



## Practical Nursing (LPN)

*Adult Education Program - 1160 Course Hours*

Plattsburgh Main Campus

Become a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)! Classroom, lab practice, job shadowing and clinical experiences are integral parts of the program. Students receive preparation for entering a health career in Practical Nursing. This program is a great start for continuing in a postgraduate health profession career pathway. Students gain the skills and knowledge that will allow them to deliver safe, effective nursing care, working in partnership with Registered Nurses and other health care team members. This is a 1160 hour, adult only program.



## Program Highlights

- First Aid & CPR
- Issues & Ethics
- Human Body
- Nutrition
- Medical/Surgical Nursing
- Skills for the Practical Nurse: including client care, data collection, wound care, medication administration and monitoring
- Mental Health Nursing
- Maternal and Child Nursing
- Medical Terminology
- Infection-Control
- Medical Abbreviations
- Safety in the Health Care Environment

## Career Connections

- Licensed Practical Nurse
- With Further Education: Registered Nurse, Radiology Technician and Surgical Technologist

## Articulation Agreements

- SUNY Canton
- Clinton Community College
- North Country Community College

## Certifications

- NYS License as Practical Nurse

## Course of Study

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### Role of the LPN

### Safety in the Healthcare Setting

### First Aid and CPR

### Infection Control

### Issues and Ethics

- Confidentiality
- HIPAA Regulations

### Medical Terminology

### Medical Abbreviations

### LPN Skills

- Patient Care
- Data Collection
- Wound Care
- Medication Administration
- Monitoring

### Courses

- Medical Surgical Nursing
- Human Body
- Nutrition
- Mental Health Nursing
- Maternal and Child Nursing

### Clinical Experiences

### Shadowing Experiences

### Career Preparation

### Portfolio Development