The median annual wage for nursing assistants was $29,640 in May 2019.

Employment of nursing assistants and orderlies is projected to grow 9 percent from 2018 to 2028, faster than the average for all occupations. Because of the growing elderly population, many nursing assistants will be needed in long-term care facilities.


Approved by the State of Michigan Department of Community Health, Board of Nursing.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM
The Nursing Assistant Training Program is a two (2) semester Short-Term Certificate, comprised of three (3) courses that total sixteen (16) credit hours.

WHAT DO NURSING ASSISTANTS, ORDERLIES AND ATTENDANTS DO?
Nursing assistants, orderlies, and attendants are frequently active, visiting patients and residents and helping move, reposition, or lift them.

WHERE DO THEY WORK?
Nursing assistants, orderlies, and attendants help provide basic care for patients in hospitals and residents of long-term care facilities, such as nursing homes.
Nursing Assistant Training:
Short-Term Certificate

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