



# Medical Assistant

## Career Opportunities

- Physician and specialty offices
- Outpatient Centers
- Clinics, Hospitals and Urgent Care Facilities
- Ambulatory healthcare services

## Employment Outlook

Employment of medical assistants is projected to grow 23 percent from 2018 to 2028. The growth of the aging baby-boom population will continue to increase demand for preventive medical services, which are often provided by physicians. As a result, physicians will hire more assistants to perform routine administrative and clinical duties, allowing the physicians to see more patients (bls.gov).

## Program Highlights

- Medical Assistants are the only allied health professionals trained specifically to work in physicians' offices, clinics, and group practices
- Provide fundamental entry-level skills and knowledge required to pass the Certified Medical Assistant (CMA), American Association of Medical Assistants (AAMA) examination
- Provide hands-on, real-world experience through skills lab and 160-hour non-paid practicum experience in an allied healthcare facility

### Institutional Accreditation

Knox Technical Center is accredited by the Commission of the Council on Occupational Education, 7840 Roswell Road, Building 300, Suite 325, Atlanta, GA 30350. Telephone: 770-396-3898, Fax: 770-396-3790, [www.council.org](http://www.council.org).

### Program Accreditation

The KTC Medical Assistant Program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs ([www.caahep.org](http://www.caahep.org)) upon the recommendation of Medical Assisting Education Review Board (MAERB). Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs, 25400 U.S. Highway 19 North, Suite 158, Clearwater, FL 33763. Telephone: 727-210-2350, [www.caahep.org](http://www.caahep.org).

### Program Approval

The KTC Medical Assistant program is approved by the Ohio Department of Higher Education, and by the Commission of the Council on Occupational Education.

### Credentialing

Certification(s) is available through the Certified Medical Assistant (CMA), American Association of Medical Assistants (AAMA).

### Articulated College Credit

When enrolling in an institution of higher education, be sure to request a review for articulated college credit with your training from KTC.

For salary information and Gainful Employment Disclosure:  
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