



Medical Assistant Program this fall

BEDFORD — Vincennes University will offer a non-credit Clinical Medical Assistant Training Program to prepare students to perform patient clinical skills in a medical office setting.

Graduates will earn a VU Certificate of Completion and gain the training and skills required to take the National Healthcare Association Certified Medical Assistant national exam.

Class will be from 6-9:30 p.m. Sept. 3-Dec. 5, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, Rooms 300-301 at StoneGate.

Those interested may attend student orientation at 6 p.m. Aug. 1 at StoneGate, 931 15th St., or contact Jim McFaul at (812) 481-5909, or at jmcfaul@vinu.edu.

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Developing a plan

Citizens give input on Bedford Comprehensive Plan update

BEDFORD — Bedford residents and those who work in Bedford offered their input during a five-day community design workshop comprised of focus groups, stakeholder interviews, surveys and interactive meetings during the Limestone Festival, June 27-July 1.

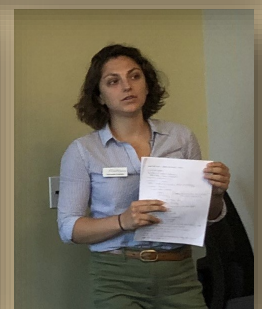
The event was capped with a public open house at StoneGate Arts & Education Center July 1.

According to Katy Shackelford of Lochmueller Group, who guided the study, “Bedford’s Comprehensive and Downtown Plan Update will guide future growth and development for the next 20 years and provide the framework for securing state and federal funding for community projects. As a result of the previous plan, Bedford achieved Stellar Community designation in 2013,” Shackelford said.

“To date, the 2013 Stellar Community projects have brought more than \$27 million of investment to downtown Bedford and resulted in projects including the Stonecutters Place Senior Apartments, StoneGate Arts & Education Center, and the Downtown Depot relocation,” she said.

Those unable to attend the Comprehensive and Downtown Plan update events may give feedback by completing an online survey at www.surveymonkey.com/r/BedfordCompPlan through July 12.

For more information, go to www.bedford.in.us, contact Shackelford at (314) 446-5404 or at kshackelford@lochgroup.com.



BEDFORD — Above, Katy Shackelford (left) is assisted by Colleen Durfee (right) in leading a steering committee meeting June 28 for the City of Bedford’s Comprehensive Plan update. The final event was a public open house at StoneGate Arts & Education Center, July 1.

Check out StoneGate online:

- www.stonegateeducation.com
- www.facebook.com/stonegateartsandeducation

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OCU summer classes

MBA/MSSM Classes, July 1-Aug. 25, 2019

- **Tuesdays, 7/2-8-20:**
 - ◇ MBA/MSSM 555, International Business Management, Room 103, 6 p.m.
- **Thursdays, 7/4-8/22:**
 - ◇ MBA/MSSM 505, Research Methods, Room 103, 6 p.m.
 - ◇ MBA/MSSM 553, Six Sigma Principals, Room 102, 6 p.m.

Undergraduate Classes, July 1-Aug.4, 2019

- **Mondays, 7/1-7/29:**
 - ◇ MGT 415, International Business Management, Room 305, 6 p.m.
 - ◇ MKT 201, Principals of Marketing, Room 302, 6 p.m.
- **Tuesdays, 7/2-7/30:**
 - ◇ BUS 302, Business Economics, Room 305, 6 p.m.

StoneGate updates



Finishing touches are underway at StoneGate Arts & Education Center. ABOVE: New signage adorns the north entrance of the facility. LEFT: StoneGate's north parking lot striping has been completed.

*Freedom is never given;
it is won.*

—A. Philip Randolph

