The **CNA Certification Program** offers the only bilingual, nationally recognized nursing specialty credential. Being CNA certified shows that you’re committed to an advanced standard of professional competence and have a comprehensive understanding of your nursing specialty.

### IMPORTANT DATES

**FALL 2020**

**June 1 – September 10**
Application window to write or renew by exam

**October 15 – November 15**
Certification exam window

This is a longer administration period to help accommodate writers who had been scheduled for the May exam window, which CNA postponed due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

**YEAR ROUND**

**January 20 – November 1**
Application window to renew by continuous learning

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**CURRENT SPECIALTIES**

- CARDIOVASCULAR
- COMMUNITY HEALTH
- CRITICAL CARE
- CRITICAL CARE PEDIATRICS
- EMERGENCY
- GASTROENTEROLOGY*
- GERONTOLOGY — for registered nurses and registered psychiatric nurses
- GERONTOLOGY — for licensed/registered practical nurses
- HOSPICE PALLIATIVE CARE
- MEDICAL-SURGICAL
- NEONATAL
- NEPHROLOGY
- NEUROSCIENCE*
- OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH
- ONCOLOGY
- ORTHOPAEDIC*
- PEDIATRICS
- PERIANESTHESIA*
- PERINATAL
- PERIOPERATIVE
- PSYCHIATRIC AND MENTAL HEALTH — for registered nurses and registered psychiatric nurses
- REHABILITATION*
- WOUND, OSTOMY AND CONTINENCE

* Renewal by continuous learning only.

**NEW EXAM — AVAILABLE FALL 2020**

**APPLY BY SEPTEMBER 10**
**TO WRITE THIS EXAM:**

- MEDICAL-SURGICAL — for licensed/registered practical nurses