

Nurse Aide Accelerated

PROBE Results

1/26/2021

College	Major Code	Pgm Name	Vote	Comments	TCSG Recommendations
Albany	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
Athens	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
Atlanta	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
Augusta	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
Central Georgia	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
Chattahoochee	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
Coastal Pines	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
Columbus	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree with Comments	The state requirements do not specify a minimum age to enter the program; however, facilities will not hire CNAs under 18 years of age. Additionally, the KMS standard states students must complete a minimum of 75 hours of State-approved training. This State standard has been changed. The new standard states: Each program must be a minimum of 85 hours in length. This includes classroom/laboratory plus a minimum of 24 hours of clinical experience in a nursing home.	The program standards have been updated to align with the required program hours outlined by the Department of Community Health (DCH) standards. The admissions section outlined within the KMS standards is based on accepting students within the program. The age requirement for obtaining employment at a facility may vary across the state and no further action is needed.
Georgia Northwestern	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
Georgia Piedmont	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		

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Gwinnett	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree with Comments	The language, "... activities of daily living" should be included somewhere in the career description section. In the program description, nursing care facilities should be listed before hospitals and other clinical facilities because most clinical hours are done in a nursing home with only a few hours in other facilities. Under the Occupational Analysis Duty #1, please add, "assist patients with activities of daily living." The language under occupational analysis and program outcomes should match the language in CN21 for NAST1100 because the NAST courses are the same with the exception of the ALHS 1090 co-requisite.	The program standards can be updated to include the suggested language. This language aligns with the profession and work responsibilities of a CNA. An "or" statement can be added to allow colleges the flexibility to select between ALHS 1090 (2 credit hours) and ALHS 1040 (3 credit hours) .
Lanier	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
North Georgia	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
Oconee Fall Line	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
Ogeechee	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Disagree with Comments	The removal of ALHS 1040 Introduction to Healthcare; and not enough time to cover required skills in NAST 2100.	An "or" statement can be added to allow colleges the flexibility to select between ALHS 1090 (2 credit hours) and ALHS 1040 (3 credit hours).

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Savannah	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree with Comments	I would like to see an option that allowed ALHS 1040 Introduction to Healthcare OR ALHS 1090 Medical Terminology so that students that are not certified in CPR and BLS could get those certifications. Most CNA job postings in our region either require or prefer that CNAs have those certifications.	An "or" statement can be added to allow colleges the flexibility to select between ALHS 1090 (2 credit hours) and ALHS 1040 (3 credit hours).
South Georgia	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		

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Southeastern	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree with Comments	<p>We would like to recommend either replacing ALHS 1090 Medical Terminology with ALHS 1040 Introduction to Health Care or allowing an either/or with the two classes. ALHS 1090, Medical Terminology is not the best course fit for the Nurse Aide Certificate Accelerated Program to ensure students are competently prepared, as well as quicker completion of the program for state exam certification eligibility. Competencies from ALHS 1090, needed for a nurse aide to perform their duties, are included in the NAST course competencies as part of the federal and state requirements. Historically, individuals seeking the Nurse Aide Program as a career only, without plans to continue their education, are not successful in the comprehensive medical terminology course, ALHS 1090. Learning medical terminology is learning a new language based on Latin and Greek roots.</p>	<p>An "or" statement can be added to allow colleges the flexibility to select between ALHS 1090 (2 credit hours) and ALHS 1040 (3 credit hours).</p>

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Southern Crescent	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree with Comments	Without ALHS 1040 in the Nurse Aide Accelerated curriculum, there is no requirement for CPR certification in the TCC. Southern Crescent Technical College's clinical partners generally require students have CPR certification before beginning clinicals. We suggest adding the competency from ALHS 1040 regarding CPR certification-Acquire certification in CPR for healthcare providers (including 2 person CPR) by a certified instructor from the American Heart Association or any national association accepted throughout the healthcare profession to NAST 2100. However, we agree with the recommended actions whether or not the competency is added.	An "or" statement can be added to allow colleges the flexibility to select between ALHS 1090 (2 credit hours) and ALHS 1040 (3 credit hours).
Southern Regional	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		
West Georgia	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree with Comments	We support the proposed revisions.	
Wiregrass Georgia	NAA1	Nurse Aide Accelerated	Agree No Comments		