

Ophthalmic Medical Personnel

Ophthalmic Medical Personnel Suggested Course Sequences

The following is the suggested plan for when to take each course to complete the Associate in Applied Science degree, based on the program requirements of the 2024-2025 catalog. This is only a recommendation — you may take courses in another order upon consultation with your advisor. This plan is based on you starting with college-level math and English courses, starting your program in the fall, and attending full-time. You can also follow this sequence if you attend part-time. Speak with your academic advisor about the plan and any questions. This program might also offer diplomas or certificates; visit the catalog or contact the program for details. Visit the Academic Advising page for instructions on locating your assigned advisor: <https://www.cpcc.edu/academics/academic-advising>

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Ophthalmic Medical Personnel Diploma (D45210)

Term I		Credits
OPH 150	Introduction to Ophthalmic Medical Assisting	2.0
OPH 151	Ocular Anatomy & Physiology	2.0
ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry	3.0
OPH 113	Introduction to Diseases of the Eye	2.0
OPH 115	Ophthalmic Clinical Procedures I	3.0
OPH 119	Ophthalmic Optics & Basic Refractometry	2.0
MED 121	Medical Terminology I	3.0
ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1.0
Credits		18
Term II		Credits
PSY 150	General Psychology	3.0
OPH 114	Basic Ophthalmic Pharmacology	2.0
COM 231	Public Speaking	3.0
OPH 116	Ophthalmic Medical Assistant Practicum I	5.0
OPH 117	Ophthalmic Clinical Procedures II	3.0
OPH 118	Ophthalmic Patient Care	2.0
Credits		18
Term III		Credits
OPH 120	Ophthalmic Medical Assistant Practicum II	5.0
Credits		5
Total Credits		41

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Term I		Credits
OPH 150	Introduction to Ophthalmic Medical Assisting	2.0
OPH 151	Ocular Anatomy & Physiology	2.0
ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry	3.0
OPH 113	Introduction to Diseases of the Eye	2.0
OPH 115	Ophthalmic Clinical Procedures I	3.0
OPH 119	Ophthalmic Optics & Basic Refractometry	2.0
MED 121	Medical Terminology I	3.0
ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1.0
Credits		18

Term II		Credits
PSY 150	General Psychology	3.0
OPH 114	Basic Ophthalmic Pharmacology	2.0
COM 110 or COM 231	Introduction to Communication or Public Speaking	3.0
OPH 116	Ophthalmic Medical Assistant Practicum I	5.0
OPH 117	Ophthalmic Clinical Procedures II	3.0
OPH 118	Ophthalmic Patient Care	2.0
Credits		18
Term III		Credits
OPH 120	Ophthalmic Medical Assistant Practicum II	5.0
Credits		5
Term IV		Credits
OPH 217	Ophthalmic Clinical Procedures III	2.0
OPH 218	Advanced Ophthalmic Patient Care	2.0
OPH 219	Ophthalmic Optics and Refractometry II	2.0
BIO 163	Basic Anatomy & Physiology	5.0
MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy	3.0
Credits		14
Term V		Credits
OPH 220	Ophthalmic Medical Assistant Practicum III	7.0
ENG 112	Writing and Research in the Disciplines	3.0
Humanities/Fine Arts		3.0
Credits		13
Total Credits		68