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#### **Continuing Care Assistant**

Continuing Care Assistant provides knowledge and skill development in helping people help themselves in their homes and in special-care facilities.

### What do Continuing Care Assistants do on the job?

- · Promote independence in a safe environment
- Provide personal care
- Assist with individual psychosocial needs
- · Work with individuals with different levels of physical and cognitive impairment
- Work under the supervision of registered nurses, registered psychiatric nurses or licensed practical nurses

# Where do Continuing Care Assistants work?

- Hospitals
- Home Care
- Personal Care Homes
- Health Authorities
- Integrated facilities



#### What characteristics do you need?

- Physically active
- Communication skills
- Interest in helping people

Estimated Average Hourly Wage from Service Canada - Saskatchewan - \$16.15/hour

#### **Post-Secondary Institutes**

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- SIAST Continuing Care Assistant
- o Certificate Program
- o Prince Albert, Regina, Saskatoon, Distance Learning
- o Require: Grade 12 o Length: 30 weeks
- o Require Standard First Aid and CPR HeartSaver 'C'

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