



Behavioral Health Technician

Program Description:

This program is designed to train individuals in the basic core skills needed to provide support services to clients in a variety of settings, such as mental health facilities/agencies, foster homes, homeless shelters, prisons, schools and other human service organizations. Students will learn and provide rehabilitation services and interventions necessary for their clients to achieve rehabilitative, sobriety and recovery goals. Students will understand the state and local guidelines for providing services to mental health, development disabilities, and substance abuse clients and applying these guidelines in a professional manner. Students will also understand the psychological, social, pharmacological, genetic and emotional aspects of addiction and how it affects individuals and their family members. Finally, students will be trained in crisis intervention to avoid or minimize the occurrence of emergency situations. Upon completion, students will be certified in North Carolina Interventions (NCI), First Aid/CPR, and Person Centered Thinking. Coursework will also fulfill Community Awareness Program (CAP) credentials.



Prerequisites: High School Diploma/GED, Employability Skills, Bronze-level or higher Career Readiness Certificate

Textbooks required: None

Supplies or Other Requirements: 3-ring binder, pen

| Fall 2010 Schedule | | | | | |
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| Course ID | Course Title | Dates | Day(s) | Time | Location |
| MHT 3100 | Behavioral Health Technician | (2 Sections Available) Day: 8/23 – 12/20 OR Evening: 8/23 – 12/20 | MTW MTW | 1:00p – 4:00p 6:00p – 9:00p | (North Campus) NA-339 ND-A114 |
| HRD 3001 | Employability Skills* | Ongoing | F | 9:00a – 12:00p | BIG Center |
| HRD 3002 | KeyTrain Lab* (Career Readiness Certificate) | Ongoing | As Needed | Computer lab hrs as needed | “C” Building |

**Online classes also available.*

| Program Costs | | | |
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| Course | Tuition Cost | Books | Student Supplies |
| MHT 3100 | \$178 | \$0 | -- |
| HRD 3001 | \$0 if qualified | -- | -- |
| HRD 3002 | \$0 if qualified | -- | \$30 (CRC) |
| TOTAL | \$178 | \$0 | \$30 |

****See website for information on Tuition Assistance**

TO REGISTER FOR THIS PROGRAM: Visit the BIG Center (805 N. 3rd Street)

Tuition is due at the time of registration. Cash, check and credit cards accepted.

For all other questions, contact Anna Bruton at abruton@cfcc.edu or 362-7185.