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# Health Careers in Manitoba



# Off the top of your head think of 2 health care careers?



Did you say:  
1) Doctor  
2) Nurse



You are right, but there are **WAY** more careers options!  
Let's take a moment to learn about a few...

This health care professional is known for their quick-thinking on-field emergency care for professional and elite athletes. They are first to respond when someone gets hurt, they are experts at injury assessment and rehabilitation...

# ATHLETIC THERAPIST

## Recommended High School Courses:

- Math 40S
- English 40S
- Biology 40S



This health care professional is trained to provide advice and counselling about diet, food and nutrition...

# DIETICIAN

Recommended High School Courses:

- Chemistry 40S
- Math 40S
- Home Economics/Technology Education

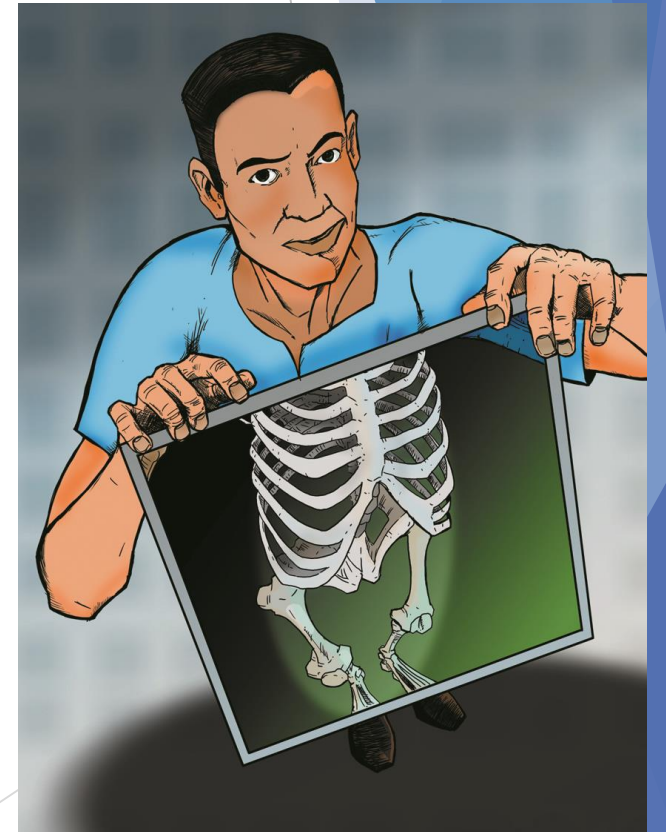


This health care professional produces images of a body part or system using equipment that emits x-rays...

# MEDICAL RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY (X-RAY)

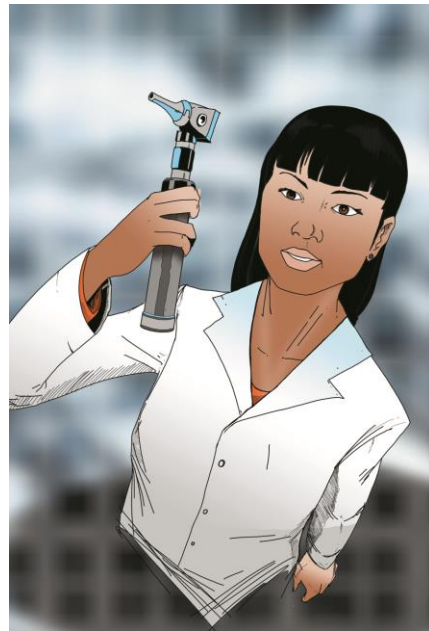
## Recommended High School Courses:

- Physics 40S
- Chemistry 40S
- Biology 40S



If you like science, helping  
people and have an interest in  
health issues,

A Health Career may be for YOU!



## There are traditional careers:

- Nurse
- Dental Hygienist
- Pharmacy Technician

## There are non-traditional careers:

- Midwife
- Reflexologist
- Massage Therapist

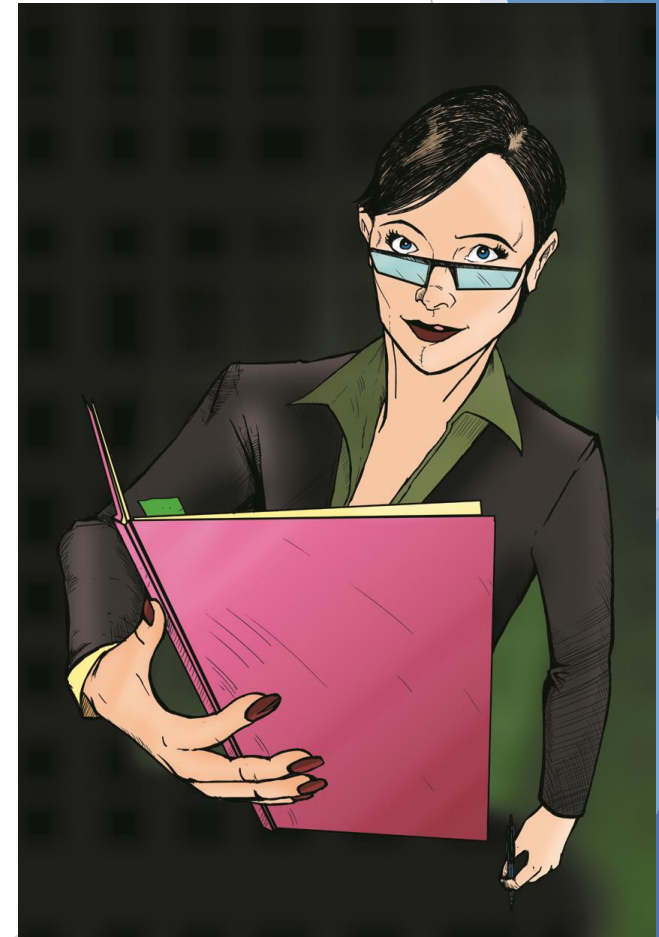


## Occupations in Health Care offer a Choice of Settings

From Office Buildings  
To Private Homes  
To Hospitals  
To Shopping Malls

# The work can involve dealing directly with people in need of physical or mental health:

- Home Health Aide
- Medical Rehabilitation Assistant
- Registered Psychiatric Nurse
- Social Work





The work can involve hi-tech, scientific, laboratory and computer equipment :

- Medical Lab Technologist
- Radiological Technologist
- Optician
- Medical Records Technician



# Thinking of Becoming a Doctor??

The field of medicine and the career of a doctor is incredibly diverse and flexible. Few fields offer a wider variety of opportunities.

Most doctors' professional lives are filled with caring for people and continuously learning more about the human body.

Every day in communities around the country, doctors work in neighborhood clinics, hospitals, offices, even homeless shelters and schools to care for people in need.

## Physicians do many Things...

Physician researchers are at work today developing exciting new treatments for cancer, genetic disorders, vaccines, etc.

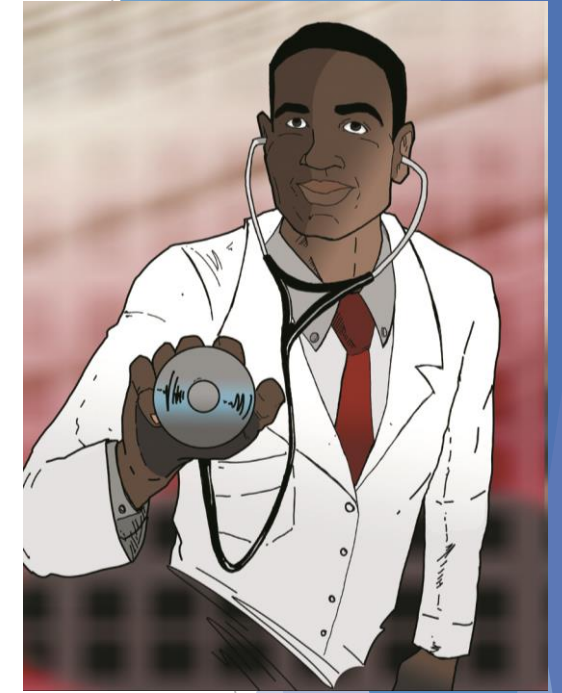
Academic physicians share their skills and wisdom by teaching medical students and residents.

Others work with health maintenance organizations, pharmaceutical companies, medical device manufacturers, health insurance companies, or in corporations directing health and safety programs.

# People With Medical Skills Are In Demand EVERYWHERE!

High School Academics Recommended:

- Basic Science Courses (Physics 40S or Chemistry 40S)
- Math 40S (Pre-calculus or applied)
- Biology 40S or 40G
- English 40S or French 40S



## Medicine Can Be For EVERYONE!

A well-rounded education is just as appropriate as one that focuses solely on science, computers and math.

History, drama and religion all have a place in a medical career!

# Canadian Medical Schools

- ▶ University of Manitoba
- ▶ University of British Columbia
- ▶ University of Alberta
- ▶ University of Calgary
- ▶ Memorial University of Newfoundland
- ▶ Dalhousie University
- ▶ University of Toronto
- ▶ University of Ottawa
- ▶ Western University
- ▶ Queen's University
- ▶ Northern Ontario School of Medicine
- ▶ McGill University
- ▶ Université Laval
- ▶ Université de Montréal
- ▶ Université de Sherbrooke
- ▶ McMaster University
- ▶ University of Saskatchewan

# A Career in Health Care

- ▶ OPPORTUNITY- Allows you to help people
- ▶ ACTION- Doesn't tie you to a desk all the time
- ▶ RESPECT- You are an important part of the community
- ▶ SECURITY- Allows you a good living with a secure future
- ▶ EXCITEMENT- Changes daily, hardly ever boring
- ▶ MOBILITY- You are in demand wherever you choose to live
- ▶ FLEXIBILITY- Give you many career options from the same education base

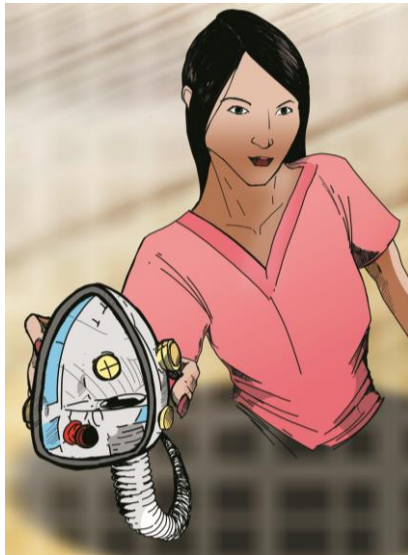
If you would like to help others in difficult situation

**Respond** effectively in emergency situation,

**Investigate** new health solutions, or

**Educate** other for healthy living

The Health Care Field may be for YOU!



# Questions??

If you are looking for information on health careers please visit:

<https://healthcareersmanitoba.ca/students/career-path/>

If you have specific questions about a certain career you can contact:

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