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Hello friends and family members of Health Science students, We hope that you are enjoying the summer! We are very excited about having your student enrolled in the health science course for this upcoming 2025-26 school year.

Below you will find a breakdown of clinical requirements for the CNA portion of HSE, the approximate cost of each, and the approximate due dates for your Health Science CNA student. Please keep in mind the cost I give you is based on last year's cost. This may seem overwhelming at first, but remember, this is for their clinical experience and your son or daughter will be earning a state CNA certification and will be highly employable!

REQUIREMENT:	DESCRIPTION:	DATE DUE:	APPROX. COST:
PHYSICAL Exam	This can be a copy of a school sports physical for the current school year or from family doctor	End October	Specific to your medical facility and insurance plan
SCRUBS	1-2 sets (highly recommend 2 sets) of solid MAROON or WINE colored scrubs, styles may vary.	September 12	Approx. \$40.00/set
2-STEP TB TEST (Mantoux)	Two Tuberculin skin tests are required by nursing home facilities-known as a "Two Step" (PPD). Wabash Health Dept. administers and will even come to HCC to administer	September 12 (both TB skin tests)	\$20.00 per test (x2) \$40.00
LIMITED CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECK	Background check (fingerprinting) will be completed as a class- mid September through a company known as MorphoTrust	Classroom activity, due date early September, TBD	\$22.95
CPR CERT.	American Heart Assoc. CPR certification-	Classroom Activity, due date TBD (Sept/October)	\$10.00
SKILLS USA/ HOSA	Professional organization affiliation membership	November 1	\$17.00
STATE CNA Certification TEST	Completion of CNA curriculum a STATE certification test is typically taken in late April/early May	March- due date TBD	\$75.00/usually funded by grants

Heartland Career Center Health Science- CNA Classroom/Lab Expectations

Class begins when the bell rings. Students are expected to be in their assigned seats and ready to begin class.

- You are responsible for signing in everyday. A minimum number of hours is required by state and it is up to you to record your hours- both classroom and clinical hours must be recorded separately. Sheets will be provided.
 - **Restroom Usage** - Students are expected to use the restroom before class begins, during break time, or after class is over. If you have an emergency and need to use the restroom during class time, you will lose your break time privileges for one day.
- **ATTENDANCE** is extremely important during the classroom portion. We introduce and learn a new topic almost everyday. The class moves quickly and it is very easy to get behind. You will also receive a daily attendance grade. If you are absent – it is expected that you read the lesson from the day and have the Workbook assignment completed for when you return. Attendance is vital to your success at HCC.
- **HOMEWORK** – there is homework almost every night. A lesson will be taught in class and you will be required to have the workbook pages completed for class the NEXT day. Late work will not be accepted.
- NO food/drink in the Lab area or Classroom, except water.
- NO PHONES in the lab area or classroom. They are not to be out during class time unless approved by the instructor - they will remain in the baskets/ shoe caddy on the wall
 - Classroom disruptions will not be tolerated. A classroom disruption is anything that interferes with the learning process of yourself and other students. Examples include: sleeping, talking out loud when it is not your turn, writing and passing notes, being on your phone, doing other assignments from other classes, etc....
 - These rules are in place to get you prepared for working on the clinical floor at a health care facility. We are following rules that the facilities already have in place. We will be doing competency checks as we move through the curriculum and skills. You must prove competency in performing skills in the lab setting before being allowed to transition to the clinical floor. Competency must also be shown through professionalism which includes dress code, language and staying off of phones.