

MEDICAL ASSISTANT, ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE (MED)

Full-Time Academic Plan

First Semester		Hours
AHM 102	Introduction to Health Care	3
AHM 104	Body Structure and Function I ¹	3
AHM 105	Body Structure and Function II ¹	3
AHM 233	Medical Terminology	3
ENG 100	English Composition I	3
Hours		15
Second Semester		Hours
AHM 106	Medical Assistant Clinical I	4
AHM 140	Professional and Communication Issues in Health Care	3
AHM 208	Pathophysiology and Pharmacology	4
CS 100	Introduction to Information Technology	3
Hours		14
Third Semester		Hours
AHM 107	Medical Assistant Clinical II	4
AHM 130	Medical Coding Concepts for Allied Health	3
AHM 185	Medical Office Management	4
AHM 220	Applied Microbiology	1
Hours		12
Fourth Semester		Hours
AHM 199	Medical Assistant Externship	4
Hours		4
Fifth Semester		Hours
AHA 207	Ethical/Legal Aspects of Health Care Management	3
COMM 100 or COMM 111 or BUS 130	Interpersonal Communication or Public Speaking or Business Communication	3
MAT 120 or MAT 121	Modern College Mathematics or Introduction to Probability and Statistics	3
PSY 140	General Psychology	3
SOC 110	Introduction to Sociology	3
Hours		15
Total Hours		60

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BIO 150 Human Anatomy and Physiology I and BIO 151 Human Anatomy and Physiology II can be substituted for AHM 104 Body Structure and Function I and AHM 105 Body Structure and Function II.

Students have the option of integrating the fifth semester courses into the first, second, and third semesters. Courses cannot be integrated into the fourth semester as students are not permitted to take courses while participating in externship. If a student takes any of the fifth semester courses while pursuing the Medical Assistant, Certificate of Proficiency (CMED), they must declare a dual major in Medical Assistant, Certificate of Proficiency (CMED) and Medical Assistant, AAS (MED).

Students may complete all courses in the Medical Assistant, Certificate of Proficiency (CMED) prior to taking courses included in the fifth semester. If a student chooses to complete the Medical Assistant, AAS (MED) after completing Medical Assistant, Certificate of Proficiency (CMED), they must change their major to Medical Assistant, AAS (MED).