



Patient Care Career Pathway

North-Central Wisconsin Career Pathway Consortium

2021-2022



EXPLORE: Click on the links to find the job titles that seem most interesting to you to learn more! Save any jobs you are interested in from this career pathway in your XELLO account so that you can create an Academic and Career Plan (ACP) later on.

Educational Level May also require work experience	Therapeutic Services			Diagnostic Services
	Direct Care	Nursing <small>*crosses Direct Care & Behavioral Health</small>	Behavioral Health	
High School Diploma, Certification	Activities Assistant * Appointment Coordinator	Food and Nutrition Services * Patient Advocate * Range \$18,000 - \$71,000	Home Health Aide * Personal Care Aide *O Range \$18,000 - \$71,000	Transporter * Environmental Services * Range \$22,000 - \$35,000
Certification or Technical Diploma	Nursing Assistant *O (strongly recommended for all Therapeutic Service careers) Range \$22,000 - \$41,000			Medical Lab Processor Range \$22,000 - \$35,000
	Dental Assistant *O Emergency Medical Technician * Medical Assistant *O Pharmacy Technician *O Range \$24,000 - \$60,000	Licensed Practical Nurse *O Range \$35,000 - \$63,000	Psychiatric Aide *O Community Health Worker *O Peer Support Specialist	EKG Technician * Ophthalmic Lab Technician *O Phlebotomist *O Sterile Processing Technician * Range \$25,000 - \$94,000
Registered Apprenticeship	Medical Assistant *O Range \$26,000 - \$49,000			
Associate Degree	Occupational Therapy Assistant *O Paramedic *O Physical Therapy Assistant *O Respiratory Therapist *O Surgical Technologist *O 𠄎 Range \$24,000 - \$87,000	Registered Nurse (ADN) *O 𠄎 Range \$52,000 - \$111,000	Community Worker and Social Service Specialist *O 𠄎 Range \$24,000 - \$54,000	Medical Administrative Assistant *O Cardiovascular Technician *O Diagnostic Medical Sonographer *O Medical Lab Technician *O Radiologic Technologist * Range \$26,000 - \$102,000
Bachelor Degree and beyond	Doctor *O Physician Assistant *O Occupational Therapist *O Pharmacist O Physical Therapist *O Speech Language Pathologist *O Range \$50,000 - \$163,000	Clinical Nurse Specialist * Nurse Anesthetist *O Nurse Practitioner *O Professor or Nurse Educator * Registered Nurse (BSN) *O 𠄎 Nurse Midwife *O Range \$41,000 - \$208,000	Community Health Educator * Counselor * Psychologist O Psychiatrist *O Social Worker *O 𠄎 Child Life Specialist 𠄎 Range \$30,000 - \$208,000	Clinical Laboratory Scientist * 𠄎 Nuclear Medicine Technologist *O Radiologist O Medical Dosimetrist * Research Assistant * 𠄎 Pathology Assistant Range \$31,000 - \$208,000
Postsecondary Options	Click HERE for Postsecondary Options	Click HERE for Postsecondary Options	Click HERE for Postsecondary Options	Click HERE for Postsecondary Options

- * **BRIGHT OUTLOOK** = these jobs are expected to grow in the future – which means more opportunities for you!
- O **XELLO** = you can learn more and save this job in your Xello account (note: some job titles might look a little different in Xello)
- 𠄎 **INTERNSHIP** - there are internship opportunities available in this region for this career with certain industry partners



Patient Care Career Pathway In High School



A career pathway in high school must include:

- A sequence of courses (including at least 2 CTE courses)
- Two of the following components: *Career and Technical Student Organization, Work-based Learning, Industry Recognized Credential, College Credit Opportunity*

Career and Technical Education Courses	Must include a sequence of at least TWO Career and Technical Education courses. Should align with Education Building Blocks for the pathway: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • • 				CAREER EXPLORATION PROGRAMS					
Relevant Academic Courses	Should align with Education Building Blocks for this pathway: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • 									
Career and Technical Student Organization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wisconsin HOSA-Future Health Professionals 									
Work-Based Learning Program Options	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employability Skills (90 hrs) • Youth Apprenticeship- Health Science (450 hrs/year; 1-2 years) • Local Work-based Learning Programs that meet state quality requirements 									
	Direct Care	Nursing	Behavioral Health	Diagnostic Services						
Industry Recognized Credential Options Learn the skills that employers want to see! <i>Italics = must be 18 years old to obtain</i> *This certification is eligible for reimbursement through the technical incentive grant	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td data-bbox="401 892 994 978"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic Life Support (AHA) or Professional Rescuer (ARC) CPR/AED and First Aid • Certified Nursing Assistant* (DHS) </td> <td data-bbox="994 892 1516 978"></td> <td data-bbox="1516 892 1912 978"></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="401 978 994 1228"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medication Aide/Assistant* (DHS) • Feeding Assistant* (DHS) • Emergency Medical Responder* (NREMT) • Medical Assistant* (AAMA, AMT, NHA) • Pharmacy Technician* (PTCB) • Emergency Medical Technician* (NREMT) </td> <td data-bbox="994 978 1516 1228"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medication Aide/Assistant* (DHS) </td> <td data-bbox="1516 978 1912 1228"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phlebotomy* (AMT, NHA) • Phlebotomy Technician* (ASCP) • IV Technician* (ASCP) • EKG Technician* (NHA) </td> </tr> </table>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic Life Support (AHA) or Professional Rescuer (ARC) CPR/AED and First Aid • Certified Nursing Assistant* (DHS) 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medication Aide/Assistant* (DHS) • Feeding Assistant* (DHS) • Emergency Medical Responder* (NREMT) • Medical Assistant* (AAMA, AMT, NHA) • Pharmacy Technician* (PTCB) • Emergency Medical Technician* (NREMT) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medication Aide/Assistant* (DHS) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phlebotomy* (AMT, NHA) • Phlebotomy Technician* (ASCP) • IV Technician* (ASCP) • EKG Technician* (NHA)
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College Credit Opportunities	You can find the list of college credit opportunities included in the postsecondary options for this pathway HERE .									