



Patient Care Career Pathway

New North Region

2020-2021



EXPLORE: Click on the links to find the job titles that seem most interesting to you to learn more! Save any jobs you are interested in from this career pathway in your XELLO account so that you can create an Academic and Career Plan (ACP) later on.

Educational Level May also require work experience	Therapeutic Services			Diagnostic Services
	Direct Care	Nursing <small>*crosses Direct Care & Behavioral Health</small>	Behavioral Health	
High School Diploma, Certification	Activities Assistant Dietary Aide Patient Advocate	Home Health Aide * Personal Care Aide * Range \$18,800-\$53,210	Housekeeper <input type="radio"/> Transporter	Medical Secretary <input type="radio"/>
Certification or Technical Diploma	Nursing Assistant (CNA) * <input type="radio"/> (strongly recommended for all Therapeutic Service careers) Range \$21,960-\$40,620			EKG Technician Ophthalmic Lab Technician <input type="radio"/> Phlebotomist * <input type="radio"/> Sterile Processing Technician Range \$26,810-\$94,370
Associate Degree	Dental Assistant <input type="radio"/> Emergency Medical Technician Medical Assistant * <input type="radio"/> Pharmacy Technician * <input type="radio"/> Range \$25,330-\$53,650	Licensed Practical Nurse <input type="radio"/> Range \$34,560-\$63,360	Peer Support Specialist Range \$29,540-\$80,900	Cardiovascular Technician <input type="radio"/> Echocardiogram Diagnostic Medical Sonographer * <input type="radio"/> Medical Laboratory Technician * Radiologic Technologist * Range \$37,780-\$92,650
Bachelor Degree and beyond	Dental Hygienist <input type="radio"/> Gerontology Occupational Therapy Assistant <input type="radio"/> Paramedic * <input type="radio"/> Physical Therapy Assistant <input type="radio"/> Respiratory Therapist * <input type="radio"/> Surgical Technologist * <input type="radio"/> Range \$35,390-\$76,260	Registered Nurse (ADN) * <input type="radio"/> Range \$52,080-\$111,220	Community and Social Service Specialist Wellness and Health Promotion Range \$23,750-\$54,230	Clinical Laboratory Scientist * Echocardiogram Radiologist * <input type="radio"/> Diagnostic Medical Sonographer Range \$30,920-\$81,530
Postsecondary Options	Click HERE for Postsecondary Options	Click HERE for Postsecondary Options	Click HERE for Postsecondary Options	Click HERE for Postsecondary Options



Health Science Patient Care Career Pathway

New North Region – Sheboygan Area School District



Your Academic and Career Plan (ACP) for this career pathway starts here...

Use this page to figure out which classes and activities you will take to prepare for this career pathway. Record your plan in XELLO.

Career and Technical Education Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Medical Occupations • Culture of Healthcare • Medical Terminology • Human Diseases for the Health Profession 			Start creating your professional network through CAREER EXPLORATION PROGRAMS . Record your experiences in XELLO.
Other Recommended Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Related Occupations 			Statewide: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wisconsin AHEC • Virtual Career Events Regional: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NEWAHEC • Virtual Healthcare Events • Bellin College Nursing Camp • Bellin College Medical Imaging Camp • Marian University Summer Nurse Camp • NWTC Career Events Local: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inspire Sheboygan County
Career and Technical Student Organization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wisconsin HOSA-Future Health Professionals 			
Work-Based Learning Options	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employability Skills (90 hrs) • Youth Apprenticeship-Health Science (450 hrs/year; 1-2 years) • Local Work-based Learning Programs that meet state quality requirements • Family and Consumer Sciences Education Co-op – students with a career interest or current employment within the areas of childcare, hospitality, fashion construction and design, interior design or healthcare related occupations may benefit from the added component of a classroom segment specifically designed to increase knowledge and skill in general as an employed person. Students will explore additional employment opportunities and provide specific need based skill development related to current employment. This is a course to complement the student’s job experience competencies in any occupation in the multi-faceted Family and Consumer Sciences Education area. If the student is not employed, the instructor will assist in exploring opportunities. Coordination of effort in training is between the employer and classroom teacher. Student has to obtain instructor’s permission to enroll in this course. One credit is earned for the classroom component and 1-3 credits are earned for work “on-the-job” (4 credits maximum). The advantage of this course is that the student obtains supervision and encouragement to improve by both professionals with training in the field as well as the employer. DPI Employability Skills certification is available for successful completion of course. • Health Youth Apprenticeship – For students focused on a career in nursing or other medical related jobs. Students apply through their counselor in early March of their sophomore or junior year and attend four Lakeshore Technical College courses (5.5 college credits) that align with their paid work experience. Transportation must be available for travel to work site and LTC campus. A mentor is assigned to the student at the job site. 			
Industry Recognized Credential Options	Direct Care	Nursing	Behavioral Health	Diagnostic Services
<i>Italics = must be 18 years old to obtain</i> This certification is eligible for reimbursement through the technical incentive grant	DPI Employability Skills Certification Basic Life Support (AHA) or CPR/AED and First Aid (CPR) Certified Nursing Assistant* (DHS)			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medication Aide/Assistant* (DHS) • Feeding Assistant* (DHS) • Emergency Medical Responder* (NREMT) • Medical Assistant* (AAMA, AMT, NHA) • Pharmacy Technician* (PTCB) • Emergency Medical Technician* (NREMT) 	Medication Aide/Assistant* (DHS)	Medication Aide/Assistant* (DHS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phlebotomy* (NHA) • Phlebotomy Technician* (ASCP) • EKG Technician* (NHA)
College Courses Offered at Your High School				

College Credit Opportunities You can find the list of college credit opportunities included in the postsecondary options for this pathway HERE .	Transcribed Credit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical Terminology, Lakeshore Technical College • Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA), Lakeshore Technical College • EMT Part 1, Lakeshore Technical College • 	AP Courses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP Chemistry • AP/CAPP Psychology
	College Courses You Can Take at a College Campus Application Deadlines:	
	October 1st: Spring Courses	February 1st: Summer Courses (ECCP only)
Start College Now <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culture of Healthcare, Lakeshore Technical College • Digital Literacy for Healthcare, Lakeshore Technical College 	Early College Credit Program Introduction to Human Biology, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay Human Disease and Society, University of Wisconsin-Green Bay	