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WELCOME TO NCC!

Nassau Community College is the place where your most ambitious plans can begin to take shape. Not sure yet what those plans are? Don't worry—we'll give you all the support you need to figure them out. NCC does that for more than 20,000 day, evening, weekend and online students every year.

Nassau offers AA (Associate in Arts) and AS (Associate in Science) degrees for students interested in transferring to four-year colleges, as well as AAS (Associate in Applied Science) degrees and one-year certificate programs for those who wish to learn a marketable skill and enter the workforce right after college.



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HEALTH CARE, HUMAN SERVICES & PUBLIC SERVICE PROGRAMS OF STUDY

The “helping professions” take many forms: social workers, police officers, funeral directors and emergency management personnel all provide assistance to people in times of need. Practitioners in the health professions often experience tremendous satisfaction from knowing that they have been helpful to others. The six Allied Health Science programs and the Nursing program are all fully accredited and make you eligible for licensure in your field upon completion of your course of study. The programs described below are available at Nassau Community College to start you on your way to a very satisfying career.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE (AS)

The Criminal Justice program is designed for students planning to transfer to a four-year institution. It familiarizes students with the functions of the police, courts, correctional programs, protection management and crime prevention, as well as their application to the business community.

DIETARY MANAGEMENT (CERTIFICATE)*

This certificate is designed for students desiring certification as Dietary Managers. The program is fully accredited by the Dietary Managers Association and will combine course offerings with Registered Dietitian- supervised field experience.

DISABILITY STUDIES (AA) (CERTIFICATE)*

Students who obtain a Disability Studies credential will be prepared

for a career in the field of disability service provision. They will gain the theoretical knowledge and practical skills that will allow them to effectively provide services that meet the unique needs of individuals with disabilities across their lifespan.

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT (AS)

This program will give students a strong foundation in emergency management skills, which can be used in all facets of our society. Students will learn how to manage emergency situations, both large and small, disaster preparedness, crisis response and more.

FIRE SCIENCE (AS)

This program provides comprehensive technical training in firefighting techniques, prevention and inspection. Students will learn the fundamentals of fire science organization; fire science occupational health and safety codes, and fire detection.

FOOD & NUTRITION (AS)

The Food & Nutrition degree is designed for students wishing to transfer to a four-year program in Nutrition, with the goal of becoming a registered dietitian. The program provides the foundation courses and food service management courses required by the American Dietetic Association for four-year nutrition programs.

HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (AAS) (CERTIFICATE)*

These programs were developed for individuals who are interested in working in the field of medical coding. During the final semester, all students participate in a medical coding work/study program. They

intern in hospitals, physicians' offices, ambulatory care centers and other health care facilities.

HUMAN SERVICES: COMMUNITY SERVICE AND SOCIAL WELFARE (AA)

The Human Services: Community Service and Social Welfare program is designed to prepare students for transfer to a four-year social work program (Bachelor of Social Work). Graduates may also use the degree to secure human services employment immediately upon graduation.

MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNICIAN (AAS)

Graduates of this program are eligible to take a national certifying examination given by the American Medical Technology Association for medical laboratory personnel. They are also eligible for the Civil Service examination for medical laboratory technicians.

MORTUARY SCIENCE (AAS)

An associate degree in Mortuary Science prepares graduates to become funeral service professionals as owners, managers or supervisors of a funeral home; licensed funeral directors; or funeral directors/embalmers. It is accredited by the American Board of Funeral Service Education (ABFSE).

NURSING (AS)

The Nursing AS degree leads to eligibility for the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN). Graduates may also transfer to four-year programs in order to pursue the BSN degree. Admission to this program is highly competitive.