



**MEDICATION AIDE
PROGRAM
60 INSTRUCTION HOURS
40 CLINICAL HOURS**

COURSE TOPICS

- Basic competencies and safety for medication provision
- Basic procedures for medication provision
- Skills labs on the methods of medication provision
- Medication and the elderly
- Accurately recording medication provision

The scope of practice for medication aides in the state of Alabama is regulated by the Alabama Board of Nursing.

To be eligible for the class, a high school diploma or GED and a CNA certification is required along with a drug screen and background check.

Note: Following successful course completion, candidates can apply to take the National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) – Medication Aide Certification Exam (MACE).

**COURSE FEE: \$1,200*
(TEXTBOOKS INCLUDED)**

*Additional costs include health immunizations and exam fees. Health immunization costs vary; the fee for the MACE Exam is \$120.

MEDICATION AIDE PROGRAM

The medication aide program is a 100 hour non-credit training course that prepares the student to administer routine medications to patients in a variety of healthcare settings, primarily long-term care. Medication aides practice under the supervision of licensed nurses.

Shelton State Community College Workforce Development

**Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays
October 17 - December 15, 2022**

Classroom Hours - Mondays and Thursdays, 6:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Clinical Hours - Tuesdays, 3:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Clinical days and hours are subject to change.



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