



Resident Care Worker

Program Objective

This program is designed to provide students with theoretical and practical training to qualify them for employment as a Certified Resident Care Worker. The students will develop competencies in personal client care, nursing skills, safety in health care settings, communications in health, and will gain and understanding of the human body and its structure and function. This program is recognized by government, private community care facilities and home care settings.

Program Information

Length:

36 weeks

Class Times:

Summerside—Monday to Friday

9:00am to 4:00pm

Charlottetown—Monday to Friday—

9:00am to 4:00pm

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Admission Prerequisites

- Grade 12 or equivalent
- A Level II Police Records Check including a Vulnerable Persons Check
- Current CPR Level C and Standard First Aid Certificate
- Medical Certificate signed by medical doctor
- Immunization Form
- Current resume with three (3) references attached
- \$20 Application Fee (upon acceptance, fee will be credited to tuition)

Financial Assistance

Students registered in the full-time program may apply for financial assistance under the Canada Student Loan Act. In addition, students may be eligible for SkillsPEI Sponsorship.



Career Opportunities

Upon completion, the graduate will possess the needed skills to provide care and support to the clients who require assistance with mobility, assisting terminally ill clients, understanding impairment and mental health

Career Opportunities Include:

- Personal Support Worker
- Home Support Services
- Private Care Worker
- Long-Term Care Facilities
- Mental Health Facilities
- Patient Care Worker

Clinical Placement

All students will have placements in geriatrics and home care. In the first semester a 6-week placement will be provided in a Geriatric setting. In the second semester there will be an additional 6-week placement in a Geriatric facility, a 3-week placement, and a six-day placement in Home Care.

Clinical Placements Include:

- Manors & Nursing Homes
- Home Care
- Psychiatry

Student Comments

"This year has been great. It has changed my life in a major way. We had fun, but also learned in the best way possible. Right from the heart!"

Vicky G

"After completing the course, I now know I made the right choice by choosing the Marguerite Connolly Training & Consulting Program!"

Greg H

About Marguerite Connolly Training & Consulting

Marguerite Connolly Training & Consulting (MCTC), a leader in health care training has been delivering health care programs on Prince Edward Island since 1996. MCTC is certified and approved by the Department of Innovation & Advanced Learning—Government of Prince Edward Island to offer Resident Care Worker (RCW) and Home Support Worker (HSW) Programs.

On Prince Edward Island there are two locations to choose from:

Charlottetown

59A Grafton Street

Summerside

10 Slemon Park Drive

Areas of Study

This program will provide students with the following areas of study in preparation for employment in the field of Resident Care Worker.

Curriculum Outline

Understanding Human Behaviour

- Responsibilities of Health Care Providers
- Striving to Understand Human Behaviour
- Coping with Loss
- Becoming an Effective Health Care Provider
- Trends in Health Care

Principles of Resident/Client Care

- Assist With Psycho/Social Needs
- Assist With Physical/Special Needs
- Assist with Special Needs
- Perform Technical Duties
- Utilize and Maintain Equipment and Supplies
- Provide Home Care

Safety for Both Residents/Clients and Staff

- Protecting Residents Rights and Safety
- Perform Technical Duties
- Provide a Safe Environment

Communications in the Health Care Field

- Develop Personal Competencies
- Communication and Interpersonal Skills
- Observation, Documentation and Reporting

The Human Body, Its Structure and Function

- Measuring and Recording Residents Date
- Restorative and Rehabilitative Care of Resident
- Residents with Special Needs

Acute Care

- Restoring Mobility
- Pain Management Procedures
- Oncology Treatments
- Care of Surgical Patient

Clinical Practicum

Clinical Practicum I	Long Term Care
Clinical Practicum II	Community, Mental Health and Home Care
Clinical Practicum III	Acute Care

Workshops

TLR (Transfer, Lifting, Repositioning), WHMIS, Gentle Persuasion Approach, Alzheimers, Fire Safety, Palliative Care, Adult Protection, AIDS, Human Rights, Occupation Health & Safety