



# Phoebe Health Science Pathway

for High School Students



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## Get a Head Start on a Healthcare Career

The Phoebe Health Science Pathway is a partnership between Albany Technical College, Albany State University, The Commodore Conyers College and Career Academy (4C), Department of Education, Southern Regional Education Board, and Phoebe that is designed to create educational opportunities for high school students that are interested in a healthcare career.

The Phoebe Healthcare Science Pathway utilizes standards from the Career, Technical and Agricultural Education (CTAE) clusters to create an inclusive pathway that prepares students for the healthcare industry. Students in this pathway learn hands-on skills, therapeutic communication, and critical thinking skills to prepare them for the real world.

### Graduating from the Phoebe Health Science Pathway, students will have:

- A high school diploma
- Nurse Aide Technical Certificate of Credit
- Certificate of Nursing Assistant (CNA)
- Completed 30 hours of academic dual enrollment
- Up to a year of experience in a paid internship.

With this foundation, students can start a career in healthcare immediately after graduation or have a wonderful jumpstart on their healthcare education.

### Students in the Phoebe Health Science Pathway will:

- Receive specific healthcare related classes that will put them on a path to a healthcare career.
- Participate in professional and soft skill courses while attending the 4C Academy.
- Begin their Nurse Aide Technical Certificate of Credit (TCC) offered by Albany Technical College during their Senior year of high school. Upon completion of classes, students will sit for the Certified Nurse Aide exam.

- Have the opportunity to work side-by-side with nurse educators at the Phoebe Simulation and Innovation Center throughout the Health Science Pathway.
- Complete all education requirements will be eligible for a paid internship at Phoebe during their Senior year of high school.
- Have a 4C Academy Counselor to provide advisement on coursework needed to continue towards an Associate of Science in Nursing (ASN) at Albany Technical College or Albany State University
- Be provided information on potential scholarship opportunities to continue secondary education, as well as career opportunities at Phoebe.

### Eligibility

- Positive and committed attitude
- Good standing with current high school or recommended by middle school counselor
- Sign a contract with 4C Academy and required to comply

### About 4C Academy Education Philosophy

- Dual enrollment – through partnerships with Albany State University and Albany Technical College, dual enrollment students will earn high school and college credits while in a supportive environment.
- Pathways – classes offer hands-on, technical skills business and industry requirements of tomorrow's workforce.
- Professional Skills – careers require more than just the technical skills needed for the jobs of today and tomorrow. At 4C Academy, students also receive soft skills that include team work, critical thinking, work ethic and communication.
- Work-Based Learning