

## Certificate Academic Degree Map

### Patient Care Technician 2025-2026

The Patient Care Technician program is designed to train individuals to provide direct patient care and support in various healthcare settings. Patient Care Technicians play a crucial role in assisting healthcare professionals, delivering quality patient care, and ensuring the well-being of patients. The class format will include online content that will cover essential concepts and skills, hands on training through labs that include practical demonstrations, simulations, and supervised practice to develop clinical skills and competency, and clinical rotations in healthcare facilities to gain real-world experience and apply learned skills under supervision. Upon completion of the program, students will be eligible to pursue certification as a Certified Patient Care Technician (CPCT), a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA), a Certified Phlebotomy Technician (CPT), and a Certified EKG Technician (CET) to enhance their job prospects and credibility in the healthcare field.

1 <sup>st</sup> Semester	Notes
HOC101 Nurse Aide (5 cr)	
HOC174 Principles of Phlebotomy (4 cr)	
HOC175 Phlebotomy Clinical Practicum (1 cr)	Must be 18 to take certification exam
HOC176 EKG Technician (4 cr)	Must be 18 to take certification exam