

## PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT

The Physical Therapist Assistant program is the first step toward a rewarding career, and at just the right time; jobs for qualified Physical Therapist Assistants are predicted to increase by 41% from 2012 to 2022.\* You'll receive training through a combination of classroom study, lab exercises and hands-on practice through offsite clinical experiences, to help prepare you for jobs in hospitals, and more. Topics you'll learn about include anatomy, physiology, kinesiology and patient communication. You'll also prepare to take certification and licensure exams.\*\* The program can be completed in as few as 20 months.\*\*

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## PHYSICAL THERAPY TECHNOLOGY

Getting a patient back on his or her feet can be a life-changing experience for everyone involved. That's why Physical Therapy Technology is so exciting, and Carrington College® is just the place to get started. Our Physical Therapy Technology program can prepare you in many ways, combining classroom study, lab exercises and hands-on practice through Carrington's externship program. The program can be completed in as few as 9 months,\* preparing you for jobs in hospitals, clinics and more. You'll learn about subjects such as physiology, pathology, medical terminology and therapeutic exercises.

\*Not including breaks

## RESPIRATORY CARE

Carrington College's Respiratory Care program offers a mix of classroom study, lab exercises and hands-on practice that can provide the training you need in a field that is expected to grow 19% from 2012 to 2022.\* You'll learn skills like patient examination and assessment, treatment recommendation and therapeutic intervention that can be put to use in hospitals, clinics and more. Plus, we'll help you prepare to sit for the registry exam.\*\* The program can be completed in as few as 2 years.\*\*

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## VETERINARY ASSISTING

If you love animals, and would like a career working with them, the Veterinary Assisting program is a great place to start. The program can be completed in as few as 9 months,\* and prepares you for work in veterinary offices and hospitals, pet care industries and more. It's not just classroom study. We also provide plenty of clinical, lab and administrative practice, as well as hands-on work in a veterinary office setting. You'll learn about animal anatomy and physiology, nursing skills, surgical procedures, animal restraint and office skills, so you'll be able to help with many aspects of animal care.

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**YOUR**  
INTEREST, WE HAVE THE  
**PROGRAM**  
TO MATCH IT.



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Important information about the educational debt, earnings and completion rate of students who attended these programs can be found at [Carrington.edu/GE](http://Carrington.edu/GE).

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Program availability varies by location. Carrington College reserves the right to update information as it becomes available. Information is current at the time of printing. For the most updated information, visit [carrington.edu](http://carrington.edu).

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## PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Arizona, Idaho, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon,  
Texas and Washington Campuses



# THE STARTING POINT FOR HEALTH CARE CAREERS.<sup>®</sup>

## DENTAL ASSISTING

Our Dental Assisting program can make you smile because employment in this fast-growing field is expected to grow 25% from 2012 to 2022.\* You won't just study Dental Assisting in a classroom but, thanks to our externship programs, you will work in a real office, gaining practical experience. You'll learn about patient preparation, charting and administrative and office duties, while preparing to work in dental offices, hospitals, health departments, clinics or dental schools. The program can be completed in as few as 9 months.\*\*

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## DENTAL HYGIENE

The skills needed to become a dental hygienist include taking X-rays, applying fluoride and sealants, removing plaque and stains from teeth and observing, monitoring and recording abnormalities. Our combination of classroom study and hands-on training puts you in an excellent position when it comes time to find a job. And that might be easier than you'd think because Dental Hygiene has an estimated growth of 33% from 2012 to 2022.\* Graduates of the program are prepared to take the Dental Hygiene National Board and state examinations.\*\* The program can be completed in as few as 20 months or less, depending on location,\*\* preparing you for work in dental offices, health agencies, hospitals, clinics and more.

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Talk to an Enrollment Services Representative for qualifications and admissions requirements specific to each program. Program availability varies by location.



## MASSAGE THERAPY

There are plenty of things that cause stress in our lives. But the Massage Therapy program gives you a chance to help reduce it - yours and others as well. The Certificate program can be completed in as few as 9 months.\* Through a combination of classroom study, lab practice in a clinical setting and an externship in a massage therapy facility, you'll learn about human anatomy and physiology, as well as types of massage such as Shiatsu, Sports and Swedish. By the time you graduate, you should be able to tackle problem areas with therapeutic treatments and perform a variety of techniques.

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## MEDICAL ASSISTING

Medical Assisting is predicted to become one of the fastest-growing careers in the coming years, with jobs expected to increase 29% from 2012 to 2022.\* And it's a field you can be part of. The Medical Assisting program at Carrington College<sup>®</sup> can provide a big advantage. You'll receive hands-on training, learning skills such as sterilizing medical instruments, taking vital signs, performing lab tests and preparing patients for examinations. Plus, you'll be prepared to take a national certification exam.\*\* Skills like these could help you find work in a doctor's office, clinic, nursing home or health care center. Our Medical Assisting program prepares you for a rewarding future in an exciting, rapidly growing field. The program can be completed in as few as 9 months.\*\*\*

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## MEDICAL BILLING AND CODING

Our Medical Billing and Coding certificate program offers you a mix of classroom study and hands-on practice, including an externship in a clinical environment. The program can be completed in as few as 9 months,\* and prepares you for work in medical and dental offices, clinics and billing companies. We'll also help you to understand regulatory standards of medical records management, legal and ethical requirements, and to perform medical coding and process billing and insurance claims. It's a crucial job in any health care setting, and we can help you prepare for it.

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## MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNOLOGY

If you're looking for a career in a fascinating health care field, becoming a medical laboratory technician might fit the bill - and the Medical Laboratory Technology program is the place to take your first step. You have to pass an entrance exam for admission, and the program can be completed in as few as 22.5 months.\*\* We'll help you learn to examine and analyze body fluids and cells, match blood types for transfusions and more. And there's never been a better time to get started; employment of clinical lab workers is expected to increase 22% from 2012 to 2022.\*

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## MEDICAL RADIOGRAPHY (X-RAY)

Medical Radiography is an exciting field, and a fast-growing one, with employment for radiologic technicians expected to increase about 21% from 2012 to 2022.\* Through a combination of classroom study and hands-on training, you can learn proper patient positioning, how to administer drugs and prepare chemical mixtures, proper exposure techniques and more. The program can be completed in as few as 2 years,\*\* depending on your location, and prepares you for work in hospitals, doctor's offices and more. We can also help you prepare to take a national certification exam.\*\*

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## NURSING BRIDGE

If you're a licensed practical nurse, and you're ready for even more of a challenge, the Nursing Bridge program may be a good fit for you. We'll help you learn to take medical histories, record vital signs and symptoms, explain treatment procedures, perform diagnostic tests and analyze results, administer medications and more. It's a tough program - it requires successfully completing at least 180 hours of clinical education. But it's worth the effort; jobs for registered nurses are expected to grow 19% from 2012 to 2022.\* The program can be completed in as few as 12 months.\*\*

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## PRACTICAL NURSING

Few jobs in the health care field are as hands-on as practical nursing. Good thing, then, that the Practical Nursing program offers so much hands-on training. We combine that with classroom study, lab practice and clinical experience to prepare you for the growing

field.\* We teach you to prepare and give injections, measure and record vital signs and collect samples for testing. We also help prepare you to take the National Council Licensure Examination for Practical Nurses (NCLEX-PN).\*\* The program can be completed in as few as 12 months,\*\* and prepares you for jobs in hospitals, nursing homes, doctor's offices and more. Graduates can also go on and study to become registered nurses.

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## REGISTERED NURSING

A Registered Nurse (RN) is a satisfying career choice for most; whether treating patients, educating the public about medical conditions, or providing advice and emotional support to families, a RN cares for people every single day they go to work. Our Registered Nursing program is fulfilling, yet challenging, because we want to prepare you for a career you will find demanding and rewarding. Through our combination of classroom study and practical experience, you'll be in a good position for a job in which employment is expected to grow 19% from 2012 to 2022.\* During our 2-year program,\*\* we'll help you prepare to take the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN).\*\* Yes, it's tough. But it's also satisfying, as RNs are responsible for providing patients some of the most crucial care in hospitals, clinics, nursing homes and more.

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## PHARMACY TECHNOLOGY

Talk about a fast-growing field - employment for pharmacy technicians is expected to grow 20% from 2012 to 2022.\* And Carrington College<sup>®</sup> is the place to prepare for it. Not only do we offer classroom instruction in our Pharmacy Technology program, we also provide practical training in a mock pharmacy. There's also more hands-on training during a clinical externship. The Certificate program can be completed in as few as 9 months,\*\* and the Associate degree program can be completed in as few as 18 months.\*\*\* Among the things you'll learn are a basic knowledge of pharmacy calculations, terminology, abbreviations and symbols that technicians use when dispensing and documenting medications. The program will help prepare you for work in hospitals, clinics, private pharmacies and more. Graduates of the program are prepared to sit for the certified pharmacy technician (CPhT) national certification exam.\*\*

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