
Learn more about Health Care
- Join a health and science club
- Job shadow someone working in health care
- Take CPR or first aid training offered by local organizations
- Volunteer at a hospital, health clinic, or nursing care facility
- Research careers and find college and training program information on QualityInfo.org in the “Jobs & Careers” and “Training & Education” sections

Looking for more information on STEM occupations?
Contact empubs@oregon.gov to order copies of the STEM brochure series, offered for the following occupations:
- Biological Science
- Computer Information Systems
- Computer Science
- Drafting and Surveying
- Engineering
- Health Care
- Mathematics
- Physical Science
- Social Science

You can also view these brochures at QualityInfo.org on the “Publications” page in the Posters & Brochures box.

Consider a Career in Health Care
Health care workers work in administration, laboratories, or provide direct patient care, all while helping improve patient health

**HEALTH CARE**

Starting Salaries begin around $31,000-$54,000 per year for those who have a postsecondary certificate up to $200,000 for those who have a master's degree or doctorate degree and several years of experience.

With a career in **Health Care** you could...

- Analyze medical data
- Provide care to animals
- Record patient progress
- Offer nutritional counseling
- Assist animals
- Study diseases
- Analyze lab results

Do you enjoy...

- Caring for others
- Solving problems
- Analyzing information
- Working in a team
- Continuous learning
- Making good decisions
- Adapting to new situations
- Developing solutions
- Making good decisions
- Working in a team

Help people improve their lives

Health Care occupations are in demand. Employment is expected to grow, with thousands of new jobs being added over the next few years.

Interested in a **fast-paced work environment**?

A job in health care involves:

- Continuous learning
- Adapting to new situations
- Making good decisions

Useful classes to **prepare for college**...

- Anatomy and Physiology
- Introduction to Health Care
- Health Education
- Safety and First Aid
- Computer Applications
- Food and Nutrition
- Chemistry
- Biology

After high school, here's the education you'll need to succeed:

The required minimum education depends on the occupation you would like to pursue. More job opportunities will be available to those who get a postsecondary certificate, an associate’s degree, bachelor’s degree, master’s degree or doctorate degree.

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**MYTH** It's only about treating patients.

**REALITY** Conducting research on illnesses, administering tests, and analyzing lab results are part of many Health Care occupations.

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