Train for a Career in Healthcare!

The consortium is a region-wide, capacity-building initiative to strengthen and expand health care industry occupational training through:

- Workforce readiness and integrated basic skills preparation.
- Workforce supportive services.
- Occupational skill development leading to certification.
- Employment.
- Advancement along a career pathway.



Participants have found employment with:

- \Rightarrow Hospitals and Health care agencies
- \Rightarrow Pharmacies
- \Rightarrow Doctors' offices
- \Rightarrow Emergency transport services
- \Rightarrow Blood banks



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PASSAIC COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE HEALTH PROFESSIONS CONSORTIUM (HPC)

The NJ Health Professions Consortium Grant Programs at Passaic County Community College provides funding for eligible candidates to obtain the skills and credentials needed to start their careers in the growing field of healthcare.





How It Began

Passaic County Community College is a member of the New Jersey Health Professions Consortium, which received a four-year, \$15 million TAACCCT 4 Grant (Trade Adjustment Assistance Community College and Career Training Grants Program) administered by the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) Employment and



The New Jersey Health Professions Pathways to Regional Excellence Project (NJ-Prep) Consortium is led by Bergen Community College and includes 12 community college partners in counties of Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Morris, Ocean, Passaic, Raritan Valley, Sussex, Union, and Warren.



Program & Course Overview

Currently Recruiting For:

Online Smart Start

Students who successfully complete this course gain an overview of the growing healthcare field and career paths available. Each student can become CPR certified.

EKG Technician

Students who successfully complete this course will have the credentials nearly all healthcare employers require to perform critical tasks of administering EKGs, as well as Holter monitoring and stress testing.

Phlebotomy Technician

This course prepares students to work as Certified Phlebotomy Technicians (CPT), a rapidly growing occupation. The need for qualified Phlebotomy Technicians continues to rise at hospitals, laboratories and blood donor centers.

Previously Offered Programs:

Certified Home Health Aide (CHHA)

The purpose of this course is to train individuals seeking a career as Home Health Aides.

Administrative Medical Assistant (AMA)

The purpose of this course is to prepare individuals to function effectively in many of the administrative and clerical positions in the health care industry.

Emergency Medical Dispatcher (EMD)

The purpose of this course is to train individuals seeking a career as an Emergency Medical Dispatcher. This training includes three courses: CPR, Basic 911 Officer, and Emergency Medical Dispatch.

Pharmacy Technician

The purpose of this course is to prepare students to work as pharmacy technicians, a rapidly growing occupation that offers many opportunities in a variety of settings.

Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)

The purpose of this course is to train individuals seeking a career in Emergency Medical Services.





Program Requirements Include but Are Not Limited To:

- * U.S. citizenship, permanent residency, or eligibility to work.
- * Ability to pass a criminal background check.
- * High school diploma or GED and other academic qualifications.
- * Qualifying scores on the TABE or Accuplacer test.
- * Participants must be veterans, TAA eligible, unemployed or underemployed.

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