



Athena Career Academy

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PROGRAM GUIDE

The Fast Track to Your Future!



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ABOUT ATHENA CAREER ACADEMY

We are dedicated to the personal success of our students. Through this commitment, we have developed a comprehensive curriculum designed to prepare students for a satisfying career in today's economic environment. We strive to create a nurturing training environment that meets the needs of our student base. We believe that learning is enhanced in a positive relationship that develops between the student and instructor.

Our instruction includes teaching in the best practices of adult learning and career placement as well as incorporates teachings in dignity, cultural diversity, and customer service. Teaching and Learning exist beyond the classroom lecture to include "soft skills", personal tutoring, "hands on" instruction and student centered learning. Our goal is to make sure our students are trained to make a positive difference in their chosen careers.

Thank you for visiting our website.
We encourage you to call and make an appointment with our admission department to start your new future today!



ACADEMIC PARTNERSHIP

Athena Career Academy has teamed up with Chamberlain University to provide you with access to high-quality nursing and public health education programs at a partner tuition rate.

Athena Career Academy recognizes that Chamberlain's up-to-date, relevant curriculum provides information and insight that even the most seasoned practitioner can apply to their current and future roles. And, with 100% online coursework, you can continue to work your normal schedule while still having time left for you and your family.

So Athena Career Academy is connecting you to the best resources for investing in your future as a healthcare professional through Chamberlain University. Take advantage of all the benefits provided, including the partner tuition rates, today and start earning an advanced degree from Chamberlain to help take your career to the next level.

For more information contact Denise McKenna, Chamberlain University: (216) 544-3912 or email dmckenna@chamberlain.edu.

BENEFITS OF ATHENA CAREER ACADEMY'S COLLABORATION WITH CHAMBERLAIN:

- You are eligible for a partner tuition rate for the following programs:
 - RN to BSN Online Option
 - Master of Science in Nursing Degree Program
 - Doctor of Nursing Practice Degree Program
 - Graduate Certificate Programs
- 10% Off Tuition
- No application fee
- Complimentary transcript request and evaluation service upon application



CHAMBERLAIN
UNIVERSITY

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FULLY ACCREDITED AND APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Athena Career Academy is accredited by the Commission of the Council on Occupational Education. In addition to its COE accreditation, Athena is approved by the Ohio Board of Nursing, the Ohio Department of Health, and the Ohio Board of Career Colleges and Schools. We are proud to offer Title IV Financial Aid for our day and evening Practical Nursing, Medical Assistant classes, LPN to RN program and Early Childhood Education to those who qualify.



VISION STATEMENT

To excel in providing students with a quality education program that inspires a respect and value for life-long learning.

MISSION STATEMENT

Athena Career Academy's mission is to provide quality educational programs that produce a competent and educated workforce.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The Alpha Beta Kappa National Honor Society recognizes superior student academic achievement at many private post secondary schools, institutes, colleges and universities throughout our nation. It is the mark of distinction for an institution to be awarded a Chapter of Alpha Beta Kappa.



PROGRAM OVERVIEW

PRACTICAL NURSING

Athena Career Academy specializes in the field of nursing. You can train to become a Practical Nurse in just one year. This career is in very high demand and provides very lucrative compensation. We have included some of the most common questions about our program.

Q *What is a Practical Nurse?*

Practical Nurses (PN) provide patient care to the sick, injured, convalescent, and disabled under the direction of physicians and registered nurses. PN's administer medications, perform IV therapies, monitor and evaluate care needs, check vital signs and perform procedures such as bathing, dressing, and wound care. They also supervise the care delivered by the nursing assistants, home health aides and medical assistants.

Q *Where do PNs work?*

PN's work in settings like hospitals, long-term care and rehabilitation facilities, outpatient facilities, clinics, and home care.



Q *What are the admission requirements?*

Persons interested in attending the Practical Nursing Program must meet the following criteria for admittance:

PART 1

- Information Session
- Complete FAFSA <https://studentaid.gov>

PART 2: (FA/DS/BKGD)

- Financial Aid Appointment
- Drug screen - \$25 **Panel drug screen required and must be no earlier than 90 days prior to start date - Payable by Student (If you fail drug screen after two separate attempts, you will be unable to attend Athena indefinitely.)**
- BCI/FBI Background Check - **Payable by Athena**
- Scrub Fitting/Picture - **for photo ID/Badge**

PART 3: (DOCUMENTS) *[Must scan, fax, or show hard copy. CANNOT accept "screenshots or pictures"]*

- Government Issued Identification
- Social Security Card **If applicable, Citizenship requirements include I-94 form, current U.S. passport, or proof of alien registration number**
- High School or GED Transcripts **(Copies of Diploma are NOT accepted) - Foreign transcripts must be evaluated, and proof of U.S. equivalency provided**
- CPR Card - BLS **Healthcare Provider through the American Heart Association ONLY! - Heart Code BLS + BLS Skills Session or BLS Provider ONLY**
- Pre-Admissions Health Form - **signed and stamped by Physician within the last year - Must use form provided by Athena, if stamp is not available, letter of verification is required**
- 2 Step TB **(Current 2 step which includes a shot in each arm 1 to 3 weeks (7 to 21 days) apart OR proof of original 2-step and up-to-date annuals, OR a clear chest x-ray that is negative for TB conducted within a 12-month window prior to the start date, OR a current negative QuantiFERON® -TB Gold Plus-QFT-Plus)**
- MMR **(2 injection series anytime in lifetime OR a positive IGG titer within the last 10 years. If the titer is negative, a booster shot is required)**
- Varicella **(1 injections anytime in lifetime OR a positive IGG titer within the last 10 years. If the titer is negative, a booster shot is required)**
- Hepatitis B Series **(3 injection series anytime in lifetime OR a positive IGG titer within the last 10 years OR signed Athena Hepatitis B Vaccine Waiver)**
- Tdap, Td, or Tetanus **(1 injection within the last 10 years)**
- Flu Shot **(Current/Upcoming Season) Only needed if you are starting between September through April (Please note when flu season returns, you will be required to get one while in the program)**
- Covid-19 Vaccine(s) **(Completed Series-Fully Vaccinated) *2 Pfizer, 2 Moderna, or 1 Johnson & Johnson's Janssen***

PART 4: (ENROLLMENT)

- Online Application **(Provided by Admissions Representative)**
- Complete State of Ohio Disclosure Course
- Sign Enrollment Agreement **(This reserves your seat!)**
- Payment **(If applicable)**



Q *How long does it take to complete the PN program?*

The PN program at Athena Career Academy takes one year to complete with day classes and 18 months with evening classes.

Q *Will I be licensed at the conclusion of the program?*

Because of the high level of patient responsibility, nursing is highly regulated, requiring both education and a license. Graduates must complete a state approved practical nursing program and pass the National NCLEX-PN Nursing Board Exam. The Board of Nursing regulates nursing education programs in Ohio that prepare students for initial licensure as a PN. Athena Career Academy has been granted full approval by the Ohio Board of Nursing for our program.

Q *What types of courses are taught in the program?*

Course work in the PN program includes courses such as anatomy/physiology, fundamentals of nursing, pharmacology, obstetrics, pediatrics, medical/surgical nursing, geriatrics, IV therapy, and professional transitions.

Q *What is included in the PN Program?*

The PN Program is an all-inclusive program that includes:

- PN Training
- Clinical Practicum
- Books & Materials
- Lab Fees & Supplies
- Uniform
- State Board of Nursing Test Fee
- Simulation Lab Training

Q *How much are PNs compensated?*

The majority of our graduates have been placed in nursing positions that make up to \$25 per hour!

Q *Where can you take your classes?*

Our Practical Nursing Program is offered at our campus:



5203 Airport Highway, Toledo, Ohio

Q *When can you start your classes?*

New classes start approximately every three months, but all required documents and out of pocket expenses must be submitted by the registration deadline.

PROGRAM COST PRACTICAL NURSING

PRE-REGISTRATION COSTS

Entrance Test Fee (<i>paid to Athena</i>)	\$30.00
Drug Screen (<i>paid to Athena</i>)	\$25.00

PROGRAM COSTS

Registration Fee	\$120.00
Books, Uniforms, Supplies and Lab Fees	\$1,845.00
Tuition	\$21,600.00

Total	\$23,565.00
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LICENSURE FEES (PAID TO 3RD PARTY)*

PN-NCLEX (<i>OH or MI, school pays for first attempt only</i>)	\$200.00
Records Check Prior to State Exam (<i>student pays</i>)	\$85.00
Application Fee (<i>Ohio, school pays initial fee only</i>) OR	\$78.50
Application Fee (<i>Michigan, school pays initial fee only</i>)	\$135.00

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

LPN TO RN PROGRAM

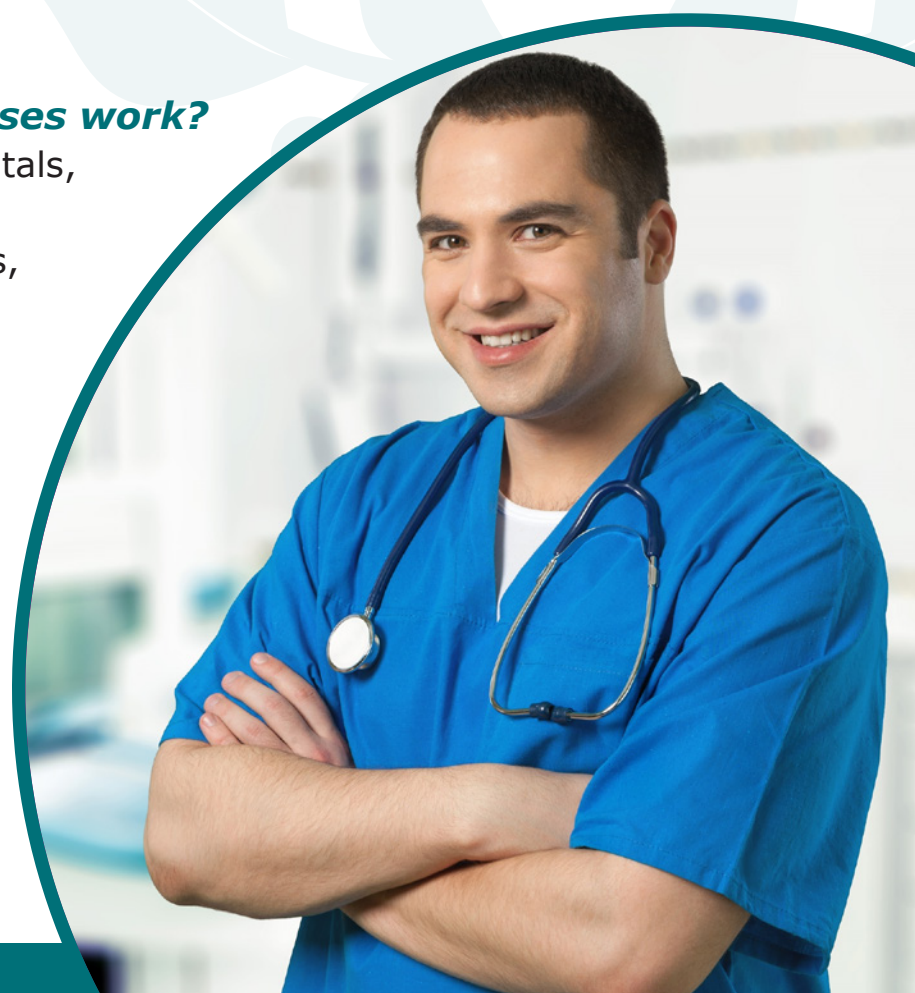
Athena specializes in the field of nursing. Those who have their LPN license can learn to become a Registered Nurse in just one year. This career is in very high demand and provides very lucrative compensation. We have included some of the most common questions about our program.

Q *What is an RN?*

Registered Nurses (RNs) provide and coordinate patient care, educate patients and the public about various health conditions, and provide advice and emotional support to patients and their family members.

Q *Where do Registered Nurses work?*

RNs work in settings like hospitals, long term care and rehabilitation facilities, outpatient facilities, clinics, medical offices and home care.



Q *What are the admission requirements?*

Persons interested in attending the Practical Nursing Program must meet the following criteria for admittance:

PART 1

- Information Session
- Official Copy of LPN Transcript (*For review/approval*)
- Active and Valid Ohio LPN License (*Conducted by the Ohio Board of Nursing*) <https://nursing.ohio.gov>
- Complete FAFSA <https://studentaid.gov>

PART 2: (FA/DS/BKGD)

- Financial Aid Appointment
- Drug screen - \$25 *Panel drug screen required no earlier than 90 days prior to start date - Payable by Student (If you fail drug screen after two separate attempts, you will be unable to attend Athena indefinitely.)*
- BCI/FBI Background Check - *Payable by Athena*
- Scrub Fitting/Picture - *for photo ID/Badge*

PART 3: (DOCUMENTS) [*Must scan, fax, or show hard copy. CANNOT accept "screenshots or pictures"*]

- Government Issued Identification
- Social Security Card *If applicable, Citizenship requirements include I-94 form, current U.S. passport, or proof of alien registration number*
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- CPR Card - BLS *Healthcare Provider through the American Heart Association ONLY! - Heart Code BLS + BLS Skills Session or BLS Provider ONLY*
- Pre-Admissions Health Form - *signed and stamped by Physician within the last year - Must use form provided by Athena, if stamp is not available, letter of verification is required*
- 2 Step TB (*Current 2 step which includes a shot in each arm 1 to 3 weeks (7 to 21 days) apart OR proof of original 2-step and up-to-date annuals, OR a clear chest x-ray that is negative for TB conducted within a 12-month window prior to the start date, OR a current negative QuantiFERON® -TB Gold Plus-QFT-Plus*)
- MMR (*2 injection series anytime in lifetime OR a positive IGG titer within the last 10 years. If the titer is negative, a booster shot is required*)
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- Hepatitis B Series (*3 injection series anytime in lifetime OR a positive IGG titer within the last 10 years OR signed Athena Hepatitis B Vaccine Waiver*)
- Tdap, Td, or Tetanus (*1 injection within the last 10 years*)
- Flu Shot (*Current/Upcoming Season*) *Only needed if you are starting between September through April (Please note when flu season returns, you will be required to get one while in the program)*
- Covid-19 Vaccine(s) (*Completed Series-Fully Vaccinated*) *2 Pfizer, 2 Moderna, or 1 Johnson & Johnson's Janssen*

PART 4: (ENROLLMENT)

- Online Application (*Provided by Admissions Representative*) & State of Ohio Disclosure Course
- Sign Enrollment Agreement (*This reserves your seat!*)
- Payment (*If applicable*)



Q *How long does it take to complete the LPN to RN program?*

The PN program at Athena Career Academy takes one year to complete with day classes and 16 months with evening classes.

Q *Will I be licensed at the conclusion of the program?*

Because of the high level of patient responsibility, nursing is highly regulated, requiring both education and a license. Graduates must complete a state approved registered nursing program and pass the National NCLEX Nursing Board Exam. The Board of Nursing regulates nursing education programs in Ohio that prepare students for initial licensure as an RN. Athena Career Academy has been approved by the Ohio Board of Nursing for our program.

Q *What types of courses are taught in the program?*

Course work in the LPN to RN program includes general education classes such as Nutrition, Pathophysiology, Intro to Psychology and Cultural Diversity Awareness. Nursing Classes include Transition Classes, Psychiatric Nursing, Adult Nursing, Family Nursing, Pharmacology, Wellness and Preventative Care, Community Nursing, and Advanced Nursing Care.

Q *What is included in the program?*

The LPN to RN Program is an all-inclusive program that includes:

- Classroom Training
- Clinical Practicum
- Books & Materials
- Lab Fees & Supplies
- Uniform
- State Board of Nursing Test Fee
- Simulation Lab Training

Q *How much are RNs compensated?*

According to the Dept. of Labor Bureau of Labor Statistics, a Registered Nurse can expect to earn \$30.19 on average.

Q *Where can you take your classes?*

Our Practical Nursing Program is offered at our campus:



5203 Airport Highway, Toledo, Ohio

PROGRAM COST

LPN TO RN PROGRAM

PRE-REGISTRATION COSTS

Drug Screen (*paid to Athena*) \$25.00

PROGRAM COSTS

Registration Fee \$120.00

Books, Uniforms, Supplies and Lab Fees \$1,540.00

Tuition \$22,700.00

Total \$24,360.00

LICENSURE FEES (PAID TO 3RD PARTY)*

PN-NCLEX (*OH or MI, school pays for first attempt only*) \$200.00

Records Check Prior to State Exam (*student pays*) \$85.00

Application Fee (*Ohio, school pays initial fee only*) **OR** \$78.50

Application Fee (*Michigan, school pays initial fee only*) \$135.00

**Athena Alumni are able to apply for a LPN to RN Completion Grant of \$1,200.00 which is completely funded by the school. Please visit our Alumni page for requirements and more information, [click here](#).

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PROGRAM

Athena is dedicated to offering a comprehensive Early Childhood Education Associate Degree Program Majoring in Early Childhood Education Birth through age 5; and school age programming. You will learn how to educate, encourage, use positive guidance, inspire, and use Developmentally Appropriate Practice Methods. You will study the developmental levels of birth through age 8. Athena integrates into their curriculum NAEYC (National Association for the Education of Young Children) standards and Ohio's Early Learning and Development Standards in all Essential Domains Birth through Age 5.

Q *Where can I work with my degree in Early Childhood Education?*

Athena graduates will not only be prepared to OWN and OPERATE a childcare center, they will also be able to work in Early Childhood centers as an Administrator, Lead, or Head teacher, work as a Play Specialist, work on cruise ships as a Children's Director, Type A Center, Type B Center, Head Start, National Accredited Centers, Step Up To Quality centers, and so many more CAREERS. Athena will show you why your Early Childhood Degree is in such high demand.



Q *What are the admission requirements?*

Persons interested in attending the Early Childhood Education Program must meet the following criteria for admittance:

Admissions

- Informational Meeting with Admission Representative
- Online Application
- Financial Aid Appointment
- Valid Government Issued Photo ID
- Social Security Card (no lamination)
- High School Transcript or GED Transcript
- Complete an on-line State of Ohio Disclosure Course
- Sign Enrollment Agreement

This checklist is to be used as a guide to help you with the enrollment process and is not to be considered a contract of any kind. Requirements and fees are subject to change.

Q *How long is the program? Is it quarters or semesters? Days or evenings?*

The Early Childhood Associate degree program is typically a two year program taken in quarters. The program has four quarter start dates a year: Fall, Winter, Spring, and Summer. We offer day and evening hours to accommodate our students' work schedules.

The program is a total of 92 quarter credit hours.



Q What degree will I have at completion of the program?

*Accredited – Associate Degree in Applied Science (AAS)
Majoring in: Early Childhood Education

**Athena is Accredited by the Commission of the Council on Occupational Education and Approved by the Ohio State Board of Career Colleges and Schools.*

Q What types of courses are taught in the program?

Course work includes Foundations of Education, Child Development, Early Childhood Professional/Community, Creative Art, Music, and Play for Early Childhood, Early Childhood Literacy, Infant Toddler Care and Development, Safety, Health, Nutrition for Early Childhood, Preschool/School-age Programming, Observation Positive Behavioral Management, Special Needs and Education, Diversity and Multicultural Understanding, Organization and Administration of Early Childhood, Practicum/Seminar, Understanding Parenthood, Oral Communication, Introduction to the Arts, STEM/STEAM, Personal and Social Behavior, Introduction to Sociology, Basic Mathematics, Introduction to Accounting, Fundamentals of Biology, and Introduction to Technology.

Q *What is included in the program?*

The Early Childhood Education Program is an all-inclusive program that includes:

- Classroom Training
- Books & Materials
- Lab Fees & Supplies
- Uniform
- Certifications in First Aid, Infant and Adult CPR, Child Abuse Recognition and Prevention, and Communicable Disease Simulation Lab Training
- Athena Early Childhood "T" shirt
- Finger puppet set for Early Childhood Literacy
- Degree qualifies for "Step Up To Quality"
- Athena offers a professional networking Club for our students to join: A.E.C.S.A. (Athena Early Childhood Student Association)
- A large Art supply container, filled with an abundance of Art supplies, on wheels for easy transport to do your many projects.
- Assistance with job placement after graduation.

Q *Where can you take your classes?*

Our ECE Program is offered at our campus:



5203 Airport Highway, Toledo, Ohio

PROGRAM COST

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PROGRAM

PROGRAM COSTS

Registration Fee	\$120.00
Book Fee	\$3,000.00
Lab/Uniforms/General Fees	\$2,500.00
Tuition	\$28,796.00
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Total	\$34,416.00

**See Admissions Rep for details.*

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

CLINICAL MEDICAL ASSISTANT (CMA)

Athena Career Academy offers training as a Clinical Medical Assistant. The Clinical Medical Assistant (CMA) Program is designed to teach students the skills necessary for employment in the modern medical facility. We have included some of the most common questions about our program. Please contact us for more details!

Q *What is a CMA?*

A Clinical Medical Assistant (CMA) is capable of performing a wide range of duties, for example taking medical histories and recording vital signs, preparing patients for examination and assisting the physician during the examination. These skills are so vital that the Department of Labor lists medical assisting as one of the fastest growing occupations.

Q *Where do CMAs work?*

CMAs work in a modern medical facility.



Q *What are the admission requirements?*

Persons interested in attending the Clinical Medical Assistant Program must meet the following criteria for admittance:



Admissions

- Informational Meeting with Admission Representative
- Online Application
- Financial Aid Appointment
- Valid Government Issued Photo ID
- Social Security Card (no lamination)
- High School Transcript or GED Transcript
- Complete an on-line State of Ohio Disclosure Course
- Sign Enrollment Agreement

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The following documents will be required for the externship assignment towards the end of the program. DO NOT obtain these documents until you are instructed to do so by the Allied Health Director or designee.

- CPR Card- Health Care Provider by the American Heart Association ONLY
- Complete a Physical (signed and dated by a physician or qualified medical representative) which must be less than 6 months from the start date of externship experience
- Complete and pass a drug screen (May be required)
- Complete and pass a BCI & FBI Background Check (May Be Required)
- 2-Step TB within one year of starting externship experience (Current 2-step which includes an injection in each arm 1-3 weeks apart or proof of original 2-step and up to date annuals or clear chest x-ray stating clear for TB)
- Hepatitis B Vaccination Series (3 injection series or titer-anytime in lifetime or signed Athena Hepatitis Vaccine Waiver)



Q *How long does it take to complete the program?*

Athena Career Academy's CMA program is approximately 800 hours of study and is taught over a period of approximately 7 1/2 months plus an additional 6 week externship. The CMA program includes 640 hours of classroom and lab participation along with a 160 hours externship experience in which the student will be able to practice learned skills in a real-life working environment and closely interact with the physician and health care team. Upon successful completion of this course, students will receive a certificate of completion and will be eligible to take the National Certification Exam.

Q *What types of courses are taught in this program?*

Courses include the fundamentals of medical assisting, anatomy and physiology, psychological aspect of patient care, medical terminology, CPR, first aid and emergency care.

Q *When can you get started?*

New classes start approx. every 6 weeks; however, all required documents and out of pocket expenses must be submitted by the registration deadline.

PROGRAM COST

CLINICAL MEDICAL ASSISTANT (CMA)

PROGRAM COSTS

Registration Fee	\$120.00
Books and Fees	\$1,975.00
Tuition	\$12,100.00
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Total	\$14,195.00

CERTIFICATION FEES (PAID BY ATHENA)

Certification Test Fee (<i>School pays for first attempt only</i>)	\$120.00
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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

PHLEBOTOMY



Athena Career Academy is pleased to announce we now offer training as a phlebotomist. We have included some of the most common questions about our program!

Q *What is a Phlebotomist?*

Phlebotomists are allied health professionals who draw blood from patients or blood donors for medical testing. They can also prepare and process blood tests. Since blood work is often the least favorite part of a trip to the doctor's office, it takes a skilled phlebotomist to know how to handle each patient and situation.

Q *Where does a Phlebotomist work?*

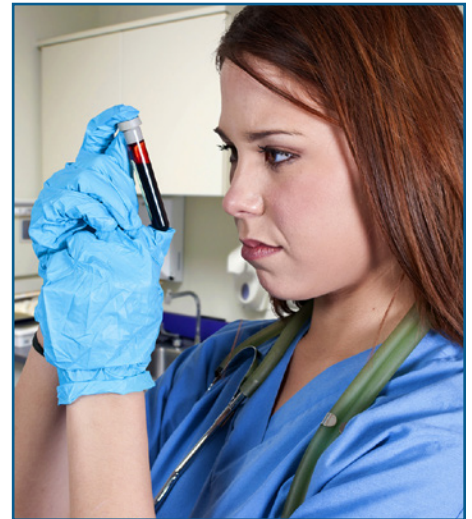
Phlebotomists work in clinical laboratories, hospitals, community health centers, nursing homes, doctor's offices, blood donation centers and other health care facilities. They are usually supervised by a clinical laboratory technologist or other medical professional.

Q *What are the admission requirements?*

Persons interested in attending the Phlebotomy Program must meet the following criteria for admittance:

Admissions

- Informational Meeting with Admission Representative
- Online Application
- Financial Aid Appointment
- Valid Government Issued Photo ID
- Social Security Card (no lamination)
- High School Transcript or GED Transcript
- Complete an on-line State of Ohio Disclosure Course
- Sign Enrollment Agreement



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The following documents will be required for the externship assignment towards the end of the program. DO NOT obtain these documents until you are instructed to do so by the Allied Health Director or designee.

- CPR Card- Health Care Provider by the American Heart Association ONLY
- Complete a Physical (signed and dated by a physician or qualified medical representative) which must be less than 6 months from the start date of externship experience
- Complete and pass a drug screen (May be required)
- Complete and pass a BCI & FBI Background Check (May Be Required)
- 2-Step TB within one year of starting externship experience (Current 2-step which includes an injection in each arm 1-3 weeks apart or proof of original 2-step and up to date annuals or clear chest x-ray stating clear for TB)
- Hepatitis B Vaccination Series (3 injection series or titer-anytime in lifetime or signed Athena Hepatitis Vaccine Waiver)

Q *What are the duties of a Phlebotomist?*

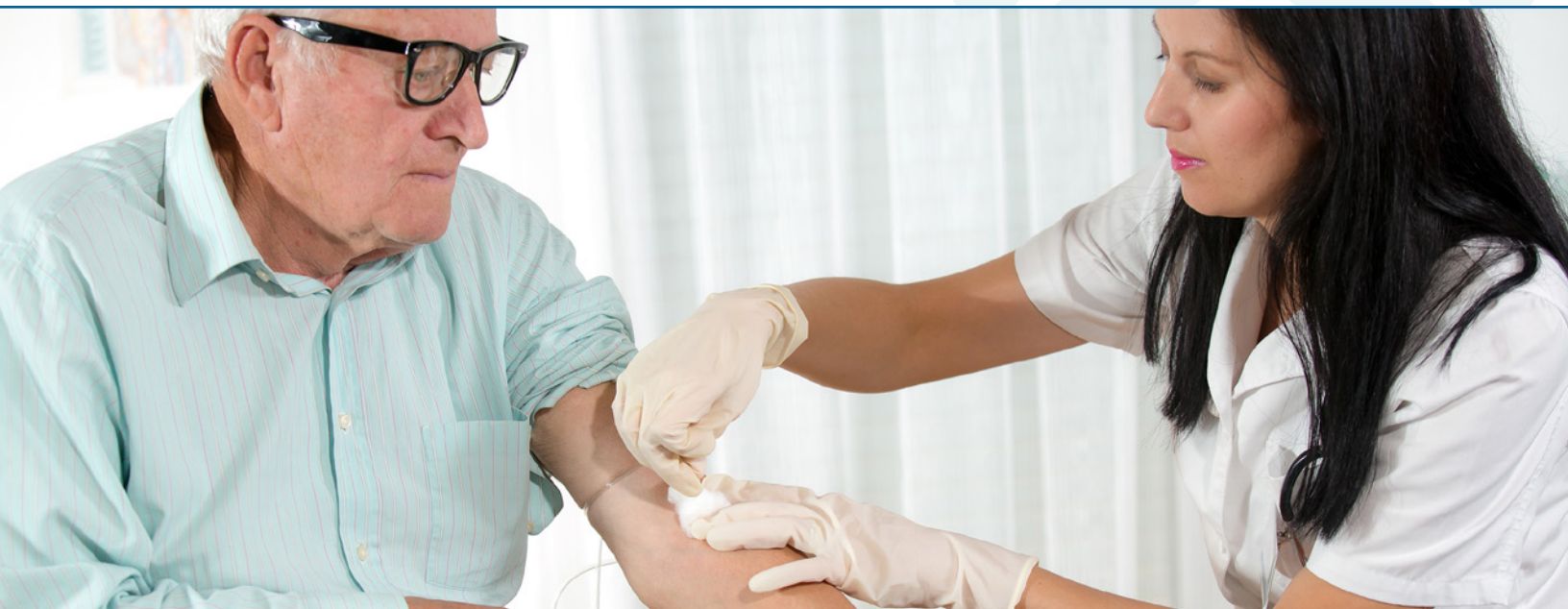
You would be responsible for collecting blood samples from patients, labeling them correctly and sending them off for analysis and testing. You will need a calm and friendly manner with the ability to put patients at ease, and it goes without saying that you don't mind the sight of blood. Phlebotomists must be extremely accurate and careful. In a busy facility, they may take dozens of blood samples during a typical shift. They must be able to work under pressure without sacrificing accuracy or safety. Fine motor skills are needed to successfully insert a needle into a vein. Phlebotomists also must be well-organized, with extremely good attention to detail.

Q *What types of courses are taught in this program?*

Courses include the fundamentals of phlebotomy, anatomy and physiology, health and public safety, and diagnostic skills.

Q *How long does it take to complete the program?*

Athena Career Academy's Phlebotomy program is approximately 180 hours of study and is taught over a period of approximately twelve (12) to eighteen (18) weeks. The Phlebotomy program includes 120 hours of classroom and 60 hours of lab participation. Upon successful completion of this course, students will receive a certificate of completion and will be eligible to take the National Certification Exam to become a Certified Phlebotomy.



PROGRAM COST

PHLEBOTOMY

PROGRAM COSTS

Registration Fee	\$25.00
Books, Supplies and Fees	\$548.00
Uniforms	\$157.00
Tuition	\$2,632.00
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Total	\$3,362.00

LICENSURE FEES (PAID TO ATHENA)

Certification Test Fee	\$117.00
Externship (<i>optional</i>)	\$99.00

CAREER ENHANCEMENT

EKG TECHNICIAN

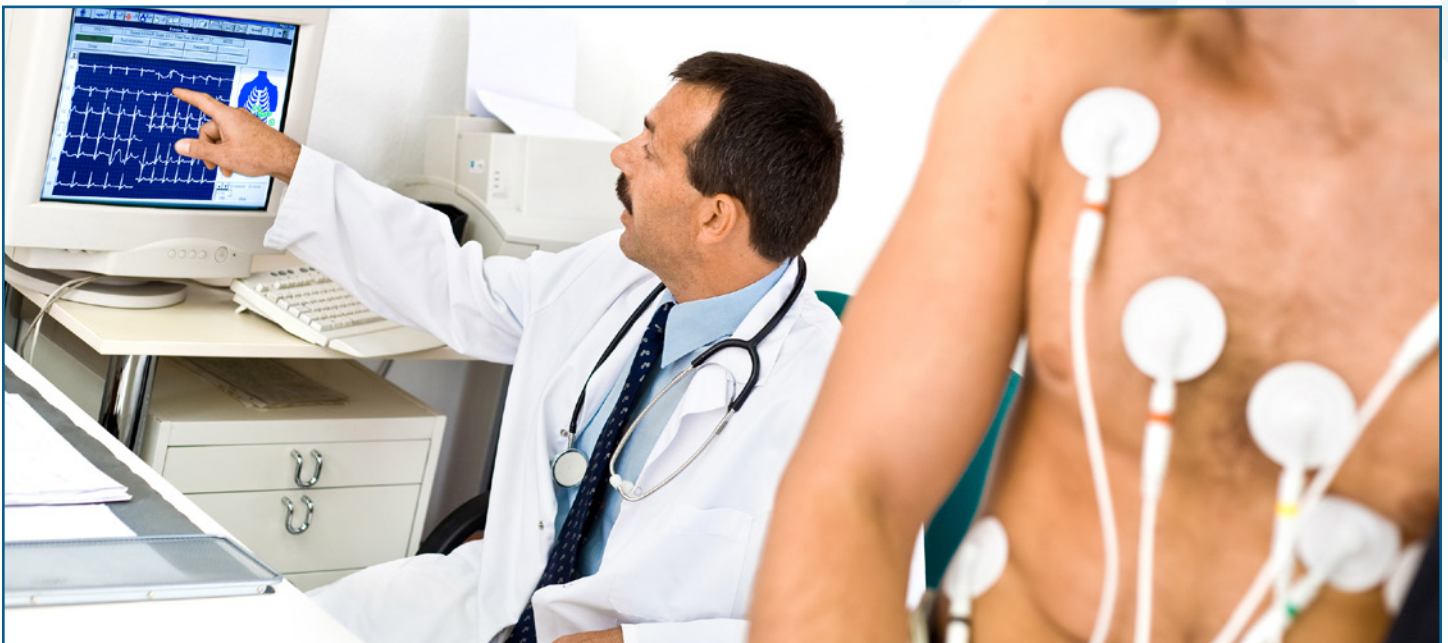
Athena Career Academy offers training as an EKG technician. Our students learn in an active, student-centered lecture environment, coupled with the necessary lab time to master the skills and complete the required number of EKGs for certification. The program will give students the knowledge and experience to take and pass the National Healthcareers Association (NHA) EKG Technician certification examination (CET) and begin working in the field immediately thereafter.

Q *What is an EKG Technician?*

An EKG technician performs electrocardiograms or EKGs. An EKG is a test that monitors the heart's activity and detects certain heart conditions.

Q *Where do EKG Technicians work?*

EKG technicians are generally employed in hospitals, but others find employment in physicians' offices and facilities that perform diagnostic testing alongside doctors, nurses, and other diagnostic technicians.



Q *What are the admission requirements?*

Persons interested in attending the EKG Program must meet the following criteria for admittance:

Admissions

- Online Application (Athenacareers.edu)
- Information Session
- Payment Plan Overview
- Government Issued Identification
- Signed Social Security Card (No lamination)
- Sign Enrollment Agreement and Pay \$120 Registration Fee
- High School/ GED Transcript (Must include student's name, school name and address, proof through the 12th grade, graduation/ test date, and a signature from a school representative, if possible)
- Emergency Medical Form
- Orientation Attendance Receipt



Q *What type of courses are taught in the program?*

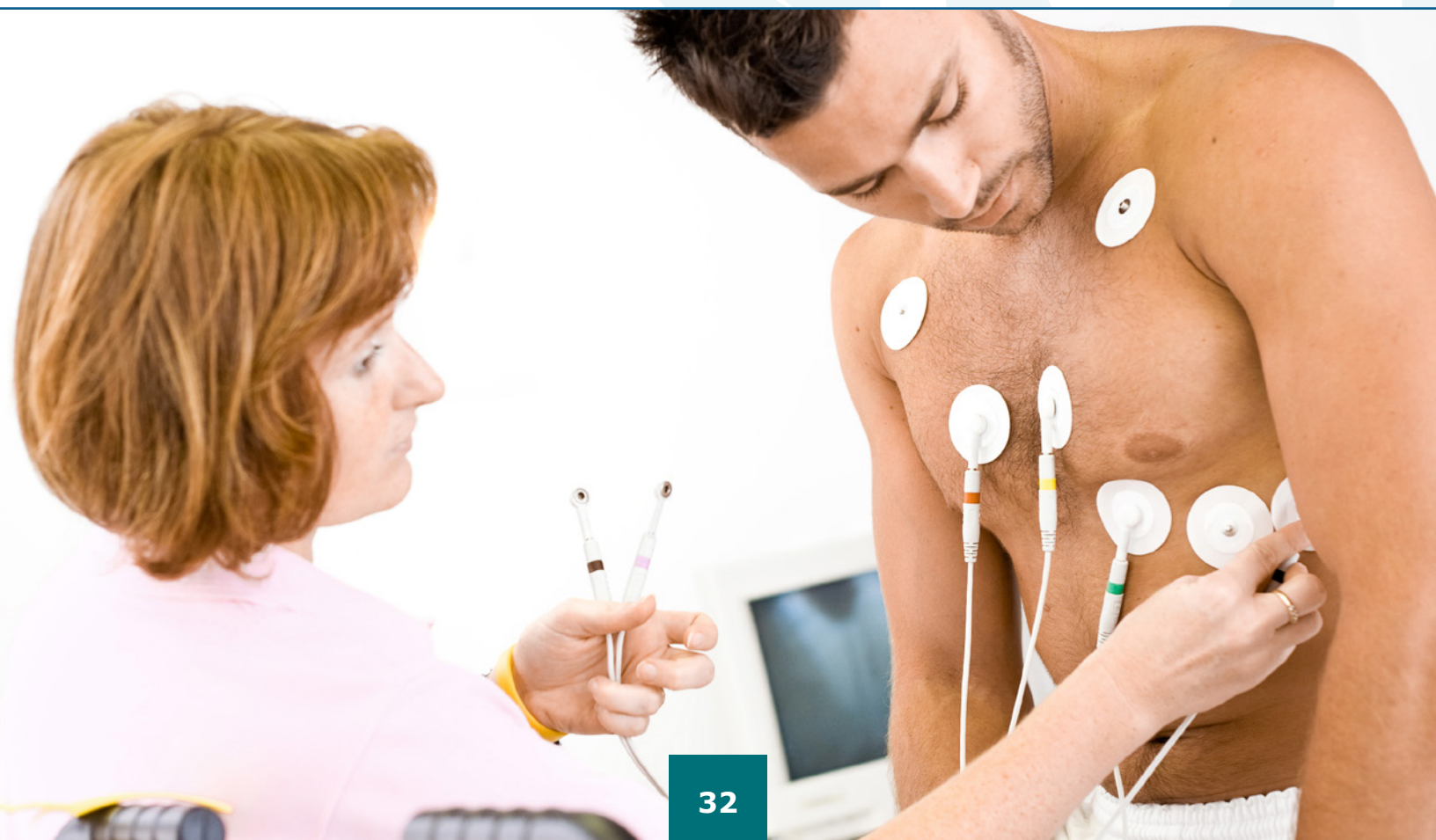
Courses include Body Structures and Functions, which provides the students with an in-depth understanding of the anatomy and physiology of the human body, Biological principles, as well as the structural and functional relationships among several organ systems and Electrocardiography, which provides the student the knowledge and understanding of the EKG machine as an important diagnostic tool in healthcare. Further, the student gets hands-on practice in the use of the machine as well as practice in analyzing and evaluating the EKG trace.

Q *What are the duties?*

EKG Technicians often are in charge of explaining to patients the procedure, performing the procedure and giving the information gathered from the test to a doctor.

Q *How long does it take to complete the program?*

The program takes just 6 weeks to complete.



PROGRAM COST

EKG TECHNICIAN

PROGRAM COSTS

Registration Fee	\$120.00
Books, Supplies and Fees	\$205.00
Tuition	\$690.00

Total **\$1,015.00**

CERTIFICATION FEES (PAID TO ATHENA)

Certification Test Fee	\$117.00
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ACADEMIC CALENDAR

DAY CLASSES

Practical Nursing & LPN to RN

April 23, 2024
July 23, 2024
October 22, 2024

Early Childhood Education

May 6, 2024
August 12, 2024
November 4, 2024

CMA/Phlebotomy/EKG

TBD – Please contact admissions for more information!

EVENING CLASSES

Practical Nursing & LPN to RN

May 21, 2024
September 17, 2024

Early Childhood Education

May 6, 2024
August 12, 2024
November 4, 2024

**For important information about the educational debt, earnings, and completion rates of students who attended these programs go to [AthenaCareers.edu/GainfulEmployment](https://athenacareers.edu/GainfulEmployment)*



FINANCIAL AID

We are proud to offer Title IV Financial Aid for our day and evening Practical Nursing, Clinical Medical Assistant (CMA) classes, LPN to RN program and Early Childhood Education to those who qualify. Athena Career Academy's Financial Aid department is dedicated to helping students and their families pay for their education by providing access to the Federal Aid programs and will assist each student throughout the Financial Aid process. We invite you to call us at (419) 329-4075 to schedule your personal Financial Aid appointment.

Sources available:

- 1 Federal Pell Grant**
- 2 Athena Nursing Clinical Partnership Grant**
- 3 Athena Alumni Grant**
- 4 Nurse Education Assistance Loan Program (NEALP)**
- 5 Federal Direct Loans (PLUS)**
- 6 Workforce Investment Act (WIA)/ Michigan Works**
- 7 Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)**



To begin the application process to apply for aid, please follow the below steps:

1. Find out your dependency status.
(Click [HERE](#) to read through the dependency status questions.)
2. Obtain an Electronic FSA ID.
(Create your FSA ID [HERE](#).)
3. Have a copy of your and your spouse's (if married and filed separately) 2014 Federal Tax Return and/or your Parents (if dependent) 2014 Federal Tax Return on hand. The FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) will ask you to link to the IRS (Internal Revenue Service). This is an easier process to enter in tax income data on to the application.
4. Locate any Investment Account Statements (stocks, bonds, UGMA/UTMA 529 plans, business and farm records) if this applies.
5. Click [HERE](#) to fill out the FAFSA. Athena's school code is: **041922**
6. Complete online Entrance counseling and a Direct Subsidized/Unsubsidized Loan Master Promissory Note (MPN) at studentloans.gov.

Still need assistance? Call us at 419-329-4075 to schedule your personal Financial Aid appointment today!

CONTACT ATHENA CAREER ACADEMY

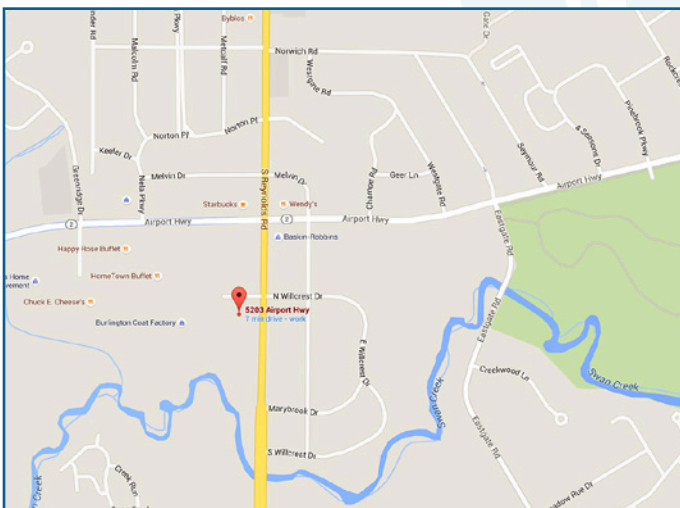
Athena Career Academy is located at:
5203 Airport Highway
Toledo, OH 43615
Phone: 419-329-4075
Hours: Mon - Fri, 8am - 5pm

Stay Connected!



To learn more about a career in nursing, and whether it's the right fit for you, schedule an appointment with Athena Career Academy today. One meeting with our Admissions counselors could help put you on the path to a successful career in nursing that could change your life for the better. Call 419-329-4075 today.

[Click Here to Schedule a Campus Tour](#)



Directions from North (Michigan)

1. Take I-75 South to Exit 204 (Maumee-Ann Arbor)
2. Merge into I-475
3. Use left lane to I-475/23 South/Dayton
4. Take Exit 8A (Toledo Airport Hwy East)
5. Turn Right onto Airport Hwy for approximately 1 1/2 miles
6. Turn Right on Reynolds Road
7. Turn in first drive on the right (Airport Square Shopping Center)
8. Athena is on your left!

Directions from South

1. Take I 475/23N toward Ann Arbor
2. Take Exit 8 Holland/Toledo
3. Turn Right onto Airport Highway
4. Turn Right on Reynolds Road
5. Turn in first drive on the right (Airport Square Shopping Center)
7. Athena is on your left!