FAST TRACK CAREERS

Vernon College
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Continuing Education



Please note: This is a Hybrid course. Some coursework will be completed online, and students must have access to a computer, laptop, or other compatible device to complete required assignments.

Patient Care Tech ~PCT Program ~

This entry-level course prepares students with the essential knowledge, skills, and competencies required to provide direct patient care in a variety of healthcare settings, including hospitals, clinics, and long-term care facilities. The curriculum includes training in patient safety and rights, effective communication and teamwork, basic clinical procedures, vital signs monitoring, assisting with activities of daily living (ADLs), basic EKG monitoring, and specimen collection techniques

STUDENT REQUIREMENTS:

** A VALID PHOTO ID AND COMPLETE SHOT RECORD REQUIRED TO REGISTER**

- Minimum age 18 with completed High School Diploma or High School Equivalency
- No criminal convictions or probation
- Have no physical restrictions and be able to lift and move residents
- Competent communication skills (speaking, reading, & writing) / Instruction provided in English
- Current Shot Records as required by the Department of State Health Services at the time of enrollment MMR (2); Tetanus (<10 years); Varicella (2); TB; and Hepatitis B Series (2 of 3 doses – must be completed)}
- Book and workbook are required at first class meeting
- ***Attendance is mandatory***
- Clinical: scrubs, shoes & watch (with a second hand) required when Clinical begins. Picture name tag; you will be notified in class when pictures will be taken and when Clinical will begin

- **STUDENTS MUST BE CPR CERTIFIED BY March 31, 2027.**

*** IMPORTANT **Pre-registration is required. Full tuition for the PCT program must be paid at time of registration. Students must be registered **1 week prior** in order to attend class. Please call 940-689-3713 for information.*

CENTURY CITY CENTER Spring 2027						
Course ID	**Title**	**Days & Dates**	**Time**	**Location**	**Fees**	**Book**
NUPC 1020 CEH68	**Patient Care Technician**	**T** 01/26/2027-04/13/2027	6:00 PM-10:00 PM	***CCC 716***	$409.00	Approx. $150.00
NUPC 1060 CEH68	**Clinical**	**T** 04/19/2027-05/25/2027	6:00 PM-10:00 PM	***CCC 716***	$639.00	

***Please note that you will meet in class once a week during clinical, and your clinical schedule will be assigned based on facility accommodations and availability. Students are required to complete a minimum of 12 clinical hours per week during the clinical portion of the program.**