

Learn what it takes to become a

Qualified Medication Aide

Job Description

A Qualified Medication Aide (QMA) is a Certified Nurse Aide (CNA) who has completed additional training, annual in-service training, and demonstrated competency while dispensing and passing medications and/or applying/administering treatments under the direct supervision of a registered nurse or a licensed practical nurse. A QMA must have an active CNA license and provide verification of 1,000 hours worked as a CNA in the past 24 months.

The qualified medication aide training program allows students to gain knowledge in a classroom setting. Students experience various learning techniques including videos, games, hands-on skills in the lab, and real-life experience in a long-term care facility. Students are required to successfully pass weekly exams and final exams to successfully pass the class. The program prepares students to successfully pass their written state exam.

Indiana Wage Information

	Entry	Median
Hourly Wage	\$11.92	\$14.15

Job Outlook in Indiana
Long Term | 23,9% †

*Data collected from DWD, Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics

Possible Growth Opportunities

- Certified Nursing Assistant
- Medical Assistant
- Patient Care Coordinator
- Office Manager

