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Do you like to help people? Are you caring and compassionate? If yes, then start exploring your career options in the **Health Science & Medical Technology** pathway. This pathway introduces you to a range of health careers, including those in the dental, veterinary, emergency medical technician and nursing fields.



Go farther by continuing your education at these schools:

- Bakersfield Adult School
- Bakersfield College
- Cerro Coso College
- Porterville College
- Taft College
- CSU Bakersfield



HEALTH SCIENCE HIGHLIGHTS

Health Science includes a broad range of careers that involve planning, managing, providing therapeutic services, diagnostic services, health informatics, support services, and biotechnology research and development.¹ Approximately one-third of the fastest-growing jobs in California are health-related.²

JOBS IN THIS CLUSTER³

Licensed Vocational Nurse
Average wage range: \$23.60 - \$32.23 per hour

Medical Assistant
Average wage range: \$13.06 - \$19.83 per hour

Radiologic Technician
Average wage range: \$32.57 - \$42.03 per hour

Social and Human Services Assistant
Average wage range: \$15.89 - \$24.14 per hour

TYPICAL EMPLOYERS IN THIS CLUSTER

Offices of Physicians
General Medical & Surgical Hospitals
Community Care Facility for the Elderly
Elementary and Secondary Schools

SOURCES:

¹California Community Colleges Career Coach

²California Employment Development Department, Top 100 Fastest Growing Occupations in California 2016-2026.

³California Employment Development Department, Labor Market Information, 2020

