CENTURY COLLEGE

PROGRAM GUIDE

2015-2016
Nursing Assistant

Nursing Assistant—Certificate—4 credits

Nursing Assistant Certificate

Program Description **# 5807**

This Certificate is designed for individuals seeking employment in direct patient care under the supervision of a nurse in long term care, acute care and/or home care settings. Upon completion of this certificate, students will be eligible to take the examination for placement on the Minnesota Department of Health Nursing assistant Registry.

Course			Credits
Career/Occupational Requirement			**4**
HSCI	1001	Nursing Assistant	4
Total Credits			**4**

Program Prerequisites:

1. Assessment score placement into RDNG 0900 or higher or ESOL 0032.
2. Minnesota State Registry of Nursing Assistants requires registrants to be 16 years of age or older.
3. MN Department of Human Services Background Study: Minnesota Department of Health requires any individual having contact with patients to complete a background study prior to starting this program. An individual may be disqualified from having patient contact and would not be permitted to participate in the clinical experience if a clearance is not issued. Call MN Department of Human Services with specific questions, 651.431.2000.

General Requirements:

1. Certificates: Up to 30 earned college-level credits.
2. Century college-level GPA of 2.0.

Assessment: Assessments are required for all students before registering for classes. Students may be required to take developmental courses in English, Reading and Mathematics based upon their assessment scores. For important information and exemptions see www.century.edu/futurestudents/assessment.

Career Information: Counselors and advisors are available in the Advising, Counseling & Career Center, Room 2410 West, to assist with educational and career planning. Resources available include career interest and personality inventories and print and web-based occupational and educational information, e.g., occupational descriptions, employment outlook, earnings, education/training requirements and sources. Consult the GPS LifePlan link on the Century website for information on these and more resources for your career, work, and educational planning!

Time Limit for Meeting Graduation Requirements: See Century College catalog "Graduation" for information.

Academic Petitions: Any exceptions to the program requirements must be petitioned through the Vice President of Academic Affairs.

Contact Information:

Admissions Office	admissions@century.edu	651.773.1700	Room 2350 West
Advising & Counseling Center	Click "Ask Century" at www.century.edu	651.779.3285	Room 2410 West
Financial Aid Office	finaid@century.edu	651.779.3305	Room 2320 West

Program Contact Information:

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