

LNA Competency Exam

The LNA Competency Exam is offered at Lakes Region Community College on the fourth Monday each month at 3:30 p.m. If your New Hampshire LNA license is inactive, expired or you did not meet the requirements to renew your license, you will need to take the LNA Competency Exam to become reinstated. The link to the Board of Nursing information about renewing your license is:

<https://www.oplc.nh.gov/professional-licensing>

Before you set up your LNA Competency Exam at the college, you must first obtain an Application for Reinstatement from the Board of Nursing. Once this is done, bring the letter from the Board of Nursing with you and register with the college for your test. The cost of the testing is \$190.00, which is due upon registration (you cannot take the test until the fee is paid). You are asked to bring a person over age 18 to act as your "patient" for the skill component of your test. **The deadline to register for the test is the Friday prior to the test date.**

Lakes Region Community College uses the EXCEL LNA test. Your test will consist of 60 multiple choice questions and a clinical skills component. Please read the Nurse Aide Competency Test Guide carefully. It will give you a general breakdown of the written knowledge test as well as the clinical skills you may be asked to demonstrate. Carefully follow the directions in the booklet for "On the Day of the Test." This includes wearing your uniform and bringing 2 forms of identification, including a photo ID. The link for the Nurse Aide Test Guide is: <http://www.exceltestingnh.com/data/Nurse-Aide-Competency-Test-Guide.pdf>

A Nurse's Aide Skills 101 DVD by the EXCEL Testing Company is on reserve at the college library if you would like to watch it for the skills review portion of the exam.

You will receive verbal test results on the day you take your test and your official results will be mailed or emailed to you by the EXCEL testing company within a few days.

Below are the LNA Competency test dates for 2025-2026 (usually the 4th Monday of the month at 3:30 p.m.) Please use CRN (Course Registration Number): 50013

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July 28, 2025

August 25, 2025

September 22, 2025

October 27, 2025

November 24, 2025

December 15, 2025 (3rd Monday)

January 26, 2026

February 23, 2026

March 23, 2026

April 27, 2026

May 18, 2026 (3rd Monday)

June 22, 2026

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