Patient Care Technician (PCT) for CNAs

The Patient Care Technician course teaches the technical skills necessary to service complex personal patient care issues including the implementation of selected portions of a specific care plan that may include rehabilitation services, basic bedside care, collection of laboratory specimens, phlebotomy and EKG’s primarily geared for the inpatient setting. The Patient Care Technician works alongside doctors, nurses and other healthcare providers to oversee and monitor patients. This Patient Care Technician training will provide students with the basic medical knowledge and hands-on skills necessary to perform or obtain technical diagnostic testing and perform direct patient care. (157 hours)

Prerequisite: A current CNA license (A copy of license/certificate must be furnished prior to registration. Contact (718) 368-6630 for approval permit).

**CTF 93**
Intro to Patient Care Technician $245
Tue-Thu 6:45-9:45pm
Apr 12-Jun 7 OR
Sun 9am-2pm
Apr 10-Jun 19

Study includes patient care, basic anatomy and physiology, infection control, legal and ethical responsibilities, vital signs, collecting specimens, maintaining skin integrity through application of soaks, simple dressing changes, decubitus care; removing Foley catheters, knowledge of behavioral health, and patients with special needs.

Materials fee: $20
Prerequisite: Current CNA license. A copy of license/certificate must be furnished before registration. Contact (718) 368-6630 for approval.

**RTP 40**
Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers (BLS HCP) (T)
Original 9am-5pm $75
Renewal 9am-1pm $35
Fri Apr 15 OR
May 20 OR
June 10
Sun Apr 10 OR
May 15
June 5
Call 718-368-5050 for additional dates.

This highly interactive course provides the skills to recognize and provide care in respiratory and cardiac emergencies, using the latest 2010 AHA guidelines, to teach adult, child and infant cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and automatic external defibrillator (AED) use. Upon successful completion, you will receive a BLS HCP card issued by AHA, valid for two years.

Students are responsible for studying the required textbook prior to class. Information for textbook retrieval will be given upon registration.

**CTF 90**
EKG/ECG Technician (T) $245
Mon-Wed 6:45-9:45pm
Mon-Wed 6:45-9:45pm
Apr 11-June 8 OR
Sat 9am-2pm
Apr 9-June 18

This course provides opportunities to learn and practice techniques employed by EKG/ECG technicians, while learning many of the basic terms associated with cardiovascular, anatomy and physiology.

Prerequisite: CTF 20 Anatomy & Physiology
For Patient Care Technician for CNA certificate, CTF 93 Introduction to Patient Care Technician is the pre-requisite.
Materials fee: $20
White lab coat required (purchased separately) not included in materials fee.

**CTF 91**
Phlebotomy Procedures (T) $275
Tue-Thur 6:45-9:45pm
Apr 12-June 23 OR
Sat 9am-4:10pm
Apr 9-June 18

This course provides theoretical and laboratory preparation for entry-level performance as a phlebotomist. It focuses on vascular anatomy and physiology; performance of venipuncture techniques; and additional responsibilities of phlebotomists as members of the healthcare team.

Note: Only mannequin arms are used in class for student training. Students must meet the National Healthcare Association requirement of live sticks at an outside clinical facility prior to taking the certifying exam.

Prerequisite: CTF 20 Anatomy & Physiology.
For Patient Care Technician for CNA certificate, CTF 93 Introduction to Patient Care Technician is the pre-requisite.
Materials fee: $25
White lab coat required (purchased separately) not included in materials fee.