

Academic Highlights



The grand opening celebration of the new 145,000 square-foot Health Sciences Center is scheduled for fall 2017.

New Health Sciences Center Grand Opening

MCCC will celebrate the grand opening of its new Health Sciences Center (HSC) with a ribbon-cutting ceremony in fall 2017. The HSC project involved a complete renovation of the former Physical Education building, adding 76,000 square feet of new construction to the existing building for a total of 145,000 square feet. This expanded space allows the College to move all of the health science programs into one facility for the start of the fall 2017 semester. With the central location of all these programs, students will be able to work together across disciplines in an experiential and collaborative learning environment, much like real-life health care settings.

With the additional space, MCCC also will incorporate more workforce training programs, including Massage Therapy and Pharmacy Technician, to provide students with the training and credentials they need to launch their careers.

Along with the addition of state-of-the-art classrooms and laboratories, the HSC has two multi-purpose gyms, a 7,000 square-foot fitness center, exercise studio, upgraded locker rooms and a café. The building and property incorporate many sustainable features, including energy-efficient equipment, LED and natural lighting and low volatile organic compounds and recycled materials. The landscaping includes a specially designed rain garden to capture rainwater and prevent runoff.

Some of the programs started moving into the HSC in January 2017, along with the Municipal Police Academy, which was formerly located in Conshohocken.



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