

Healthcare Pathway Mission, Vision, and Goals 2024 – 2025

Mission:

The Healthcare Pathway at Tacoma Community College empowers students to excel in diverse healthcare careers through the infusion of innovative education, collaborative partnerships, and an unwavering commitment to equity, diversity, inclusion, and belonging. We prepare future healthcare professionals to exceed the needs of our community while advancing access and overall excellence in healthcare education.

Vision:

To be the community leader in exceptional healthcare education, resulting in positive transformational change and generational impact. We will foster student success, champion diversity and build up our local communities through innovative teaching, interdisciplinary collaboration, and equitable opportunities for all learners.

Values:

- **Collaboration**
We embrace teamwork across disciplines, programs, and community partners to create a supportive and interconnected learning environment.
- **Integrity**
We uphold the highest ethical standards in education, fostering trust, accountability, stewardship of institutional resources, and transparency in all of our interactions.
- **Equity, Diversity, Inclusion, and Belonging**
Supported by the development of a mission-aligned admission process, we are committed to creating an inclusive and welcoming environment where all students, faculty, and staff feel valued, supported, and empowered to thrive.
- **Student Centered**
We center our efforts on advancing student achievement and lifelong learning, equipping our graduates with the necessary skills to make meaningful impacts in their chosen healthcare fields.
- **Innovation**
We embrace forward-thinking strategies, technologies, and practices to continuously improve the educational experience and address emerging needs and trends in healthcare.
- **Community Impact**
We strive to exceed the expectations of our community by preparing culturally humble and responsive healthcare professionals dedicated to improving the health and well-being of diverse populations. We will continually work toward the goal of reducing health inequities across our community.