

Professional Licensing and Certification Disclosure

Medical Assistant

Cabarrus College clinical programs embrace best practices in healthcare education and prepare students for professional licensure, certification, and practice. Educational requirements to sit for credentialing examinations and to practice vary from one state to the next.

Cabarrus College’s Medical Assistant program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Programs (CAAHEP) through recommendation of the Medical Assistant Education Review Board (MAERB). It is designed to prepare students to sit for the national Certified Medical Assistant (CMA) exam administered by the American Association of Medical Assistants. Cabarrus College researched educational requirements for the following states and territories, and per federal requirements, has determined whether or not its program curricula meet educational requirements for licensure/certification. In some instances, the College was unable to make a determination at this time. Please note that each state may have differing scope of practice laws for medical assistants. Go to the [American Association of Medical Assistants website](http://www.aama-assn.org) to locate state information.

Cabarrus College strongly encourages prospective and enrolled students to contact the licensing board or regulatory agency in the state/territory in which they wish to practice for additional information and to confirm whether successful completion of our program meets state credentialing requirements. For local assistance, please contact Program Chair Rachel Houston at Rachel.Houston@CabarrusCollege.edu (401 Medical Park Drive, Concord, NC 28025, 704-403-1228).

State/Territory	Meets educational requirements	Does not meet educational requirements	Certification not required	Unable to make a determination at this time
Alabama	*			
Alaska	*			
American Samoa				*
Arizona**				
Arkansas	*			
California**				
Colorado	*			
Connecticut	*			
Delaware	*			
Florida	*			
Georgia	*			
Guam				*
Hawaii	*			
Idaho	*			
Illinois	*			
Indiana	*			
State/Territory	Meets educational requirements	Does not meet educational requirements	Certification not required	Unable to make a determination at this time
Nebraska**	*			
Nevada	*			
New Hampshire	*			
New Jersey**	*			
New Mexico	*			
New York	*			
North Carolina	*			
North Dakota**	*			
Northern Mariana Islands				*
Ohio	*			
Oklahoma	*			
Oregon	*			
Pennsylvania	*			
Puerto Rico				*
Rhode Island	*			
South Carolina	*			

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Iowa	*				South Dakota**	*			
Kansas	*				Tennessee	*			
Kentucky	*				Texas	*			
Louisiana	*				US Virgin Islands				*
Maine**	*				Utah	*			
Maryland	*				Vermont	*			
Massachusetts	*				Virginia	*			
Michigan	*				Washington**	*			
Minnesota	*				West Virginia	*			
Mississippi	*				Wisconsin	*			
Missouri	*				Wyoming	*			
Montana	*								

** Students wishing to practice in AZ, CA, MA, ND, NE, NJ, SD, or WA are encouraged to consult with Program Chair Houston for additional information (Rachel.Houston@CabarrusCollege.edu, 401 Medical Park Drive, Concord, NC 28025, 704-403-1228).