# Home Health Aide Course No. 36053 Credit: 0.5

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| **Student name:** |  | **Graduation Date:** |  |

Pathways and CIP Codes:Health Science (51.9999)

Course Description: **Application Level:** This course will teach students how to care for individuals within their homes under the direct supervision of a nurse. Course content will include patient care, comfort, and safety; anatomy and physiology; the prevention of disease and infection; nutrition and meal preparation; human relations; and first aid and CPR. Additional topics that must be included to receive a full credit are therapy strategies, household management and employability. This class results in the opportunity to test for KS certification of Home Health Aide.

Directions:The following competencies are required for full approval of this course. Check the appropriate number to indicate the level of competency reached for learner evaluation.

**RATING SCALE:**

4. Exemplary Achievement: Student possesses outstanding knowledge, skills or professional attitude.

3. Proficient Achievement:Student demonstrates good knowledge, skills or professional attitude. Requires limited supervision.

2. Limited Achievement:Student demonstrates fragmented knowledge, skills or professional attitude. Requires close supervision.

1. Inadequate Achievement:Student lacks knowledge, skills or professional attitude.

0. No Instruction/Training:Student has not received instruction or training in this area.

## Benchmark 1: Click or tap here to enter text.

### Competencies

| **#** | **DESCRIPTION** | **RATING** |
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| 1.1 | Describe and define Home Health Care and the Home Health Care Team. |  |
| 1.2 | Identify needs that children clients may have and how the home health worker can support meeting those needs. |  |
| 1.3 | Identify needs that aging adult clients may have and how the home health worker can support meeting those needs. |  |
| 1.4 | Identify needs that clients with mental health issues may have and how the home health worker can support meeting those needs. |  |
| 1.5 | Identify needs that clients with developmental challenges may have and how the home health worker can support meeting those needs. |  |
| 1.6 | Identify needs that clients with physical disabilities may have and how the home health worker can support meeting those needs. |  |
| 1.7 | Describe and demonstrate the responsibility for the health care worker’s health and management of a job including professionalism. |  |
| 1.8 | Identify and describe jobs where a Home Health Aide certification is needed. |  |
| 1.9 | Identify and describe job opportunities that a Home Health Aide certification can lead to. |  |

## Benchmark 2: Legal

### Competencies

| **#** | **DESCRIPTION** | **RATING** |
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| 2.1 | Describe the legal and ethical standards of caring for individuals in the home. |  |

## Benchmark 3: Home Health Skills

### Competencies

| **#** | **DESCRIPTION** | **RATING** |
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| 3.1 | Explain and demonstrate the basic knowledge and procedures required to master prior to working in the home health setting. |  |
| 3.2 | Describe and demonstrate adaptive effective body mechanics when performing ADL tasks in the home care setting. |  |
| 3.3 | Describe and demonstrate ability to provide a client with basic nutrition in a home health setting. |  |
| 3.4 | Identify and demonstrate procedures relating to infection control practicesin the home health setting. |  |

## Benchmark 4: Human Body

### Competencies

| **#** | **DESCRIPTION** | **RATING** |
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| 4.1 | Describe the human body systems and common disease processesseen in the home health care setting. |  |
| 4.2 | Describe the difference between chronic and acute disease processes. |  |

## Benchmark 5: Safety

### Competencies

| **#** | **DESCRIPTION** | **RATING** |
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| 5.1 | Prevent accidents by using proper safety techniques for the prevention of accidents. |  |
| 5.2 | Identify and demonstrated skills mastering emergency care. |  |
| 5.3 | Identify and demonstrated skills mastering disaster preparedness. |  |
| 5.4 | Identify and demonstrated skills mastering safety in the home health setting. |  |

## Benchmark 6: State Requirements

### Competencies

| **#** | **DESCRIPTION** | **RATING** |
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| 6.1 | Meet allstate requirementsfor Home Health Aide certification and training. |  |
| 6.2 | Identify other requirements in neighboring states for Home Health Aide certification. |  |

I certify that the student has received training in the areas indicated.

Instructor Signature:

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