

Health Occupations

Lex La-Ray Technical Center

Interested in Health Occupations?

In this program you will learn:

- Applying Interpersonal Relations Skills to the Health Care Team
- Utilizing Communication and Observation Skills
- Safety
- Concepts of Microbiology.
- Anatomy and Physiology of Body Systems.
- Nurse Assisting Skills.
- Clinical Observation.
- Exploration of Health Careers



Career Possibilities & Average Salaries

- Physical Therapy Assistants - \$39,430
- Medical Assistant - \$29,370
- Phlebotomist - \$29,730
- Home Health Aides - \$20,820
- Dental Assistants - \$34,500
- Mental Health Counselors- \$41,500
- Respiratory Therapist - \$55,870
- Licensed Practical Nurse - \$41,540

*Data taken from the National Occupational Handbook

Lex La-Ray Technical Center Technology Requirements

The only technology requirement for Lex La-Ray, Post Secondary, Practical Nursing, and Allied Health programs, is a valid e-mail address. This must be provided to your program instructor and/or coordinator. Students must have access to this e-mail outside of the classroom. All other technology requirements will be provided on campus.

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A Little About Health Occupations...

Health Occupations is a program utilizing knowledge, skill, and professional attitudes to explore the wide range of careers available in health services; and to provide the student the opportunity to develop the skills and attitudes necessary to become a health services assistant.

Prospective students should have high reading/comprehension ability, average math skills, and a strong desire to help others. Knowledge of science, biology, and psychology are helpful but not required. Students should be neat and clean, relate well to others, use good grammar and be able to listen attentively, take notes, and follow directions accurately.

The first few months are spent in the classroom laboratory where the student practices procedures such as measuring temperature, pulse, blood pressure; using sterile technique, personal hygiene and other basic patient care skills.

The second half of the year, students select clinical rotations in health care areas including radiology, laboratory, pharmacy, physical therapy, child care, veterinary offices, public health, dietary, emergency room, dental offices, or areas of their interest.

Classroom work includes long-term care procedures, structure and function of the body, medical terminology, pre-employment preparation, personal health and hygiene, and field trips and visits with health care professionals.

Students are given the option of being certified in CPR, First aid and as a Nursing Assistant for a long-term care facility. Second-year students will gain practical experience conducted outside the regularly supervised classroom by working in a health-related position of their choice, or completing the course work to become a Phlebotomy Technician.

Articulated Credit

Students who successfully complete one year of the program with a B average at Lex La-Ray may apply for up to 30 semester hours of transfer credit at Wentworth Military Academy toward an Associate of Science degree.

Field Experience Opportunities

- Lafayette Regional Health Center
- Dentists Offices
- Day Care Centers
- Long Term Care Facilities
- Veterinary Clinic
- Emergency Medical Services
- Elementary Schools

****Tuition is paid for by the sending school**

Secondary Admissions Policy:

1. Application with parent signature
2. Essay
3. Student Agreement/Scholarship form
4. Completion of necessary credits at Home School
5. GPA of 2.0 or higher
6. Personal Plan of Study
7. Attendance of 90% or better

Adult/Post Secondary Admissions Policy:

1. Application
2. Non-Refundable Application fee of \$25.00
3. Copies of transcript (or GED certificate) from all institutions previously attended
4. Interview with Lex La-Ray Technical Center Staff
5. 10th grade or higher reading, writing, and math skills - placement exam may be given*
6. 18 years of age or signed Parental Release Form on file with LLRTC
7. Current on all state required immunizations; records must be submitted with an application

*If the applicant did not graduate from a Missouri Public School, accredited private high school, or receive a GED Certificate, a placement exam will be administered at no cost to the applicant. A passing score is required for admittance.

Refund Policy for Adult Students, Post-Secondary (Non-Practical Nursing):

Refunds are calculated on the following schedule:

1. Withdrawal/dismissal prior to the beginning of the semester - full refund of paid tuition and fees (not including application fee) less a \$100.00 Administrative Fee.
2. Withdrawal/dismissal prior to the completion of the second week of the semester - 50% of paid tuition
3. Withdrawal/dismissal prior to the completion of the fourth week of the semester - 25% of paid tuition
4. Withdrawal/dismissal after the fourth week of the semester - No refund
5. Application fee is not refundable. Student activity fees, organization dues, shop fees, books and supplies are non-refundable after the first day of class.

The school refund policy is applicable to all non-practical nursing adult students who execute a complete withdrawal or are dismissed from course work during an academic year. The student's withdrawal/dismissal date is the last day of attendance.