

Registered Medical Assistant Apprenticeship Program

The Registered Medical Assistant Apprenticeship Program is a **12 month program** that prepares students to take the **Certified Clinical Medical Assistant (CCMA)** test through the National Healthcareer Association. It has been approved by the State of Washington as an equivalent to an MA-C program at a community or technical college.

ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

- Registered apprenticeship program through the Washington State Department of Labor and Industries
- Governed by an Apprenticeship Committee of 50% employer and 50% MA representatives
- Administered through the Washington Association for Community Health
- Trains students in the specific skills required to achieve the MA-Certified credential, as outlined in RCW Chapter 18.360 and WAC 246-827
- Our Curriculum is approved by the State Board for Community and Technical Colleges
- Full completion of the MA Apprenticeship is worth college credit from a local community college.

EMPLOYER EXPECTATIONS

- Register as an approved training agent
- Provide a 1:1 MA-C coach for each apprentice
- Allow apprentices and coaches adequate time to meet and practice skills on the job

APPRENTICE EXPECTATIONS

- Complete **2000 hours of on-the-job training** (paid) with the support and guidance of an experienced one-on-one MA coach
- Complete **410 hours of supplemental coursework** (unpaid). Concurrent online coursework.
- Attend **3 in-person lab days** with an expert instructor to practice and demonstrate competency of hands-on technical skills
- Log and report on-the-job hours and skill practices as required.

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