

MEDICAL ASSISTING (AAS)

Pathway Maps

South Puget Sound Community College has provided pathways and associated recommended courses for ease of student selection based upon a student's career interest. Please review the pathway maps for required and recommended courses.



Medical Assisting Pathway Map
Associate in Applied Science (91-93 Credits)

Qtr. 1	Qtr. 2	Qtr. 3	Qtr. 4	Qtr. 5	Qtr. 6	Qtr. 7
Transition Studies	Choose One MATH 092 (5cr) Mathematical Reasoning ABE 005 Contextualized Math	Choose One (3-7cr) (Quintile-based) MATH 101 (3cr) Technical Mathematics BUS 104 (3cr) Business Math CMATH 107 (3cr) Copper's Man in Society ** CMATH 108 (3cr) Copper's Introduction to Probability and Statistics ***	MED 105 (5cr) Integrated Medical Terminology Fall only	MED 152 (4cr) Disease and the Human Body Winter only	MED 155 (4cr) Medical Laboratory for Medical Assistants Spring only	MED 159 (5cr) Training for Medical Assistants Summer only
	ENGL 090 (5cr) Integrated Reading and Writing ENGL 095 (5cr) Integrated Reading and Writing	ENGL 098 (5cr) Traditional English Composition ENGL 104 (5cr) English Composition I	MED 150 (5cr) Basic Clinical Procedures Fall only	MED 153 (5cr) Medical Assisting Career Development Winter only	MED 158 (5cr) Low-Bonus Professionalism for Medical Assistants Spring only	
	CCS 101 (3cr) Pathways to Success	OFFIC 106 (3cr) Introduction to Microsoft Office	MED 151 (5cr) Administrative Ambulatory Care Fall only	MED 154 (5cr) Advanced Clinical Procedures Winter only	MED 156 (4cr) Pharmacology for Medical Assistants Spring only	
	OFFIC 111 (2cr) Keyboarding Typing*	MED 103 (3cr) Medical Terminology I		MED 157 (4cr) Billing, Coding, and Insurance Winter only	MED 160 (1cr) Medical Assisting National Exam Preparation Spring only	
		Program Elective (5cr) (recommended) CMST 260 Communication and Conflict NUTR6 101 Nutrition BIOB 175 Human Biology	Choose One (5cr) (Communication; recommended) CMST 218 Interpersonal Communication: Diversity CMST 220 Public Speaking CMST 230 Small Group Communication: Diversity CMST 240 Intercultural Communication: Diversity	Choose One (5cr) (Management; Diversity; recommended) BUS 260 Principles of Management: Diversity HUM 121 Multicultural America: Diversity PSYC 116 Psychology of Human Relations: Diversity PSYC 230 Health Psychology: Diversity	Program Elective (5cr) (recommended) PSYC 100 General Psychology PSYC 200 Lifespan Psychology PHL 103 Science, Technology, and Human Values	

*Includes ability to test out of OFFIC111 by completing typing testing at 35WPM

Includes ability to complete **MATH 090, MATH 101

***Includes ability to complete **MATH 100, MATH 090, MATH 146**. Some students place directly to MATH 107 or 146