

# Spotlight on

# Nursing Assistants



## In-demand NOW!

## CAREER OVERVIEW

The job outlook for Nursing Assistants (also known as CNAs, STNAs, and PCAs) is very strong in Greater Cincinnati. There are thousands of open positions and demand is expected to grow in the next few years.

## DAY-TO-DAY PATIENT CARE

For many patients, Nursing Assistants are an important part of their daily lives, helping them do necessary things they can't do for themselves like eating, bathing, dressing, or basic grooming.

Nursing Assistants work in skilled nursing facilities, hospitals, long-term care and assisted living communities, home health care services, and more. Additional duties include:

- Monitoring and recording patients' vital signs
- Documenting food and liquid intake
- Transporting patients and helping with other mobility needs
- Assisting nurses with basic medical procedures

## GETTING STARTED

Many employers offer new Nursing Assistants the opportunity to earn their certification while already employed.

If you are interested in learning more scan the QR code at right.

REGIONAL TRAINING  
AND EDUCATION



**\$43,000 PER YEAR**  
average mean salary

**1,100 ACTIVE JOB POSTINGS**  
in the Cincinnati region

**"They pay for my school tuition and every day I'm at work, I learn something new from the nurses. They are the most supportive people I've ever worked with ... Because of the nurses I look forward to coming to work!"**  
- Imoni A., CNA, PCT

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