Health Profession Opportunity Grants 2.0 (HPOG 2.0)

Training in healthcare is available under this grant including non-credit training in:
- Behavioral Health Technician (BHT)
- Certified Nurse Aide (CNA)
- Community Health Worker (CHW)
- EKG Tech
- Emergency Medical Tech. (EMT)
- Home Health Aide (HHA)
- Medical Administrative Assistant (MAA)
- PCA upgrade to HHA
- Personal Care Aide (PCA)
- Phlebotomy Technician

Free Healthcare Career Courses

The Health Profession Opportunity Grants (HPOG 2.0) provides funding to support our communities with healthcare training and education for a variety of healthcare professions. The Upstate Partnership for Healthcare Pathways (UHPH) received funds to provide FREE training to qualifying individuals.

All eligible participants must go through an intake process by a Community Action Partner (ACAP or SCAP). The grant is part of a national study and applicants will be selected by lottery. Not all eligible applicants will be selected to participate in this opportunity.

This grant offers support services to remove barriers to success such as tutoring, skills assessment, goal setting, job placement, job retention, and more.

Several trainings in healthcare are available under the grant including non-credit training. College credit programs are also supported under this grant, including pre-nursing and nursing, medical billing and coding, substance abuse counseling, and more—however tuition for credit programs is not covered but financial aid is available.

Do You Qualify for Free Tuition?

Qualifications for eligibility are:
✓ Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) recipients or 200% Federal Guidelines for Poverty Level
✓ U.S. citizenship or resident alien status
✓ Immunization records and proof of a flu shot
✓ Passage of a criminal background check

If you live in Albany, Rensselaer, Saratoga Counties, call the Albany Community Action Partnership (ACAP) at (518) 463-3175

If you live in Fulton, Montgomery, or Schenectady Counties, call the Schenectady Community Action Program (SCAP) at (518) 374-9181

If you live outside of these counties, contact the closest partner above.

For more information, contact the HPOG program at (518) 621-4007 or HPOG@sunysccc.edu

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