

Restorative Nurse Aide (RNA) Course Overview



A collaboration between Adaptive Equipment and Caregiving Corner & FACETS Healthcare Training (FHT)

An RNA is a certified nursing assistant (CNA) with specialized training in rehabilitation skills who assists the restorative team with supervised and delegated restorative programs.

Unlike CNA, states or federal agencies do <u>NOT</u> regulate the education and certification of the RNA designation! RNA is considered an enhanced or specialized CNA role rather than a specific certification or license.

Prerequisite: current CNA, LNA, or STNA or worked as a CNA within the past three years. Recommended for **any** CNA who wishes to enhance their skill set.

Two-part course:

1. Theory: 100% online, self-study, self-paced; ~30 hours of coursework

- 15 Lesson plans, each followed by a 10-question quiz, must pass each quiz with an 88% minimum grade (unlimited quiz attempts)
- Pass a 75-question final exam with an 88% minimum grade (unlimited quiz attempts)
- Cannot advance or skip lesson plans, quizzes, or final exam because they build upon each other

2. Skills Check-off:

- Must complete the theory (part 1) before proceeding to the skills check-off
- Skills check-off by a Physical Therapist (PT), Occupational Therapist (OT), Physical Therapy Assistant (PTA), or Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant (COTA)
- Approximately 1 hour of skills per student; check-off may be completed in student groups

Upon completion of both parts, the student receives an "Evidence of Course Completion" document, and the CNA may use the *RNA* designation.

Three Ways to Enroll in the Course

1. RNA Training Provider	2. Self-Study CNA with Therapy	3. Self-Study CNA without Therapy
Is an organization that provides the RNA course directly to a student	The CNA purchases the course directly from FHT and the CNA finds their own therapy personnel for check-off of skills	The CNA purchases the course directly from FHT & we locate a therapist for skills check-off.
Examples: a school, a training program, SNF, rehabilitation center, hospital, a healthcare provider	Cost: \$175, student purchases the access code directly from FHT	Cost: \$175 course + \$145 hire therapist = \$320 total pd directly to FHT
The organization purchases the course from FHT and delivers it to a student	Student finds their own therapy personnel and negotiates pricing for skills check-off.	
Cost: An active account + \$175 to purchase a student access code from FHT. Current subscribers of Curriculum Integration (CI) or Curriculum Integration Plus (CI+) need not repurchase.		
The training provider generates and purchases student access codes directly from FHT at \$175 per code		

Course Considerations:

- The student uses the purchased *access code* to login to FHT and completes the course.
- A student access code is valid for 3-months from the date of code redemption. Failure to complete the course within the 3-month subscription period will result in the expiration of the subscription and loss of any completed coursework.
- Repurchase of a student access code is \$175.
- A training program who fails to provide a student with access to rehab personnel for skills check-off
 of the 10 skills for at least one session during a student's 3-month subscription will result in the
 cancellation of the training provider's Administrator Account and no refund will be issued by FHT.
- Skills check-off may occur at a school, a rehab facility, SNF, hospital, etc. Not recommended in a home setting, unless all the needed equipment is available.
- A training provider monitors and guides the student's course progress.
- Course Continuing Education Units (CEUs)
 - RNA course earns 15 CEUs
 - Please check with your state or CNA regulatory body to verify if CEUs are accepted for completing the RNA course
 - **Disclosure:** FACETS Healthcare Training nor Adaptive Equipment and Caregiving Corner are authorized CEU providers in any state!
- To get started, for more info, or to watch numerous informational videos go to https://facetshealthcare.com/news
- Note: Please check with your state's regulating agency to check any specific requirements for completing or offering the RNA course.