

Ross I Resident Advocate Program

Ross I and II are self sufficiency Programs that include a five-step process: Life Skills, job training, career advancement-long term, search/placement, post employment follow-up, self sufficiency and home ownership. Both Programs assist with GED training and preparation, adult basic education, money management, job and opportunity fairs as well as computer training. The Ross I program offers C.N.A. training and pre-apprenticeship training.

Certified Nursing Assistant (C.N.A.)

This program prepares students to move quickly into the health care workforce. Graduates work as caregivers in all types of health care facilities and agencies. As a health team member, nursing assistants work under the supervision of nurses and provide routine daily care and basic nursing duties related to patient care. Classroom, skill labs, and clinical experiences will prepare students to take the state test required for certification as a CNA. **Rock Valley College Course.**

Pre-Apprenticeship

Designed exclusively to prepare residents to succeed in passing the apprenticeship exam. Through use of our math workshop, the resident is given the tools needed to achieve a more thorough understanding of the necessary mathematical applications. We help the resident become more familiar with the various trades. In addition, Ross I has formed partnerships with other programs that further prepare you for apprenticeships.

Also offered:

Financial Assistance in addition to paid training, Ross I also gives its active enrollees financial assistance to help with the costs that are associated with training (I.e. books, uniforms, transportation).

Adult Academy: Supplemental instruction is provided to upgrade math and reading skills in order to prepare for college placement and/or improve your performance on the job.

Job Club: Weekly workshop which focuses on supporting your job search. Get help completing applications online, writing resumes, and developing interview skills.

Want to get involved?

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