

**Program Description:**

The Allied Health Occupations Certificate Program is a unique opportunity for students, interested in the health care field, to earn a certificate that will help them further this goal. Health Occupations Certificate graduates have a wide range of career options within the Health Science industry. Graduates work in educational services, federal, state, and local governments, or pharmaceutical and medical facilities. The Health Occupations Certificate includes a minimum of 18 general education credits and 12 credit hours of Allied Health credits.

**Career Outlook:**

For the most current career outlook information please refer to the Bureau of Labor Statistics “Occupational Outlook Handbook” found at [www.bls.gov/ooh/](http://www.bls.gov/ooh/).

**Salary Forecast:**

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**Program Admission Requirements:**

- Mountwest is an open enrollment institution. Please contact Student Services Division at (304) 710-3361 for specific admission requirements.
- Applicants must complete all general education and prerequisite courses with a grade of “C” or better, and must have a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.

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## Allied Health Occupations—Major Code CA70

Name:					ID Number 942-		
Educational Counselor:							
Faculty Advisor:							
COURSE	REQUIREMENTS	SEM	HRS	GR	SUBSTITUTE/REPEAT CRS	SEM	CR
AH 151	Medical Terminology (EDGE)		3				
BIOL 257	Intro. To Anatomy & Physiology		3				
ENL 101	Written Communication <sup>1</sup>		3				
IT 101	Fundamentals of Computers		3				
MAT 120	Math Elective <sup>2</sup>		3				
			15				
	Allied Health Electives <sup>3</sup> (3 courses)		9				
COM 112 or COM 125	Oral Communication Interpersonal Communication		3				
	Social Science Elective <sup>4</sup>		3				
			15				
<b>Hours Required for Graduation: 30</b>							

**Earn A Degree Graduate Early (EDGE):**

This program provides students the opportunity to receive credit for their high school EDGE courses.

1. ENL 101 has a prerequisite of placement in 100-level English or a corequisite of ENL 095. Students must complete ENL 101 with a "C" or better to graduate.
2. MAT 120 has a prerequisite of placement in 100-level Math or a minimum ACT Math score of 19 or SAT Math score of 510.
3. Recommended Allied Health electives include: AH 205, AH 207, AH 216, AH 220, EME 105, EME 109 and others with permission.
4. Choose from EC, HIST, PSYC, SOCI at the 100-level or above.

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