

The Knoedler School of Practical Nurse Education is an 11-month program beginning in September. Classes meet daily Monday through Friday 8:00 AM – 3:30 PM. The program is approved by the Ohio State Board of Nursing and accredited by the Accrediting Commission of Career Schools & Colleges. It has been developed to prepare the student to perform basic nursing skills under the direction of a licensed physician or registered nurse.

The program includes nursing theory and planned clinical experience in a variety of health agency settings. Upon completion of the program, the student is eligible to take the National Council Licensure Examination for certification as a licensed practical nurse. Licensure as a practical nurse is dependent upon successful completion of the practical nursing program and passing the State Board of Nursing examination.

Convenient advancement to a registered nurse (R.N.) is available through the Ashtabula County Technical & Career Campus LPN to RN program.



FUTURE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Extended Care Facilities
Out-Patient Clinics
Home Health Care Agencies
Physician's Offices
Community Service Clinic

Hospital
Nursing Homes
Private Duty
Mental Health Facilities
Camp Nurse

Employment during the past 20 years of the program's existence has been virtually 100%. Employment opportunities for the practical nurse continue to abound.



The faculty of the Knoedler School of Practical Nurse Education believes that within the broad scope of patient care there are needs which can be met by the practical nurse and which, therefore, makes practical nursing an integral part of the nursing profession.

We believe in the dignity and worth of the individual and feel that the practical nurse should be concerned with the patient's physical, social, psychological, and spiritual well-being so they might achieve their optimum level of functioning.

We, furthermore, believe that the practice of nursing should be a direct interaction with the patient and their family – an interaction in which the practical nurse, within the framework of the nursing process and in cooperation with other health professionals, observes, cares for, communicates, teaches, and contributes to the maintenance of the patient until they are able to assume responsibility for their own welfare.

It is this philosophy upon which our program is based.

2016-2017 Student Tuition **\$10,750***

(Tuition includes books, student fees, student pin, lab fee & liability insurance)

* Subject to change



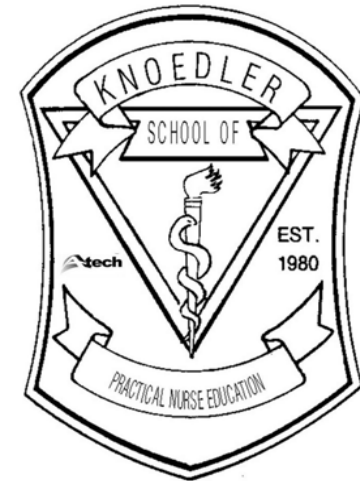
FINANCIAL AID AVAILABLE FOR THOSE WHO QUALIFY

Ashtabula County Technical and Career Campus
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT OFFICE
1565 State Route 167, Jefferson, OH 44047
440/576-6015 Fax: 440/576-5258

WWW.ATECH.EDU

The Ashtabula County Technical and Career Center does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability or age in its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth group.

Knoedler School of Practical Nurse Education



2017 – 2018 School Year

Nursing



**"Today a Dream,
Tomorrow a Reality"**

ADMISSION CRITERIA

Practical Nurse Education requires that the student adjust to many and varied situations. It is expected that the student have a definite interest in helping others. Above all, the student must have maturity, emotional stability, and good communication skills.

Criteria for selecting students is the responsibility of the school's Admission Committee.

- Satisfactory scores on pre-entrance test (sample questions can be found at www.psbtests.com)
- High School graduate or equivalency
- Three work/professional references
- Personal interview with program director or faculty member

PLEASE NOTE:

Physical examination report is required after acceptance and prior to enrollment which must include a mandatory drug screen, proof of immunizations for Tdap, Hepatitis B, MMR, and Varicella. Influenza may be required at a later date.

Background fingerprinting will be done on all students prior to the start of their clinical experience. Should anything other than a minor traffic violation be uncovered, the student may be refused admission to selected health care facilities; hence will be unable to graduate. (Clinical experience being mandatory for completing objectives required for graduation.)



COURSE OF STUDY

- **Allied Nurse Science**
Study of sciences closely related to nursing care such as Nutrition and Microbiology.
- **Professional/Vocational Relationships**
Aids the student in becoming a member of the health care team.
- **Nursing Fundamentals**
Basic skills needed for patient care.
- **Psychology And Sociology**
Interpersonal relationships essential to good nursing care.
- **Medical/Surgical Nursing**
Medical/surgical conditions affecting people throughout the life cycle.
- **Maternal/Child**
Care of a woman throughout pregnancy, labor and delivery and the child from birth through adolescence.
- **Rehabilitation**
Care of patient requiring long-term care.
- **Community Health**
Introduction to community resources available.
- **Geriatrics**
Study of the aging process and care of the elderly individual.
- **Pharmacology**
Administration of medications.
- **IV Therapy**



**FOR MORE
INFORMATION ABOUT
THE LPN PROGRAM
CALL 440/576-5545**

REGISTRATION FORM

To register for the Pre-Entrance Exam, complete this form indicating date and time of testing and mail fee to:

**Knoedler School of
Practical Nurse Education**
1565 State Route 167
Jefferson, OH 44047

**A non refundable \$30 testing fee
MUST accompany your registration
& be paid before we can reserve
your requested test date.**

**Photo ID is required at time
you check in for test.**

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone (home) _____

Phone (work) _____

Social Security # _____

Test Date _____ Time _____

Dates and Times for Testing

**Wednesday
November 2, 2016
12:00 P.M.**

**Wednesday
February 1, 2017
12:00 p.M.**

Call for Additional Dates

**Wednesday
March 15, 2017
9:00 A.M.**

**Friday
April 7, 2017
12:00 P.M.**

**Tuesday
April 25, 2017
6:00 P.M.**

EARLY TESTING IS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED.

FREE MEDICAL READINESS CLASSES are offered by the Adult Basic Literacy and Education (ABLE) division of the A-Tech. Call 576-5599 for details.

Additional test dates for Medical Readiness students will be scheduled in December 2016 and Spring 2017.