



ROBERT MORGAN EDUCATIONAL CENTER & TECHNICAL COLLEGE

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OUR VISION, MISSION AND CORE VALUES

VISION: RMEC & TC's sails are set on a voyage towards achieving quality academic instruction, implementation of community leadership and lifelong learning for all students.

MISSION: RMEC & TC is committed to impart the knowledge and skills that will facilitate the acquisition of those qualities essential to successful global employment and a productive and prosperous life.

CORE VALUES: Accountability, Citizenship, Flexibility, Integrity, Organizational and Personal Learning, Positive Atmosphere and Culture, Preparing Students, Professionalism, Pursuit of Excellence, Respect, and Valuing Stakeholders.

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PRACTICAL NURSING

MEETING THE NEEDS OF THE GROWING HEALTHCARE INDUSTRY



- TEACHING THE BASICS
- UPGRADING SKILLS
- IMPROVING PERFORMANCE
- PROVIDING NEW CAREER OPTIONS

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We provide the highest quality education so that all of our students are empowered to lead productive and fulfilling lives as lifelong learners and responsible citizens.



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PRACTICAL NURSING

PROGRAM OBJECTIVE

The practical nursing faculty is committed to providing a high standard of quality nursing education to all of our students. Through cooperative team efforts, our graduate practical nurses will be: successful in their licensure requirements, prepared for an entry level nursing position, adopt measures that ensure the safe practice of nursing, show sensitivity to cultural diversity, and promote health habits that contribute to total wellness.

PROGRAM CONTENT

Theoretical instruction and clinical experience in:

- ▶ Basic nursing
- ▶ Medical, surgical, mental health, maternal / newborn, pediatric and geriatric nursing
- ▶ Acute and long term care
- ▶ Personal, family and community health concepts
- ▶ Nutrition, human growth and development throughout lifespan
- ▶ Body structure and function, interpersonal relationship skills
- ▶ Pharmacology and administration of medications
- ▶ Legal aspects of practice
- ▶ Current issues in nursing practice and understanding the Florida Nurse Practice Act

Clinical experience makes up at least 50% of the total program. The program is approved by the Florida State Board of Nursing.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- ▶ 16 years of age or older and not currently enrolled in any K-12 program
- ▶ Create update profile information on Focus
- ▶ Occupational Interest
- ▶ High School Diploma / GED from an Accredited High School
- ▶ Complete the TEAS Test
- ▶ No specific Information Technology requirement

COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS

The entire program is 1350 hours but students can earn a certificate upon completion of the following OCPs:

OCP	COURSE	HOURS
A	Practical Nursing Foundation 1	300
B	Practical Nursing Foundation 2	300
B	Medical Surgical Nursing 1	300
B	Medical Surgical Nursing 2	300
B	Comprehensive Nursing and Transitional Skills	150

Minimum basic-skills grade levels required for awarding a Full Program Completion Certificate are 11th grade in Math, Reading and Language on the TABE® test or passing the NCLEX-PN Licensure.

Additional information can be provided by student services.

Students are expected to complete program competencies.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Licensed practical nurses can work in

- ▶ Hospitals
- ▶ Nursing Homes
- ▶ Extended Care
- ▶ Clinics
- ▶ Doctor's Offices
- ▶ Home Health Services

EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS

State License in Practical Nursing

SALARY

According to the 2020 Bureau of Labor Statistics the median pay for a Licensed Practical Nurse was **\$48,820** annually or **\$23.47** per hour.

FINANCIAL AID

Financial aid is available to those who qualify. Applicants must have a high school diploma from an accredited High School, or its equivalent. To apply, complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid, at www.fafsa.gov. Questions pertaining to this matter should be directed to the Financial Aid Office.

PROGRAM COST

- ▶ In-state residents - \$2.56 per hour (Subject to change)
- ▶ Out of state resident - \$10.25 per hour (Subject to change)
- ▶ \$15.00 application fee per trimester
- ▶ Material fee - Varies by program
- ▶ Identification fee - \$5.00 per trimester
- ▶ Liability insurance fee - Varies by program
- ▶ Students must purchase books/kits and/or uniforms, if applicable

PROGRAM HOURS

- ▶ Monday - Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
- ▶ Monday - Thursday from 4:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., and Friday from 3:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.