

## Southwest Mississippi Community College

### Nurse Assistant

Program Level - Undergraduate certificate

Program Length - 16 weeks

#### COST

**Q. How much will this program cost me?\***

**A. Tuition and fees: \$1,610**  
**Books and supplies: \$625**  
**On-campus room & board: \$1,630**

What other costs are there for this program?<sup>1</sup>

For further program cost information, visit  
<http://www.smcc.edu/index.php/nurse-assistant>

\* The amounts shown above include costs for the entire program, assuming normal time to completion. Note that this information is subject to change.

#### FINANCING

**Q. What financing options are available to help me pay for this program?**

**A. Financing for this program may be available through grants, scholarships, loans (federal and private) and institutional financing plans. The median amount of debt for program graduates is shown below:**

**Federal loans: \$0**  
**Private education loans: \$0**  
**Institutional financing plan: \$0**

#### SUCCESS

**Q. How long will it take me to complete this program?**

**A. The program is designed to take 16 weeks to complete. Of those that completed the program in 2013-2014, 100% finished in 16 weeks.**

**Q. What are my chances of getting a job when I graduate?**

**A. The job placement rate for students who completed this program is 78%.**

For further information about this job placement rate.<sup>2</sup>

For more information on jobs related to this program.<sup>4</sup>

For additional information related to this program and/or the information provided above.<sup>3</sup>

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***<sup>1</sup> Other costs for this program***

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No additional information provided.

***<sup>2</sup> Job Placement Rate Information***

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**Name of the state this placement rate is calculated for:**

Mississippi

**Who is included in the calculation of this rate?**

All 23 students who completed between July 1, 2013 and June 2014 are included in this calculation.

**What types of jobs were these students placed in?**

The job placement rate includes completers hired for: Jobs within the field

Positions that recent completers were hired for include: Certified Nurse Assistants

**When were the former students employed?**

This rate is based on program completers who were employed within completion and were employed for at least 13 weeks

**How were completers tracked?**

Instructor Contact

***<sup>3</sup> Additional information related to this program and/or the information provided above***

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The Nursing Assistant program prepares the individual to provide direct basic nursing care to clients/residents/patients in prescribed settings under the supervision of a licensed nurse. Inclusive in the nursing assistant title are: Homemaker, Home Health Aide, and Nursing Assistant. Graduates of the one-semester program will be awarded a completion certificate and may apply for certification by taking and passing the National Nurse Aide Assessment Program (NNAAP) Examination. A minimum grade of 75 percent is required in each course. Students who do not maintain this grade in each course are dismissed from the program.

***<sup>4</sup> More information on jobs related to this program***

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Nursing Assistants

<http://online.onetcenter.org/link/summary/31-1014.00>