

Task Title: Job Profile – Nurse Aides, Orderlies and Patient Service Associates

# OALCF Cover Sheet – Practitioner Copy

**Learner Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Date Started:** **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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| **Goal Path:** | Employment | Apprenticeship |
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| Secondary School | Post Secondary | Independence |

**Successful Completion:**  Yes No 

**Task Description:** Use the Ontario Job Profiles website to find information about Nurse Aides, Orderlies and Patient Service Associates.

**Main Competency/Task Group/Level Indicator**

* Find and Use Information/Read continuous text/A1.2
* Use Digital Technology/D.2

**Materials Required:**

* Pen/pencil and paper
* Computer or digital device

# Notes for Instructors/Practitioners

To explore a different job of interest, your learner can search for a job profile for one of the top 500 jobs in Ontario. The questions below can be answered based on any job profile on this site:

<https://www.services.labour.gov.on.ca/labourmarket-ui/search>

This task is also included in the task bundle “Employment: Job Exploration” in which it has been adapted for each of the top 10 job postings in Ontario in 2024.

# Learner Information

# Learning more about a specific job that interests you can help you in your job search.

Go to the Job Profile webpage for Nurse Aides, Orderlies and Patient Service Associates: <https://www.services.labour.gov.on.ca/labourmarket-ui/jobProfile?nocCode=33102>

# Work Sheet

**Task 1: List three different names for nurse aides, orderlies and patient service associates.**

Answer:

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**Task 2: List three places where nurse aides, orderlies and patient service associates may be employed.**

Answer:

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**Task 3: What is the educational requirement for this job?**

Answer:

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**Task 4: List three specialized skills required for this job.**

Answer:

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# Answers

Note: Information may change as this website is updated. Answers below are current as of January 2025.

**Task 1: List three different names for nurse aides, orderlies and patient service associates.**

Answer: Any three of

* anesthetic attendant - hospital
* continuing care assistant
* emergency medical care assistant
* emergency medical care attendant (non-paramedical)
* emergency medical responder (non-paramedical)

**Task 2: List three places where nurse aides, orderlies and patient service associates may be employed.**

Answer: They are employed in hospitals, nursing homes, assisted care facilities for the elderly and other health care establishments. Emergency medical care attendants are employed by private ambulance services, urgent care centers or other health facilities.

**Task 3: What is the educational requirement for this job?**

Answer: Secondary school completion and a college program in nursing orderly or health care aide is typically required. Completion of specialized courses such as CPR and First Aid may be required.

**Task 4: List three specialized skills required for this job.**

Answer: Any three of: Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR), Mental Health, Patient Care, Patient Transportation and Transfer, Quality Assurance and Control, Administrative Support, Medication Administration, Spreadsheets, Scheduling, Conflict Management.

# Performance Descriptors

| Levels | Performance Descriptors | Needs Work | Completes task with support from practitioner | Completes task independently |
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| A1.2 | scans text to locate information |  |  |  |
|  | locates multiple pieces of information in simple texts |  |  |  |
|  | follows the main events of descriptive, narrative and informational texts |  |  |  |
|  | obtains information from detailed reading |  |  |  |
|  | begins to identify sources and evaluate information |  |  |  |
| D.2 | selects and follows appropriate steps to complete tasks |  |  |  |
|  | locates and recognizes functions and commands |  |  |  |
|  | makes low-level inferences to interpret icons and text |  |  |  |
|  | begins to identify sources and evaluate information |  |  |  |

This task: Was successfully completed Needs to be tried again 

Learner Comments:

Instructor (print): Learner (print):

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