

MEDA 120 : Clinical Medical Assisting I

Credits: 2

Class Hours: 2 lecture

Prerequisites: Admission into the Medical Assisting program.

Corequisite Courses:

MEDA 120L

Description: This course introduces the basic clinical skills and procedures required to function as a medical assistant. Topics include integrated clinical procedures, and assisting with specialty exams and procedures.

Semester Offered: Fall

Course Student Learning Outcomes (CSLOs):

1. Describe infection control procedures and medical asepsis.
2. Describe communication techniques used to obtain a client history and document accurately.
3. Discuss how to complete client screening and obtain vital signs.
4. Discuss types of examinations, tests and procedures used in medical offices.