Consider a career in a fascinating and rewarding health-related field. Many of the jobs below require additional specialized training and/or graduate study. Speak with a career counselor to learn more about how you can start your path in one of the fastest growing industries in the nation.

- Athletic Trainer
- Blood Bank Technology Specialist
- Cardiovascular Technology Specialist
- Chiropractor
- Clinical Laboratory Scientist
- Counseling Professional
- Dance Therapist
- Dental Related Occupations
- Dietician
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Environmental Health Specialist
- Forensic Scientist
- Funeral Director
- Hazardous Waste Specialist
- Health Education/Training Specialist
- Health Management/Marketing
- Health Office Manager
- Health Volunteer Services Director
- Kinesiotherapist
- Medical Assistant
- Medical Illustrator
- Medical Lab Technologist
- Medical Records Administrator
- Massage Therapist
- Midwife
- Music Therapist
- Nurse Practitioner
- Occupational Therapist
- Optometrist
- Pharmacist
- Pharmacy Technician
- Physical Therapist
- Physician Assistant
- Public Health Specialist
- Radiologist/Radiographer/Sonographer
- Recreation Therapist
- Registered Nurse
- Rehabilitation Counselor
- Respiratory Therapist
- Speech Pathologist
- Surgical Assistant/Surgical Technologist
- Ultrasound Technologist

Nursing and Health Sciences

**Nursing:** Cal State East Bay prepares students to be nurse generalists — caregivers able to apply nursing knowledge and provide culturally sensitive care to clients from a range of socioeconomic backgrounds.

**Health Sciences:** Students in the health sciences major at Cal State East Bay focus on coursework in the social, biological, and behavioral sciences. Electives help students individually focus their studies in a discipline-specific health field or explore broader-based interests.
Healthcare - A Rapidly Growing Job Market

Healthcare is the second largest industry in the United States, employing more than eight million workers, with hundreds of health-related professions to choose from in hospitals, non-profit organizations, and state and federal agencies. California State University, East Bay’s nursing and health sciences degree programs prepare students for this rapidly growing job market.

Cal State East Bay’s graduates work in some of the largest healthcare systems in the Bay Area, including:

- California Department of Public Health
- Lucile Packard Children’s Hospital
- Alta Bates Medical Center
- John Muir Health
- Kaiser Permanente
- San Ramon Regional Medical Center
- St. Rose Hospital
- UCSF Medical Center
- Washington Hospital

Two Majors, Two Locations

Cal State East Bay offers students the flexibility of two health-related Bachelor’s degrees, B.S. Nursing and B.S. Health Sciences, taught by experienced healthcare faculty in state-of-the-art facilities at both the Hayward and Concord campuses. Lower-division pre-requisites and general education requirements are available on each campus, helping students progress toward their degree, and assisting pre-nursing students to complete the courses required to apply to the competitive nursing major.

- Hayward offers students a wide variety of classes to choose from, allowing for a flexible schedule.
- Concord provides nursing and health science majors a set schedule with guaranteed courses for all lower-division requirements, with flexible scheduling for upper division major coursework. Both campuses feature new nursing labs that simulate real-life patient emergencies and routine nursing practices, providing real-time feedback.

Admission to Cal State East Bay

To apply for admission to Cal State East Bay:

1. Submit an application for admission online through CSU Mentor at www.csumentor.edu by the required deadline for your desired term of entry, and pay the nonrefundable application fee.
2. Request official SAT or ACT test scores and transcripts from all high schools or colleges attended to be sent to Cal State East Bay.

Transfer students with 60 or more semester units do not need to submit test scores or high school transcripts. An admission decision will be mailed to you within 8-12 weeks after all documents are received. For more information, visit www.csueastbay.edu/admission, or see a pre-admission advisor in Hayward 510.885.2556 or Concord 925.602.6700

Additional Requirements for Nursing Majors

Students who are interested in applying to the Nursing Department to enter the clinical program must be admitted to (or currently enrolled at) Cal State East Bay and complete a secondary nursing application process. Admission to the nursing program is competitive. For the most up-to-date and detailed information on admission requirements, including deadlines, visit www.sci.csueastbay.edu/nursing.

Students are admitted to the nursing program only in the fall quarter. If you are interested in becoming a nursing student, you are strongly encouraged to attend a nursing information session on either the Hayward or Concord campus. Dates and times are available at www.sci.csueastbay.edu/nursing/advising.html.

How to Apply to Nursing

In sophomore year of college (or later):

1. Submit the Nursing Supplemental Application form available online at http://www.sci.csueastbay.edu/nursing between Oct. 1 and Nov. 30 for admission the following fall.
2. Upon request, submit transcripts from all colleges and universities attended. See website for details.

3. Take the Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) and submit scores by the posted deadline. If you do not take your test at Cal State East Bay, please request that your scores be submitted to the nursing department. For more information on the TEAS visit www.sci.csueastbay.edu/nursing.

Nursing Admission Criteria

Minimum eligibility for clinical nursing program applicants consists of the following (but does not necessarily guarantee admission):

1. Admission or continued good standing enrollment at Cal State East Bay.
2. Completion of all required pre-requisite courses by the end of the Fall term with a 3.0 GPA or above in the most recent 90 quarter/60 semester units and a 3.0 GPA or above in all prerequisite courses below including the five sciences courses. Prerequisite courses include:
   - BIOL 2010 Human Physiology and Anatomy I with lab*
   - BIOL 2020 Human Physiology and Anatomy II with lab*
   - BIOL 2025 Introduction to Microbiology with lab
   - CHEM 1601 Basic Chemistry for Health Sciences (Inorganic) with lab
   - CHEM 1602 Basic Chemistry for Health Sciences (Organic/Biochemistry) with lab
   - COMM 1000 Public Speaking or COMM 1004 Interpersonal Communication
   - ENGL 1001 Expository Writing I
   - STAT 1000 Introduction to Statistics
   - Critical Thinking (check with your advisor for an appropriate course)

*PLEASE NOTE: If you complete a combined “Anatomy & Physiology I” course, you must take PART II from the same campus. If you take a single-topic “Anatomy” course at any campus, you may take a single-topic “Physiology” course from any other campus.

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