

Idaho State UNIVERSITY

Office of Continuing Education & WORKFORCE TRAINING
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C.N.A. STUDENT INFORMATIONAL SHEET

Students are required to successfully complete eighty-eight (88) hrs of classroom instruction and thirty-two (32) hours of direct patient care under the supervision and guidance of a nursing faculty member. This course is mandated by the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare.

COURSE FEES

- Course fee
- Healthcare provider CPR certification
- Textbook, Workbook & DVD
- Clinical Supplies: Scrubs, Gait Belt, Blood Pressure Cuff, Stethoscope
- TB test and Hepatitis B vaccine
- State testing fees
 - \$70 exam fee paid to Workforce Training
 - \$29 at written exam testing center (Visa, MC or American Express)
 - Oral exam an addition \$5

APPROXIMATE COSTS:

Fees are subject to change without notice

\$500
\$54
\$90
\$85
\$100
\$99

“Mosby’s Essentials for Nursing Assistants”: Text & Workbook (5th ed.) by Sheila A. Sorrentino. ISBN: 9780323113205.
ISU Bookstore 282-3237***

*****NOTE: WE WILL BE ADDING SKILLS VIDEOS TO COURSES STARTING APRIL 2014. PLEASE CONTACT US IN APRIL FOR INFORMATION ON HOW TO ACCESS THE VIDEOS.**

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Attendance: The state of Idaho requires all students attend 90% of the course to pass. Students need to make necessary arrangements to avoid conflicts with the course dates/times (work, other classes, etc.).

CPR: Student shall maintain current certification of American Heart Association (AHA) Healthcare Provider (HCP) CPR throughout the clinical portion of the course. To schedule a CPR class visit <https://workforcetraining.isu.edu> or call (208) 282-3372. *Students who have taken CPR, but not AHA Healthcare Provider CPR, must return to the CPR training center to get documented verification of: 1) concepts taught; 2) successful completion of both a skills test and written test.*

Hepatitis B Vaccine/TB Test: Prior to clinical, each student shall provide proof of:

- One of the following: 1) at least the first dose of hepatitis B vaccine; 2) a positive titer indicating immunity to hepatitis B; 3) documented refusal of the hepatitis B vaccine. Note: The three-shot series provides life-long immunity.
- A negative TB test administered within one year of clinical start date. For *positive* TB tests: Student must provide a physician’s note releasing student to care for vulnerable populations. Note: This is a skin test that takes three days from administration to evaluation.

BACKGROUND CHECK

ISU CNA does not perform background checks, but students can expect one once hired by an agency after testing is complete. If we are informed of a past crime during the course, we must inform our agency and allow them to decide if the student can rotate. If denied clinical, the student will be ineligible for reimbursement or transfer. Information of this nature is included on the Idaho Criminal History Unit website at <https://chu.dhw.idaho.gov/>.

DISABILITY ACCOMMODATIONS

Reasonable accommodations can be made for those who have a documented disability, which may affect their performance in class. Unless we receive written notification from ISU Disability Services at 282-3599 within one week after the beginning of class, we may not be able to assist in a timely and appropriate manner. The center can provide specific information on procedures.