

Nashville State Community College

Technical Certificate in Medical Coding

This sequence can be followed by students who begin college-level work in the fall semester. Prerequisites may apply to specific courses; it is the student's responsibility to determine if prerequisites have been met. Additional semesters will be required if prerequisite courses, including Learning Support courses, are not completed. **Prior to registering each semester, the student is expected to consult with his/her Academic Advisor.**

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| First Year – Fall/1 st Semester | | | | | |
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| Course Number and Title | Credit | Term | Grade | Prerequisites | Notes |
| First 7-Week Session | | | | | |
| NSCC 1010 First-Year Experience | 1 | | | First-time college students only | |
| HCMT 2305 Healthcare Delivery Systems | 3 | | | Level 2 placement in English and Reading | |
| Second 7-Week Session | | | | | |
| HCMT 2315 Medical Legal Issues | 3 | | | Level 2 placement in English and Reading | |
| 15-Week Semester | | | | | |
| SURG 1304 Basic Anatomy/Physiology | 3 | | | Level 2 placement in English, Math, and Reading | ** |
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| TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | 9/10 | | | | |

| First Year – Spring/2 nd Semester | | | | | |
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| Course No. and Title | Credit | Term | Grade | Prerequisites | Notes |
| 15-Week Semester | | | | | |
| HCMT 2400 Pathophysiology | 3 | | | SURG 1304 with a grade of "C" or higher | |
| HCMT 2350 Insurance and Reimbursement | 3 | | | HCMT 2305 and HCMT 2315 | |
| HCMT 2330 Pharmacology | 3 | | | Co-Requisite SURG 1304 | |
| INFS 1010 Computer Applications | 3 | | | Level 2 placement in English, Math, and Reading | ** |
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| TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | 12 | | | | |

| Second Year – Fall/3 rd Semester | | | | | |
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| Course No. and Title | Credit | Term | Grade | Prerequisites | Notes |
| First 7-Week Session | | | | | |
| HCMT 2361 Basic Medical Coding, Part I | 3 | | | SURG 1304 and HCMT 2400 | |
| Second 7-Week Session | | | | | |
| HCMT 2370 Electronic Healthcare Apps | 3 | | | INFS 1010, HCMT 2305, and HCMT 2315 | |
| HCMT 2363 Basic Medical Coding Part II | 3 | | | HCMT 2361 with a grade of "C" or higher | |
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| TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | 9 | | | | |

| Second Year – Spring/4 th Semester | | | | | |
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| Course No. and Title | Credit | Term | Grade | Prerequisites | Notes |
| First 7-Week Session | | | | | |
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| Second 7-Week Session | | | | | |
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| 15-Week Semester | | | | | |
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| TOTAL CREDIT HOURS | | | | | |
| TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE | 30/31 | | | | |

PROGRAM NOTES: ** May be taken in Summer Session

Student is required to meet with his/her Academic Advisor prior to registration.

A grade of "C" or higher in all HCMT courses must be earned prior to graduation.

All courses can be applied to the AAS degree, Healthcare Management, Medical Coding Concentration once the admissions requirements for the college have been met.

To receive your certificate, you must complete and file an Intent to Graduate form: <https://www.nsc.edu/current-students/records-office/records-forms-and-instructions> You must take the HCMT Exit Exam before graduating: Contact your Academic Advisor to schedule the HCMT Exit Exam.