

OZARK CAMPUS



### WHAT IS A MA-C

MA-C stands for Medication Assistant-Certified. A MA-C is a person who is certified by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing to administer certain medications in designated facilities.

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# ABOUT MA-C

### HOW TO BECOME A MA-C

Be in good standing with CNA registry continuously for a minimum of one year

Have one-year continuous experience as a CNA in the state of Arkansas Be currently employed at a designated facility

Have a high school diploma or equivalent

Completed the Accuplacer literacy and reading comprehension screening process

Successfully completed a MA-C course approved by ASBN-THIS WILL BE DONE AT ATU OZARK!

Successfully passed a ASBN approved certification examination

### WHAT CAN A MA-C DO?

A MA-C may perform the delegated function of medication administration and related tasks under the supervision of a licensed nurse to no more than 40 patients during a shift.

The MA-C can administer medications via the following route:

Oral-buccal, sublingual Intranasal

Topical Eye, ear or nose drops

Vaginal Rectal

Transdermal Oral inhalers

A Designated Facility is an Arkansas State Board approved facility to include nursing home or a local correctional facility.