Leather Shoes – closed front and back
- Uniform Top with ATC Logo and Uniform Pants
- Scrub Jacket (optional)
- White or Black Socks

Industry Certification & State Credential Exams:

Students will be prepared to take an approved state and/or nationally recognized industry certification or licensure exam in their field of study. Exam costs are additional; however, you may qualify for reimbursement of your exam cost(s) upon passing. See your program counselor/ advisor for more information.

Books / Supplies:

For a list of books and prices go to atlanticechnicalcollege.edu/bookstore-price-list/ or visit the bookstore on campus. Additional supply information can be found in the syllabus located on the Web page for this program.

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