

Clarification of Criminal Background Acceptability for Pre-Nurse Aide Training

Since our program is a preparation for both the state-approved nurse aide training course and for job placement, we have a number of requirements that are dictated to us by the State of PA. In addition, there are some “gray” areas that we also consider to be disqualifiers for this first phase of training.

- Candidates who have been charged with a crime but whose court case has yet to come to a hearing are not eligible to enter a current class.
- Candidates who have been charged with certain crimes are not eligible for nurse aide training in the State of PA. *See the reverse of this sheet for this list of offenses.*
- Candidates who have committed crimes within the last year are not eligible to apply.
- Candidates who are charged with a crime during their ESC class or during their state-approved nurse aide class will be dismissed until resolution. If found innocent, they will be accepted into the next available class. If guilty, they are welcome to reapply after one year from the date of conviction, providing the crime they are charged with is not a disqualifier as per the State of PA.
- Certain crimes committed within the past 7 years are also possible grounds for non-acceptance. These crimes include, but are not limited to, retail theft.

Please read and check each item and sign below.

- I have received and reviewed a copy of the Clarification of Criminal Background Acceptability for Pre-Nurse Aide Training as outlined by the Employment Skills Center, along with the list of Prohibitive Offenses contained in PA Public Law 169.
- I understand that it is my responsibility to disclose any possible disqualifiers as listed in these documents. I understand that if any of the disqualifiers apply to me, that I am not eligible for the program, and, if enrolled, will be dismissed from the program.
- I understand that it is my responsibility to disclose honestly and fully on my Initial Contact Candidate Application whether I have ever been arrested, convicted, or plead guilty to a summary charge, misdemeanor, or felony. I understand this information will be treated in a respectful and confidential manner and kept in the strictest confidence.
- I understand that I will be required to submit to a PA State Police Criminal Background Check, and an additional FBI background check if I have resided in the state of Pennsylvania for less than 2 years from the date of application. I also understand that the cost of the search(es) is my responsibility (\$22 to ESC and approximately \$30 to the examiner for the FBI search if required).

Applicant Signature

Date

Nurse Aide Resident Abuse Prevention Training Act 14 (P.L. 169)

Prohibitive Offenses Contained in Public Law 169 and ensuing amendments

Offense Code	Prohibitive Offense Description	Type/Grading of
CC2500	Criminal Homicide	Any
CC2502A	Murder I	Any
CC2502B	Murder II	Any
CC2502C	Murder III	Any
CC2503	Voluntary Manslaughter	Any
CC2504	Involuntary Manslaughter	Any
CC2505	Causing or Aiding Suicide	Any
CC2506	Drug Delivery Resulting in Death	Any
CC2702	Aggravated Assault	Any
CC2901	Kidnapping	Any
CC2902	Unlawful Restraint	Any
CC3121	Rape	Any
CC3122.1	Statutory Sexual Assault	Any
CC3123	Involuntary Deviate Sexual Intercourse	Any
CC3124.1	Sexual Assault	Any
CC3125	Aggravated Indecent Assault	Any
CC3126	Indecent Assault	Any
CC3127	Indecent Exposure	Any
CC3301	Arson and Related Offenses	Any
CC3502	Burglary	Any
CC3701	Robbery	Any
CC3901	Theft	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3921	Theft by Unlawful Taking	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3922	Theft by Deception	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3923	Theft by Extortion	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3924	Theft by Property Lost	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3925	Receiving Stolen Property	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3926	Theft of Services	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3927	Theft by Failure to Deposit	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3928	Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3929	Retail Theft	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3929.1	Library Theft	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3929.2	Unlawful Possession of Retail or Library Theft Instruments	----- *2 Misdemeanors
CC3930	Theft of Trade Secrets	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3931	Theft of Unpublished Dramas or Musicals	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3932	Theft of Leased Properties	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3933	Unlawful Use of a Computer	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC3934	Theft From a Motor Vehicle	1 Felony or 2 Misdemeanors
CC4101	Forgery	Any
CC4114	Securing Execution of Document by Deception	Any
CC4302	Incest	Any
CC4303	Concealing Death of a Child	Any
CC4304	Endangering Welfare of a Child	Any
CC4305	Dealing in Infant Children	Any
CC4952	Intimidation of Witnesses or Victims	Any
CC4953	Retaliation Against Witness or Victim	Any
CC5902B	Promoting Prostitution	Felony
CC5903C	Obscene and Other Sexual Materials to Minors	Any
CC5903D	Obscene and Other Sexual Materials	Any
CC6301	Corruption of Minors	Any
CC6312	Sexual Abuse of Children	Any
CS13A12	Acquisition of Controlled Substance by Fraud	Felony
CS13A14	Delivery by Practitioner	Felony
CS13A30	Possession with Intent to Deliver	Felony
CS13A35 (i), (ii), (iii)	Illegal Sale of Non-Controlled Substance	Felony
CS13A36	Designer Drugs	Felony
CS13Axx*	*ANY OTHER FELONY DRUG CONVICTION APPEARING ON PA RAP SHEET	

*At the time of publication of this list, section 3929.2 could not constitute a felony

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