

MEDICATION AIDE TRAINING

*A 40-Hour Training Program (4.0 Credits)
Offered Through the Nebraska Health Care Learning Center*



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Fourth Edition

Multiple days beginning on March 18, 2021

Training Location: Nebraska Health Care Learning Center
1200 Libra Drive, Suite 100, Lincoln, Nebraska 68512
Phone 402-435-3551

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Refer to nehca.org for information related to refunds, absentee/make-up policies, use of recording devices and phones, and tax deductibility.

The Nebraska Health Care Learning Center policies regarding admission, withdrawal, attendance, grades, transcripts, college credit, program requirements, and refunds are located in the Nebraska Health Care Learning Center Education Catalog at nebraskanurseaide.org.

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INSTRUCTOR

Kathy Berry, RN, BSN-BC

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

At the completion of the program, participants will be able to:

1. Recognize the basic competencies needed in order to safely provide another person with his or her medications in accordance with the Nebraska Medication Aide Act.
2. Identify specific drug families, actions, side effects, and use to treat or prevent disease.
3. Recognize the responsibilities of the medication aide in relation to additional activities such as PRN medications; providing medications by vaginal, rectal, tube, or inhaled routes; and providing insulin by injection.

The first eight (8) hours of class are mandatory attendance to continue with the class. All attendance is required or an incomplete is given until time and content is made up.

TRAINING SCHEDULE START DATE: Mar. 18, 2021

Mar. 18	8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Mar. 19	9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Mar. 22	9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Mar. 23	8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Mar. 24	8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Mar. 25	8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

For questions concerning this training, contact:

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PROGRAM CONTENT

This program is designed to prepare the participant to meet the requirements of the Medication Aide Act and to assume the role and responsibilities of a medication aide. The program is intended for the medication aide in an assisted living facility, nursing facility, or intermediate care facility for people with intellectual disabilities. It can be used to train medication aides in other settings.

COLLEGE CREDIT

4.0 quarter credits will be awarded upon successful completion of the Medication Aide program. Training may be taken as credit or non-credit. Credit only if high school transcript is submitted within 30 days of completing the course. See the Nebraska Health Care Learning Center Education Catalog for credit requirements at nebraskanurseaide.org.

TUITION AND FEES

	<u>On/Before</u> <u>Mar. 3</u>	<u>After</u> <u>Mar. 3</u>
Registration Fee	-0-	\$25.00
Tuition	\$220.00	\$220.00
Fees	\$40.33	\$40.33
Medication Aide Manual (includes tax)	\$53.61	\$53.61
Total Tuition, Fees, and Manual	\$313.94	\$338.94
Make-up Days	\$45.00	\$45.00

• Scholarships available.

Visit <https://www.nehca.org/foundation/foundation-scholarships/> for more information and apply online.

- Additional fees for testing: \$35
- For information on testing, go to medicationaide.org
- Registry fee required by the State of Nebraska: \$18



If a registrant has a disability that requires special needs, please email education@nehca.org.

The Medication Aide Training Manual (Fourth Edition), published by the Nebraska Health Care Association, is required for those registering for the Medication Aide program. For books and fees, see pricing above. Books will be distributed to students on the first day of training.