

Health Science, Associate in Science Career /Internship Information

Career Options and Potential Earnings, based on an Associate degree:

Patient Advocate

- Entry Level: \$31,000 - \$36,000
- Average for New Jersey (all experience levels): \$42,060 (*Zippia.com*)

Healthcare Case Manager (non-RN)*

- Entry Level: \$33,000 - \$38,000
- Average for New Jersey (all experience levels): \$61,592 (*salary.com*)

Medical Billing & Collections

- Entry Level: \$28,000 - \$32,000
- Average for New Jersey (all experience levels): \$45,991 (*salary.com*)

Medical Unit Secretary

- Entry Level: \$29,000 - \$33,000
- Average for New Jersey (all experience levels): \$41,170

Medical Transcriptionist*

- Entry Level: \$27,000 - \$32,000
- Average for New Jersey (all experience levels): \$43,560

**Supplementing the Associates degree with certifications and further education may lead to additional opportunities and salary increases. Specific educational qualifications will vary by company.*

***After completing the Associates in Health Science, you can pursue additional specialized training to lead to other healthcare-related careers, such as a Nurse, Surgical Technologist, and others*

Source: Payscale.com (2020); Occupational Outlook Handbook (2019).

Potential Employers:

- Non-profits - Catholic Charities, Community Hope
- Residence/Continuing Care Communities - Sunrise Senior Living, Erickson Living
- Home Health Care - Visiting Nurse Service, Premier Home Healthcare, BAYADA
- Hospitals/Healthcare Systems - Meridian Health, Morrison Healthcare

Internship Options:

- Search for internships in your chosen field here: www.internships.com/ or www.wayup.com
- Check out our social media pages for the most recent job & internship postings: @UnionCSC (Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter)

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please contact Career Services at careerservices@ucc.edu

Additional career-related resources can be found on the website:
www.ucc.edu/campus-life/career-center/career-resources/