

Nurse Aide Training

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Western CO Area Health Education Center

2938 North Avenue Unit B
Grand Junction, CO 81504
970-434-5474

Class Schedule 2021:

EVENING Classes: February 16 – March 25 (1 Friday may be required); March 29 – May 6;
May 10 – June 17 (1 Friday may be required); June 21 – July 29; August 9 – September 16

DAY Classes: To be determined

Instructors: Danielle “Dede” Artaz; Heather Lind; Bev Olson; Summer Sample;

Location: **2938 North Avenue Unit B, Grand Junction, CO 81504**

Miscellaneous:

-**Clinical times** are scheduled during the **last 3 days of class from 6:00 am to 2:00 pm or 2:00 pm to 10:00 pm.** Clinical times are scheduled for the best possible clinical experience that can be provided to a student. **If any Clinical time is missed, you must redo all 3 days.**

-Prepares students to take the CO Certified Nurse Aide Exam.

-Classes are 104 hours.

-After successful completion of the course, students take a written exam and a skills evaluation for obtaining a state certification; test fees are included in the tuition fee of **\$1,130.00.**

-Tuition fee of **\$1,130** includes nonrefundable \$50 application fee, nonrefundable \$50 background screening required by the Colorado Board of Nursing, \$135 certification exam fee, malpractice insurance, books and a set of scrubs for clinicals.

- **If the background screening runs over the \$50.00, the tuition is increased by the difference between the background screening cost and \$50.00.**

-Scholarships may be available, based on eligibility criteria, through the Workforce Center, located at 512 29 ½ Rd. First step is to stop at the Workforce Center or make an appointment with a counselor (970-248-0871).

-To register, a candidate must submit a filled-in application with a **deposit of \$300.00** and pay the \$50.00 background check fee.

Health Requirements:

-Proof of a flu shot for classes with Clinical times scheduled for October through March. **Due by start of class.**

-Proof of a negative skin test for tuberculosis (TST/PPD skin test) **within the last year. Due by start of class.**

Cost is \$15 at the Community Hospital Occupational Health - 2004 N.12th Street. Phone: (970) 256-6490

Test placement: Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays 7 am to 5 pm. Readings are 72 hours later.

If placed on Monday, test will be read on Thursday. If placed on Tuesday, test will be read on Friday.

If placed on Friday, test will be read on Monday.

Thank you for your interest! For an Application or if you have questions, please call: **970-434-5474 ext. 2**