

EGCC Discounted Programs



Medical Coding Certificate

The Medical Coding Specialist Certificate of Completion, along with relevant work experience, prepares students to take the certification examination offered by the American Health Information Management Association to become a Certified Coding Associate (CCA). After further experience they may apply to become a Certified Coding Specialist (CCS). This program mirrors the first two semesters of the Health Information Management degree. Students who complete this certificate may continue on with the Health Information Management degree.

Program Cost	Free for Free College-eligible students
Tuition and fees:	Less than \$1,000 for the entire program.
Books/Content:	Free College will not cover required background checks
Additional costs:	or licensing fees.



Medical Scribe Certificate

A medical scribe is trained to be in the room with the doctor and patients and to create real time medical records during the visit. Scribes work in various settings such as emergency departments, small to medium doctors' offices, and other facilities. They possess the appropriate knowledge of medical terminology, anatomy, billing/coding/reimbursement, electronic health records, quality improvement principles, legal privacy/security of protected health information in order to provide entry-level assistance to physicians. Students who complete this certificate may continue on with the Medical Coding certificate and/or Health Information Management degree programs.

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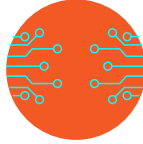


Health Information Management

Health Information Management is the processing of patients' electronic health records. This program blends knowledge and skills from health information and business management, with computer applications and medicine to provide the necessary foundation for success. Upon successful completion, students will be prepared for a variety of job opportunities in the medical field and be eligible to sit for the RHIT certification. The first two semesters of the HIM degree are the same as the medical coding certificate.

Program Cost	Free for Free College-eligible students.
Tuition and fees:	Approximately \$1,000 for the entire program.
Books/Content:	Free College will not cover required background
Additional costs:	checks or licensing fees.

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Information Technology Degree (ATS)

This IT degree provides students with a comprehensive understanding of various areas of IT, including computer hardware, operating systems, networking, and security. Students will gain the skills needed to set up and manage high performance computer networks using the latest networking tools including TCP/IP, security firewalls, internet services and more. Students will also receive training in a variety of current technologies including Linux, Cisco and Microsoft. Hands-on experience is provided through guided computer simulations. Students will also gain the skills defined by Google for IT help desk qualifications, which include troubleshooting, customer service, operating systems, system administration, automation, and security.

Program Cost	Free for Free College-eligible students
Tuition and fees:	Approximately \$700 for the entire program; course fees charged on a per-course basis.
Books/Content:	Students also have the option of enrolling in the Information Systems focus of the Business Management degree, which can be entirely covered by the Free College scholarship.
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Fire Science (Associate of Applied Science)

EGCC's online Fire Science program is for those seeking enhanced skills and a broad spectrum of knowledge in the field of fire science. Developed in partnership with the Ohio Association of Professional Firefighters, EGCC's program draws on their extensive experience and leadership in fire services. Based on the FESHE Model Curriculum published by the National Fire Academy, EGCC's online Fire Science program teaches students the latest industry principles, theory, and best practices.

Program Cost	Free for Free College-eligible students.
Tuition and fees:	Approximately \$700 for the entire program; course fees charged on a per-course basis.
Books/Content:	Free College will cover the course content fees for eligible union students belonging to an Ohio union.
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