

Prosser / Baptist Health Floyd Hospital

A MODEL OF MODERN YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP WORK-BASED LEARNING IN HEALTHCARE



What It Is

Baptist Health Floyd Hospital, in collaboration with Southern Indiana Works, Prosser Career and Technical Educational Center, and Ivy Tech Community College gives juniors through post-high school students a paid hands-on learning experience within the healthcare industry through a Modern Youth Apprenticeship work-based learning experience. Along with industry experts providing on-the-job training, education provides supplemental instruction through CTE courses and industry-recognized credentials. This program provides students with the skills and knowledge to step into high-demand, high-wage healthcare occupations.

EXPERIENCE SNAPSHOT

School

New Albany High School



Location

New Albany, Indiana



Industry

Healthcare



Participants

High School Juniors -Post-High School



What Students Do

Baptist Health Floyd Hospital hires students starting in their junior year of high school. They work between 10-16 hours per week gaining experience across multiple healthcare career areas. Senior year and a postsecondary year increases the number of hours worked within the hospital. Students gain real-world experiences while adding in related technical instruction through CTE and dual-credit courses to obtain industry-recognized credentials. Responsibilities shift based on the specific pathway students identify.

VALUE FOR EMPLOYERS

Work-based learning isn't just about giving back—it's a strategic investment in your future workforce.

- Promote awareness of your industry
- Build a pipeline of career-ready talent
- Strengthen your company's community presence
- Lower hiring and onboarding costs
- Foster innovation by engaging young minds
- Improve long-term retention through early exposure

Industry Involvement

Baptist Health Floyd Hospital hires apprentices and provides on-the-job training in alignment to a work-and-training plan approved with the school to ensure students are learning industry specific competencies and skills.

How Employers Can Get Involved

Whether you're interested in supporting an existing program like Baptist Health Floyd Hospital or launching your own work-based learning experience, Ascend Indiana can help. We provide:

- · Program design and implementation support
- · School and CTE center connections
- · Access to funding and workforce partners

Discover how Ascend Indiana can support your business in launching or expanding work-based learning opportunities at

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