

Piedmont Technical College Course Syllabus

COURSE INFORMATION

Course Prefix/Number: AHS 163

Title: Long Term Care

Responsible Division: Health Science Division

Last Day to Withdraw from this Course: For the last date to withdraw from this course, consult the current *Student Calendar*.

Course Description:

For course, credit hour, pre-requisite(s) and co-requisite(s) information, visit the Detailed Course Information page: www.ptc.edu/courses/AHS163.

Textbook and Other Materials:

For textbook information and additional required and/or supplemental materials, visit the [college bookstore](http://www.ptc.edu/bookstore) (www.ptc.edu/bookstore).

Proctored Examinations:

Proctored examinations for distance learning courses taken at non-PTC campuses may require a proctoring fee for each exam taken.

COURSE POLICIES

Course policies are available online through the *Academic Catalog* and *Student Handbook*. Visit the [Course Policies page](http://www.ptc.edu/syllabus/policies) (www.ptc.edu/syllabus/policies) for a detailed list of important policies and more information.

GRADE POLICY

Detailed grading policy information can be found on the [Grading Policy webpage](http://www.ptc.edu/grading-policy) (http://www.ptc.edu/grading-policy). Final grade appeal information is available in the [Academic Catalog](http://www.ptc.edu/catalog/) (http://www.ptc.edu/catalog/).

ACCOMMODATIONS

Accommodations for ADA:

Information is available on the [Student Disability Services webpage](http://www.ptc.edu/ada) (<http://www.ptc.edu/ada>).

RATIONALE

Why do I need this course?

This class emphasizes the basic skills needed to care for residents in the long term care setting. Students will apply practical use of these skills through clinical experience in a long term care facility.

PROGRAM INFORMATION

For program information including required courses, program learning outcomes, gainful employment information and advisement information, refer to the Academic Program webpage. Go to [Academics](http://www.ptc.edu/academics) (<http://www.ptc.edu/academics>), select your program, and then select Credentials Offered.

COURSE STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

Upon successful completion of this course and/or clinical, each student will be able to:

- Demonstrate competence with all skills required for certification.
- Demonstrate compliance with standards of practice for nursing assistants.
- Demonstrate knowledge of common elements required for certification by the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services.
- Demonstrate knowledge of ethical and legal responsibilities.

GENERAL EDUCATION COMPETENCIES

Piedmont Technical College General Education Competencies for All Graduates:

This course may address one or more of the following General Education Competencies (assessment will be stated when applicable):

Communicate effectively.

Assessment:

Skills Lab, critical thinking topics, projects and lecture exams.

Apply mathematical skills appropriate to an occupation.

Assessment:

Skills lab, quizzes and lecture exams.

Employ effective processes for resolving problems and making decisions.

Assessment:

Skills lab, critical thinking projects and lecture exams.

Demonstrate the basic computer skills necessary to function in a technological world.

Assessment:

Projects, lectures, exams and skills lab.

To validate proficiency in the general education competencies, students in some programs will be tested using Work Keys.