



# Office Professional CTA Program Career / Transfer / Internship Information

### **Career Options and Potential Earnings:**

- Administrative Assistant / Receptionist / Clerk
  - Entry Level: \$32,000 \$36,000
  - Average for New Jersey (all experience levels): \$41,500
- Medical Unit Secretary
  - Entry Level: \$32,000 \$36,000
  - Average for New Jersey (all experience levels): \$41,180
- Customer Service Representative
  - Entry Level: \$33,000 \$37,000
  - Average for New Jersey (all experience levels): \$39, 570

Supplementing the Associate's degree with appropriate certifications may result in salary increases.

Source: Payscale.com (2016); Occupational Handbook Employment Statistics (2015).

#### **Potential Employers**:

- Hospitals/Medical Centers Robert Wood Johnson Hospital
- Insurance Companies: Amica Insurance, Plymouth Rock
- Government: Local, State, and Federal
- Business/Financial Services: Foresters Financial, TriNet
- Staffing Companies: Office Team, Ajilon, Atrium Staffing

## **Transfer Options**:

- Kean University
- Rutgers University New Brunswick
- Rutgers University Newark
- Montclair State University
- Fairleigh Dickinson University
- Or explore your preferred transfer institution requirements using the New Jersey Transfer website at <a href="https://www.njtransfer.org/">https://www.njtransfer.org/</a>

#### **Internship Options**:

- Search for internships in your chosen field here: <a href="http://www.internships.com/">http://www.internships.com/</a>
- Or stop by the Union County College Student Services Center.

<sup>\*</sup>specific qualifications vary by company