

## Why Choose College of Marin?

At College of Marin you can train for a new career, improve your skills, transfer to a four-year university, and greatly enrich your life.

### College of Marin Offers:

- Affordable enrollment fees
- Higher education that results in higher earnings
- Job-oriented workforce preparation programs
- Guaranteed transfer to the University of California and California State University systems
- Exceptional faculty
- Individualized attention
- Excellent counseling and support services

### Outstanding Faculty

College of Marin faculty members are recognized for their excellence in the classroom. Our instructors have degrees from such institutions as Stanford, Harvard, Yale, Columbia, UC Berkeley, California College of the Arts, SFSU, Royal College of Music, London, and many other top educational institutions.

### Individualized Attention

At College of Marin you will enjoy a high-quality educational experience in a supportive setting. Many free services are available, including career and academic counseling, tutorials, and a range of support services designed to help you succeed in achieving your goals.

### How To Enroll

You can apply online at [www.marin.edu](http://www.marin.edu). Application forms also are available in the class schedule, which is published each fall, spring, and summer semester.

### Scholarships

Scholarships are awarded annually on the basis of academic achievement and potential. Contact the Foundation Office for more information at 415.485.9382.

### Financial Aid Is Available

With millions of dollars available in free money for school, applying for financial aid can be a very rewarding experience. Apply for financial aid by completing a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by going to [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). You can also apply for a BOG Fee Waiver to cover the cost of your enrollment fees. Call the Financial Aid Office at 415.485.9409. Se habla español.

### About the College of Marin

The College of Marin is one of 109 public community colleges in California accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges. The Kentfield Campus is located approximately 11 minutes north of the Golden Gate Bridge at 835 College Avenue in Kentfield. The Indian Valley Campus is located minutes away on a spectacular 333 acre site on Ignacio Boulevard in Novato, California. Approximately 6,800 students enroll each fall and spring semester. Classes are also offered during the summer. For information call 415-457-8811.

An **Associate in Science degree** (generally a two-year program) or a **Certificate** may be earned in the following disciplines:

- Administration of Justice
- Automotive Collision Repair Technology
- Automotive Technology
- Business
- Business Office Systems
- Computer Information Systems
- Court Reporting
- Registered Dental Assisting
- Early Childhood Education
- Electronics
- Environmental Landscaping
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Machine and Metals Technology
- Medical Assisting
- Registered Nursing
- Multimedia Studies
- Phlebotomy
- Real Estate

### Workforce Development

[www.marin.edu/workforce](http://www.marin.edu/workforce)

College of Marin is fully accredited by WASC and serves approximately 9000 credit and noncredit students. The college is committed by policy not to discriminate on the basis of, or the perception of, race, ethnic group identification, ancestry, color, religion, age, gender, national origin, sexual orientation, disability (mental or physical), marital status, medical condition (cancer, genetic characteristics, or pregnancy), and status as a veteran in any of its educational and employment programs and activities, or in its policies, practices and procedures.

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# Medical Assisting Program



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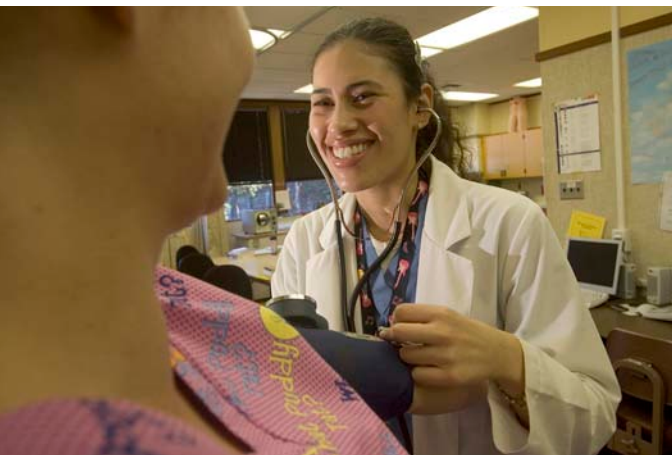
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## Welcome to the College of Marin's Medical Assisting Program

Working in the world of medicine is an exciting and challenging career.

A trained medical assistant is equipped with a broad range of valuable skills, making employment readily available anywhere in the world where medicine is practiced.



“At the College of Marin, in beautiful Marin County, an exciting and stimulating future awaits you.”

Medical assistants work directly with physicians and other health care professionals as part of the medical team in an ambulatory care setting. As a medical assistant, you will have the option of becoming an administrative medical assistant, clinical medical assistant, or both. Medical assisting attracts older students as well as the recent high school graduate.

According to the U. S. Department of Labor's Occupational Outlook Handbook, medical assisting is expected to be one of the ten fastest growing occupations. The Census Bureau estimates for medical assistants place them holding 604,205 positions nationwide. The medical assistant occupation is projected to have one of the largest number of openings in California by 2010.

Students who successfully complete the two year Medical Assisting Program are in high demand. Starting salaries can range from \$16 – \$18 per hour.

The College of Marin's Medical Assisting Program offers a choice of three certificate options: Administrative, Clinical and Administrative / Clinical. In addition, a state certified Phlebotomy course is now being offered. Other options in your career choices are the Insurance Coder and Billing classes.

You may also think about obtaining your Associate of Arts degree in Medical Assisting or transferring to a four-year institution.

At the College of Marin, in beautiful Marin County, an exciting and stimulating future awaits you.

Stop procrastinating now, and make your career goals meaningful as a medical assistant.

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