

Health Science Careers Nursing



- ◆ **Location:** Sammamish HS, WANIC at LWTech, Woodinville HS
- ◆ **3 High School Credits:** CTE (1.5), Health (0.5), Lab Science (1.0)
- ◆ **Program fees apply** (financial assistance may be available for qualifying students)
- ◆ **College Credits and Certifications available:** (contact WANIC to find out more)

This is a full year 3-period Skill Center class (3 high school credits). Explore the challenging and exciting career possibilities in nursing - one of the fastest growing industries today. This intensive course of study introduces students to a variety of careers in the health-care industry with emphasis on hands-on, patient-oriented skills training for those interested in becoming nurses, physicians, and other health-care providers and therapists. Learn about a variety of health-care topics, procedures and careers in patient care, earn certification in CPR/First Aid, and attend clinical internship in health-care facilities.

Program includes field trips, guest speakers, team building, and leadership activities and prepares students for further education or an exciting career. Successful completion of Biology strongly recommended prior to enrolling. Students read college level textbooks and practice technical writing skills.

At the end of the year, students who successfully complete course requirements for Nursing Assistant Certified (NAC) qualify to take the Washington National Nurse Aid Exam. Those who pass the exam can apply for certification and seek entry level employment as a nursing assistant.

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The rigor required for success in this class plus college credits earned allow students to immediately enter employment in the health care industry and/or to continue their post-secondary education.

Nursing assisting is an exciting and in-demand profession. Becoming a Certified Nursing Assistant is a great way to work in medicine, help people, and earn a good wage.

Median Yearly Salary Seattle Metro area*

- ◆ Nursing Assistants \$37,560
- ◆ Registered Nurses \$94,020

*Source: careeronestop.org, U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics 2021

PREPARE FOR COLLEGE AND A CAREER!

WANIC (Washington Network for Innovative Careers) is a regional skill center in Northeast King County. WANIC provides advanced level Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs based on rigorous academic and industry standards preparing students for career and college readiness. WANIC Skill Center programs are delivered through a system of branch campuses in seven participating districts. The skill center programs provide dual credit opportunities (both high school and college credit) and/or lead to industry certifications.

Washington Network for Innovative Careers

WANIC Skill Center serves high school students from these School Districts:

Bellevue ◆ Issaquah ◆ Lake Washington
Mercer Island ◆ Northshore ◆ Riverview ◆ Snoqualmie Valley

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