

**North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services
Division of Health Service Regulation
Health Care Personnel Education and Credentialing Section
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Nurse Aide Skills Exam Availability Report

DHSR has posted the online report for May and June. As of April 28th, more than 2,400 skills exam seats were available for candidates.

The report is available at the links below:

- [Resources for Training Program Coordinators](#)
- [Community Partners](#) - scroll down to the bottom of the page.

Nurse Aide Skills Exam and Summer Break

For the nurse aide skills exam, please consider adding regional test dates or opening unused INF test seats to all candidates. These actions help support candidates whose primary testing location may be closed during the summer months (e.g., high schools).

Nurse Aide Curriculum & Module J

In January, the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) released updated dietary guidelines. Module J is under review and will be updated accordingly. Training programs will be notified once the revised module is available.

Group Computer-Based Testing Availability

To learn more, you can attend a live training session or access a recorded session online.

- Upcoming Live Training Sessions:
 - May 12 & 26 at 4:00 PM (EST)
 - June 9 & 23 at 4:00 PM (EST)
 - Webinar Access: <https://webinar.credentia.com/preview/qog-nepn-vfz>
- Recorded Training Sessions:
 - Visit <https://status.credentia.com/>
 - Select the Webinar tab
 - Log in using your Credentia username and password
 - Search for Group Computer-Based Testing Training videos