HEALTH CAREERS

Health Careers 1 - PM

6950 Full Year – 3 Credits Open to Grade 11 3 Periods Per Day

Year 1 courses include:

- Health Science and Technology
- Principles of Allied Health
- Patient Centered Care

Application required.

Recommended: Algebra 1, Biology/Lab

Must have a serious interest in learning to provide physical care to individuals with health issues.

Health Careers 2 - AM

6960 Full Year – 3 Credits Open to Grade 12 3 Periods Per Day

Year 2 courses include:

- Medical Terminology
- Health Science Capstone

Prerequisite: Health Careers 1

Must have earned STNA License.

Recommended: Anatomy & Physiology, Chemistry, Algebra 2 with Trig

Health Careers Technology is a two-year program that introduces students to medical careers involving hands-on patient care in a variety of settings including hospitals and nursing homes. The program provides State Tested Nurse Aide training, leading to entry-level employment in the health care field. This program is intended for students who are interested in furthering their education in a medical career. Admission into this program is highly competitive.

Students use their training and skills in the clinical setting at a hospital and other facilities in order to gain real experience. In addition, an emphasis on the study of disease, medical terminology and healthcare ethics provides the opportunity to earn college credit.

College Credit Possible: Student must fulfill requirements of the college.

Certifications: First Aid, CPR, State Tested Nurse Aide (STNA)

Career Technical Student Organization: Health Occupation Students of America (HOSA)

Possible Career Opportunities:

- Nursing RN
- Nursing LPN
- Pharmacist
- Pharmacy Technician
- Radiologist
- Radiology Technician
- Pre-Medicine
- Physical or Occupational Therapist
- Health Science Technologies: Ultrasound, Lab Tech, EKG, Phlebotomy, Medical Assisting,
- Emergency Medical Tech

