

2019-2020



Program Overview

NorQuest College's Health Care Aide program is among the largest in Canada and prepares you to be a part of a health-care team in a variety of different settings, providing a high level of front-line care to clients in need of assistance. NorQuest College is licensed to deliver the 2019 Health Care Aide Government of Alberta Provincial Curriculum.

Career Potential

Upon successful completion of the program, you will be prepared to work in continuing care institutions, home care agencies, group homes, assisted or supportive living facilities, day programs, specialized care centres and programs, acute care hospitals, and private care.

Admission Requirements

- 60% in English Language Arts 20-2 or equivalent

ELP Requirements

If English is your second language, you must provide proof of English language proficiency (ELP) prior to admission. ELP test results must have been obtained within two years of the start date of your program.

Acceptable evidence of ELP may be one of the following test scores:

- IELTS Academic: 6; no section score below 5.5
- TOEFL iBT: 71
- CELPIP General: 7; no section score below 6

See [Admissions Process](#) for the steps to becoming a student.

Quick Facts

Credential: Certificate

Length: 8 months

Deliveries:

JANUARY

Edmonton	FT In person
Edmonton	PT In person
Drayton Valley	PT In person
Wetaskiwin	PT In person
Online	PT Online w/ in-person labs

Tuition and Fees

Canadian Students

Total tuition: \$5,292.00

Total fees: \$1,055.00

International Students

Total tuition: \$15,552.00

Total fees: \$1,055.00

Fees for Health Care Aide Workplace students

- Workplace tuition: \$1,000 (will vary depending on eight-month or 12-month delivery)
- Workplace fees: \$25 per term