

399 Certified Nurse Assistant / Certified Home Health Aide (7)

Modularized Courses Listed Below.

Introduction to the health care field, working with residents/patients in the long term care facility, the acute care setting, and the home care setting. Emphasis is given to safety principles, infection control, methods for providing physical care, and emotional and social support.

399A Certified Nurse Assistant (5)

Recommended: English 28.

399B Certified Home Health Aide (2)

Prerequisite: Successful completion of 399A, or State of California Certification as a Certified Nurse Assistant.

OCEANOGRAPHY

(Also see Earth Science, Environmental Science, and Geography)

1 Introduction to Oceanography (3) UC:CSU

The student is introduced to the general field of oceanography, including a study of the features of the sea floor, the chemical and physical properties of sea water, currents, tides, waves and their effects on marine organisms. Special reference is made to the Southern California environment and the problems of people and the sea.

OFFICE ADMINISTRATION

(See Computer Applications and Office Technologies)

PARALEGAL STUDIES

3 Civil Rights and the Law (3) CSU

(Same as Law 3)

This course presents a comparative and analytical study of the law and related problems concerning the Bill of Rights and the U.S. Constitution. Life and the death penalty, freedoms of speech and press, freedom of religion, racial and sexual equality, and privacy are some of the topics under consideration, with emphasis on recent court decisions and current events.

4 Legal Internship (3) (RPT 1)

(Same as Law 4)

Prerequisite: Paralegal 10 and English 101.

Directed field work in selected private law firms or public institutions of legal assisting are assigned to individual students. An effort is made to rotate office assignments.

10 Introduction to Law and Legal Profession (3) CSU

(Same as Law 10)

An introductory course in formalizing the career of the legal assistant, an introduction to law, social forces and the law, comparison of the role of the legal assistant and the lawyer, and an introduction to legal terminology and bibliography, including research problems.

11 Introduction to Civil Litigation (3) CSU

(Same as Law 11)

Prerequisite: Paralegal 10 and English 101.

This course is a continuation of Paralegal 10 with a study of the composition, location and jurisdiction of all courts, a study of document production and administration within the judicial structure, a detailed examination of civil and criminal litigation, and an introduction to legal drafting and writing.

12 Tort Law (3)

(Same as Law 12)

Prerequisite: Paralegal 10 and English 101.

A study of the fundamental principles of the law of torts, including insurance and an examination of the techniques of investigation involved in the lawyer's handling of tort and insurance claims.

13 Wills, Trusts, and Probate Administration (3)

(Same as Law 13)

Prerequisite: Paralegal 10 and English 101.

A study of the fundamental principles of the law of wills and trusts, including simple will and trust forms; an examination of the organization and jurisdiction of a California Probate Court; and the administration of estates in California Probate Courts.

14 Law Office Management and Procedures (3)

(Same as Law 14)

Prerequisite: Paralegal 10 and English 101.

A study of the basic objectives of the management of a law office; a study of hardware and software used in a law office; an examination of indexing and filing principles; law office manuals; a study of basic accounting principles; practice in and study of law office correspondence.

15 Introduction to Property, Bankruptcy, and Family Law (3)

(Same as Law 15)

Prerequisite: Paralegal 10 and English 101.

A study of the law of personal property and real property, including community property, joint tenancy, leases, deeds, contracts, escrows, deeds of trust, study of the system of recording and search of public documents, a study of the bankruptcy laws and forms and a study of family law, with emphasis on the dissolution of marriage.

16 Civil and Criminal Evidence (3)

(Same as Law 16)

Prerequisite: Paralegal 10 and English 101.

This is a study of the rules of civil and criminal evidence and the admissibility of such evidence in court; deposition comprehension and use in court; interrogatory summarizing and use in court.

17 Legal Writing (3)

(Same as Law 17)

Prerequisite: Paralegal 10 and English 101.

This course covers advanced legal drafting and writing, including special research and projects.