



## Geriatric Care Assistant Certificate (GC11) 9 Credit Hours

**Program Description:**

The Geriatric Care Assistant Program is designed to equip students with the skills and knowledge required to provide compassionate and competent care to elderly patients in various healthcare settings. This program focuses on the unique needs of the aging population and prepares students for a rewarding career in geriatric care.

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<https://sctech.smartcatalogiq.com/en/current/catalog/allied-health-programs/gc11-geriatric-care-assistant-technical-certificate-of-credit/>

### Pre-Certificate Requirements

#### Program Specific

- Offered at Griffin, Flint River, Henry, Fayette and GRCCA sites
- Students must have completed one of the NAST courses (NAST 1100, NAST 2100 or NAST 2105 with a grade C or better and/or hold an active GA-CNA certification in good standing.

*S = Semester; CR = Credit Hours; FA = Fall; SP = Spring; SU = Summer; ALL=any semester*

✓	Grade	Course Name	S	CR	Notes & Milestones
		ALHS 1040 Introduction to Healthcare -OR- ALHS 1060 Diet and Nutrition for Allied Health Sciences	ALL ALL	3 2	
		ALHS 1090 Medical Terminology for Allied Health Sciences	ALL	2	
		GERT 1000 Understanding the Gerontological Client	ALL	2	
		GERT 1020 Behavioral Aspects of Aging	ALL	2	
		GERT 1030 Gerontological Nutrition	ALL	1	
				<b>9</b>	<b>Program Semester Hours</b>

Meet with your Academic Advisor to ensure you are viewing the latest and most accurate information.

**Employment Opportunities:** <https://www.sctech.edu/career-services/>

**Financial Aid by Program:** <https://www.sctech.edu/sctc-programs-by-financial-aid-fund-type/>

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