



# Tualatin High School

## HEALTH SCIENCE

### For students interested in:

- Caring for patients
- Exploring healthcare careers
- Medicine
- Diagnostic services
- Mental health
- Exercise Science

### Sequence of Courses

#### Introductory

- Health Occupations Wheel (9<sup>th</sup> grade, 0.25 credit)
- Health Body Systems (10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade, 1.0 credit)

#### Intermediate

- MedEx (11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade, 0.5 credit)
- Medical Terminology (11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade, 0.5 credit)

#### Advanced

- Medical Careers Exploration 2 (12<sup>th</sup> grade, 1.0 credit)

### Students will learn:

- Various components of human anatomy & physiology
- Proper patient care
- To communicate health information accurately and professionally
- How to interact with patients
- Safety, privacy, legal, and ethical practices

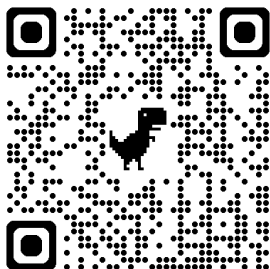
### Career Options

Medical Assistants	\$53,418
Exercise Trainers and Group Fitness Instructors	\$60,825
Dental Assistants	\$62,514
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	\$76,028
Clinical Laboratory Technologists and Technicians	\$81,868
Dental Hygienists	\$112,115
Registered Nurses	\$123,011
Nurse Practitioners	\$154,850
Pharmacists	\$159,271

2024 median annual salary for tri-county area high wage and high demand  
-Oregon Employment Division

### Industry Recognized Credentials

- CCMA – Medical Assisting
- Pharmacy Tech
- American Heart Association CPR - BLS



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