

Is Your School Licensed?

Some Private Career or Proprietary Schools offering medical assisting, nurse assisting, cosmetology, computer, auto mechanic, English as a second language and other training **are NOT licensed by the State and may NOT provide a quality education.**

Don't be Short Changed!
Make sure your Private Career School is LICENSED before enrolling

Contact the NYS Education Department to find out if the school is licensed and if complaints have been filed against it.

Visit:
www.highered.nysed.gov/bpss
or calling 212-643-4760

LICENSED schools are the way to go!

An Informed Student is a Protected Student!



Licensed Schools Provide:

- ◆ State approved admission requirements, catalogs and enrollment agreements
- ◆ Job training recognized by employers
- ◆ State authorized directors and instructors
- ◆ State approved curriculum and equipment, reviewed by experts in the field
- ◆ State determined refund policies
- ◆ Student tuition protection and reimbursement provisions
- ◆ Facilities meeting State and local building, fire and health codes

About 500 Private Career Schools licensed by the New York State Education Department are required to meet very specific standards to help ensure that the educational programs are appropriate.



Look for this symbol when making choices for your future

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