NORTHEAST
MISSISSIPPI COMMUNITY COLLEGE

START YOUR HEALTHCARE CAREER

CERTIFIED NURSE AIDE TRAINING PROGRAM



EVENING CLASSES | **CLINICAL EXPERIENCE**

RIPLEY

Tippah Career & Technology Center
2560 CR 501, Ripley, MS 38663

CLASSES
Monday & Tuesday
March 8, 2027
5:30 PM - 9:30 PM

CLINICALS
Tippah County Nursing Home

CORINTH

Alcorn County Career & Technology Center
2101 Norman Rd, Corinth, MS

CLASSES
Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday
January 11, 2027
5:30 PM - 9:30 PM

CLINICALS
MS Care Center

PROGRAM COST

$400 — **Tuition & Books**
Check, money order, or debit/credit card

$55 — **Fingerprinting & Background Check**
Must be paid by debit/credit card

SELECTION CRITERIA

- Age 18 or older
- ACT 15 or WorkKeys Silver
- Complete Application Packet
- Full Payment Reserves Your Seat

APPLY TODAY!
SCAN HERE

SEATS LIMITED!

QUESTIONS? CONTACT US!
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CNA Student Requirements

All requirements must be completed before classes begin.

📝 REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- ✅ Trainee Application
- ✅ High School Diploma or GED
- ✅ Driver's License/ID
- ✅ ACT (15+) OR Work Keys (Silver)
- ✅ Finger Printing $55

💉 VACCINATIONS

- ✅ Flu Shot
- ✅ TB Test (within 3 months)
- ✅ Hepatitis B (3 shots)
- ✅ MMR (2 shots) or immunity
- ⚠️ Do NOT receive if pregnant or planning pregnancy within 3 months

🩺 HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

- ✅ Physical Exam
- ✅ Drug Screen (5- or 10-panel)

💵 TUITION

- ✅ $400
- ✅ Check, money order, or card
- ✅ Includes books & insurance

📚 ATTENDANCE

- ✅ All clinicals required (no absences)
- ✅ Up to 3 absences (with excuse)
- ❌ 4th absence = dismissal

📞 NEED HELP?

📍 Holliday Hall, Room 303
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✔️ Tip: Start early and stay organized

Program Overview

Certified Nursing Assistant Program

The Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) Program prepares students to provide basic patient care under the supervision of licensed nursing staff. Graduates will gain the knowledge and hands-on skills needed to assist patients with daily living activities and support healthcare teams in a variety of settings.

Program Objectives

Upon completion of the program, students will be able to:

- Provide safe and effective basic patient care
- Demonstrate proper infection control practices
- Maintain patient dignity, privacy, and rights
- Communicate effectively with patients, families, and healthcare team members
- Perform clinical skills required for state certification

Program Structure

- **Classroom Instruction:** Covers theory, safety, and patient care concepts
- **Skills Lab Training:** Hands-on practice in a supervised environment
- **Clinical Experience:** Real-world training in an approved healthcare facility

Admission Requirements

Applicants must:

- Meet minimum age requirement - 17 years old
- Complete application form
- Provide valid identification
- Pass background check and drug screening (if required)
- Meet health requirements (immunizations, TB test, etc)

Program Length

Program duration varies by location but typically includes:

Total Hours: 120 hours

Certification

After successful completion, students are eligible to:

- Take the state CNA certification exam
- Be listed on the state nurse aide registry upon passing

Career Opportunities

Graduates may find employment in:

- Hospitals
- Long-term care facilities
- Assisted living centers
- Home health agencies
- Clinics

Skills You Will Learn

- Vital signs measurement
- Patient hygiene and grooming
- Mobility and positioning techniques
- Nutrition and feeding assistance
- Infection control procedures
- Communication and documentation

What to Expect

- Hands-on training and practical exams
- Professional expectations including attendance and participation
- Clinical rotations in a healthcare setting

How to Apply

1. Complete program application
2. Submit required documentation