DURHAM TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE PLAN OF STUDY

Revised Fall 2025
5 Semesters

**MEDICAL ASSISTING**
**Diploma (D45400)**

**Catalog/Academic Year 2026-2027**
**SUMMER START**

**Key to symbols after some courses:**

* Developmental courses may be required based on college placement and course requisites.
GE Fulfills the general education requirements for this degree.

**FIRST SUMMER TERM**

| 8 Weeks | Course | Hours Class | Hours Lab | Hours Work | Hours Credit | Program Remarks |
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| X | ENG 111 Writing and Inquiry*GE | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| X | MED 121 Medical Terminology I | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |

**FIRST FALL SEMESTER**

| Term A | Term B | 16 Weeks | Course | Hours Class | Hours Lab | Hours Work | Hours Credit | Program Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | X | BIO 163 Basic Anatomy & Physiology* | 4 | 2 | 0 | 5 | |
| | X | | MAT 110 Math Measurement & Literacy*GE | 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 | |
| X | | | MED 110 Orientation to Med Assist | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | |
| X | | | MED 118 Medical Law and Ethics | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | |
| | X | | MED 122 Medical Terminology II | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| X | | | MED 130 Admin Office Proc I | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | Hybrid |

**FIRST SPRING SEMESTER**

| Term A | Term B | 16 Weeks | Course | Hours Class | Hours Lab | Hours Work | Hours Credit | Program Remarks |
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| X | | | MED 131 Admin Office Proc II | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | Hybrid |
| | | X | MED 140 Exam Room Procedures I | 3 | 4 | 0 | 5 | |
| | | X | MED 150 Laboratory Procedures | 3 | 4 | 0 | 5 | |
| | | X | MED 272 Drug Therapy | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |

**SECOND SUMMER TERM**

| 8 Weeks | Course | Hours Class | Hours Lab | Hours Work | Hours Credit | Program Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| X | MED 260 Medical Clinical Practicum | 0 | 0 | 15 | 5 | 10 weeks |
| X | MED 264 Medical Assisting Overview | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 8 weeks |

**MINIMUM SEMESTER HOURS REQUIRED FOR AAS DEGREE 44**

***For additional information about requirements and graduation, please refer to the Curriculum Program Completion and Graduation policy. Program-specific criteria may be found on the respective Programs page. For questions about this program, consult the Program Director or an advisor for assistance.***