

### Course Description (5 credit hours)

This course is intended to prepare participants to safely perform the standard duties of a medication aide within Kansas licensed adult care homes. The state test will be administered at the LCC campus after the completion of classroom/online instruction and clinical rotation. Students must be 18 years old in order to enroll in a Medication Aide course and must have their Kansas C.N.A. license.

### Course Requirements

1. Student must be 18 years of age or older
2. Must have a valid Kansas Certified Nurse Aide license
3. ACCUPLACER Next Generation Writing (Minimum score of 240) **or** ACT reading (Minimum score of 13) **or** COMPASS reading test (Minimum score of 60)
4. ACCUPLACER Math (Minimum score 237) **or** ACT mat (Minimum score 14) **or** COMPASS math test (Minimum score 34)
5. Two-Step TB Skin Test within the last 10 months
6. Scrubs- required for clinicals

### Course Structure (75 contact hours)

#### On-Campus

- 50 hours of didactic/laboratory
- 25 hours of clinical sessions

#### Hybrid

- 50 Online Classroom Instruction Hours
- 45 Clinical Instruction Hours

### Costs/Fees

#### Tuition & incidental fees

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| • In-State, On-ground | \$525 |
| • In-State, Hybrid    | \$600 |

#### Additional Course Fees

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| • Liability insurance fee | \$16 |
| • Processing fee          | \$4  |
| • Background Check fees   | \$15 |
| • KDADS Fee               | \$20 |
| • Drug Card Book          | \$5  |

### Drug Testing Policy

It is the policy of Labette Community College that students who enroll in healthcare programs or allied health courses including, but not limited to, Nursing, Respiratory Care, Radiologic Technology, Physical Therapist Assistant, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Dental Assisting Programs and Certified Nurse Aide, Certified Medication Aide, and Pharmacy Technician Preparation for Exam courses submit to drug and/or alcohol testing when required by a clinical facility, a specific healthcare program policy, or as directed by a reasonable cause event.

### Criminal Offenses

Individuals with certain criminal offenses may be prohibited from obtaining a C.N.A. license. For more information, please visit the KDADS website [www.kdads.ks.gov](http://www.kdads.ks.gov) If you have committed **any** criminal offenses, it is **your responsibility to contact the clinical site directly** to gain their consent to attend clinicals at their facility.

### Cancellations/Refunds

Any course cancelled by the institution will be refunded. If a student drops a course, the amount of the refund, if any, depends upon the census date of that course; if the course is dropped before the census date, then the student receives a full refund, but if it's dropped afterwards, then no refund will be given and the student will be responsible for the cost of the course.

**Illness or Injury**

Allied health educators and students will be totally responsible for their own alleged injury or negligence to self or a third party, and further that the clinical facility will be free and harmless of such claims resulting from negligence on the part of college employed allied health educators and students.

**Reimbursement for Nurse Aide Training and Competency Evaluation (NATCEP) —**

A nursing home which employs a nurse aide student or makes an offer of employment prior to course completion must pay the tuition up front. When a nurse aide student pays for tuition and then is immediately hired by a nursing home, it is expected that the nursing home will reimburse the employee at time of hiring or over a reasonable period of time (not to exceed 12 months).

**For more information, please contact the Workforce Office at 620-421-6700 x1278.**