

Please see below for details and descriptions and read the requirements carefully. If you have any questions, contact healthsciences@clackamas.edu.

Health Science Program(s) at Clackamas Community College requiring a clinical experience (e.g., practicum, externship, internship, etc.) must comply with Oregon Health Authority rules and requirements: [Nursing](#); [Nursing Assistant](#); [Medical Assistant](#); [Dental Assistant](#); [Emergency Medical Technology](#); [Phlebotomy Program](#)

Oregon Health Authority ([OAR 409-030-0100 to 409-030-025](#))

In order to obtain a clinical practicum or clinical experience, students must meet the following standards and requirements set forth by the State. If you have been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony, please contact the healthsciences@clackamas.edu for additional information. Deadlines and due dates for completing OHA requirements may vary by program.

Criminal Background Check

- Criminal background check must be completed prior to clinical placement and no more than three months before entering the program (note: students must have a social security to complete this requirement)

Drug Screen

- Drug Screen must be completed prior to clinical placement and no more than three months before entering the program

TB Blood Test or Chest X-Ray There must be documentation of **one** of the following:

- Quantiferon Gold blood test **or**
- T-Spot blood test **or**
- If the results are positive a clear Chest X-Ray (with lab report) is required

Tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis (Tdap) There must be documentation the following:

- Tdap/Td booster within the past 10 years

Varicella (Chicken Pox) There must be documentation of **one** of the following:

- 2 vaccinations **or**
- Positive antibody titer (lab report required) **or**
- Medically documented history of disease

Measles, Mumps & Rubella (MMR) There must be documentation of **one** of the following:

- 2 vaccinations **or**
- Positive antibody titers for all 3 components (lab reports required)

Hepatitis B There must be documentation of **one** of the following:

- 3 vaccinations **or**
- Positive antibody titer (lab report required)

COVID-19 (Recommended by OHA and required by some employers)

- Full series and/or booster

Flu Vaccine (Recommended by OHA and required by some employers)

- Seasonal flu vaccine

BLS/CPR Certification (Must be valid through the end date of the course)

- Certification must be through the American Heart Association 

