Career Opportunities

The Health Care industry offers exciting, high-wage careers in literally hundreds of different areas of specialization. This program allows students the freedom to explore these areas of the health profession while preparing for employment or college.

- Audiology
- Anesthesiology
- Biology or Chemistry
- Cardiology
- Clinical Laboratory
- Counseling
- Dietary
- Health Care Administration
- Laboratory Technology
- Medical Research
- Nursing / Nursing Assistant
- Occupational / Physical / Speech Therapy
- Paramedic / EMT / Emergency Care
- Pharmacy
- Physician
- Physician Assistant / Nurse Practitioner
- Psychology
- Radiology Technology
- Respiratory Therapy
- Sports Medicine
- Veterinary Science

Sullivan County Career & Technical Education Center

“Skills, knowledge and work ethic for the 21st century”

Health Occupations

The Health Occupations Program is one of the many programs offered through the Career & Technical Education Center of Sullivan County.

CTE prepares students to be college and career ready. Students leave the program with the skills necessary for success in post-secondary education, the workforce, apprenticeships, or the military.

Students have the opportunity to earn up to seven high school credits towards graduation, while meeting industry standards and learning the job skills essential for a specific career or trade.

All of our NYS Education Department approved programs include articulation agreements with colleges and trade schools. Students can earn college credit toward an associate or bachelor degree while they are in high school.

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Fast track your healthcare career at the Career & Tech Center. Whether you are looking to pursue a two-year, four-year, graduate degree, or enter the workforce after high school, the Career & Tech Center’s Health Occupations Program can help you find your way.

The program allows you the freedom to explore various professions while preparing for employment or college. Students learn through classroom, lab and internship/clinical experiences at local health care facilities.

The first year of the program provides a basic introduction to health related careers and the second year allows students to explore a defined path related to their areas of interest. The structure of the program not only allows students to explore career choices, job shadow, and build a professional portfolio, but also gives students the opportunity to obtain a New York State Nursing Assistant Certification (CNA).

**Educational Paths**

**Introduction to Health Occupations**
- Prepares students with basic theory and skills related to the health profession
- Explores multiple options in the health career cluster

**Health Occupation II: Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA)**
- Study of basic anatomy, nutrition, and other fundamental healthcare theory
- Training is specific to obtaining NYS Nurse Aide Certification
- Hands-on clinical experience pertaining to the duties of a nursing assistant in New York State

**Allied Health**
- Provides advanced study of related health occupations
- Tailored to individual student interests

**New Vision Health (Admission Process Required)**
- Rigorous program for college bound Seniors who are interested in the health field
- Opportunity for advanced college preparation and career exploration

**Student Benefits**

- Hands-on training in a state-of-the-art laboratory
- Career and Technical Endorsement on your high school diploma for successful completion of coursework
- Nursing Assistant Certification (CNA) for successful completion of the coursework and New York State administered written and practical exams.
- Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Certification
- A resume that will impress employers and colleges
- Membership in the SkillsUSA Club
- Credits may be earned from the following colleges after successfully completing the program:
  * Columbia-Green Community College
  * SUNY Sullivan
  * SUNY Upstate Medical