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## Avondale Estrella Mountain Community College offers 2 new programs

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### Health care, vet assistance training

SouthWest Skill Center at Estrella Mountain Community College, 3000 N. Dysart Road, is offering new training programs for home health care and veterinary assistant.

The 80-hour home health-care aide program will prepare students to sit for the National Association for Home Care & Hospice Home Care Aide Certification examination. Classes will be scheduled for Monday and Wednesday evenings.

The veterinary assistant program, a 100-hour program of classroom lectures and hands-on lab work, will provide instruction and training in caring for animals as well as an understanding of front-office practices. The program will be offered on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Both programs start this summer. To register for either program, call 623-935-8888.

Details: 623-535-2730 or [estrellamountain.edu](http://estrellamountain.edu).

includes a state-of-the-art kitchen, officer and crew work areas, dorm rooms, laundry and restroom facilities, [storage](#) and secure parking areas.

### Medical seminar

A free presentation about hospitalization and other [medical](#) issues will be from 6 to 8 p.m. March 27 at the Chris Evangelical Lutheran Church, 918 S. Litchfield Road, Goodyear.

Information to be discussed include knowing your medical history, advance directives, living wills and organ [donation](#). The session is being presented by DK Consultants, Donor Network and Hospice of the Valley.

A minimum of 10 people are need to hold the session. Call Olga Blanchard at 623-386-7998 if you plan to attend.

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