

EASTERN AROOSTOOK ADULT & COMMUNITY EDUCATION

RECOMMENDED

Admission – Retention - Dismissal

Criteria for CNA Programs Developed by:
M H O E A (Maine Health Occupations Education Association)

RECOMMENDED ADMISSION CRITERIA

Important: You will be required to have a State Bureau of Identification (SBI) check done prior to beginning the clinical experience of this program and this must be submitted to the Registry when being placed on the Certified Nursing Assistant Registry. The attached fact sheet on employment restrictions provides information about felony convictions that will bar you from employment as a Certified Nursing Assistant. Please read the fact sheet and sign the application form stating that you have read and understand the information regarding your ineligibility for employment if you have any of the convictions.

1. Minimum age 16
2. Good Physical and Mental Health
Good grooming and personal hygiene
Absence of drug and alcohol abuse
Dependable, reliable, work habits
3. Preferably a High School Diploma or GED
4. Ability to read or write English Grade level of 9.0 Recommended (Preferably 12.9 Entrance Exam) CASAS adult level student
5. **Completed State Bureau of Investigation Background Check**
6. Immunization MMR – unless born before 1956
All immunizations and testing required by the cooperating clinical facility, including **Hepatitis B**. Evidence of negative T.B. test or negative chest x-ray
7. Physical Exam within the past year – **statement from a physician stating the candidate is physically capable of doing C.N.A. work**
8. At least 2 personal references and 2 work related references
9. Interview with primary instructor

I, *(print clearly)* _____, have read and understand the **admission/retention/dismissal policies** of Eastern Aroostook Adult & Community Education and agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the program.

Signature

Date