IT 5100C
IT Security Specialist

TUITION	DURATION	TARGET CERTIFICATION	ISSUING AUTHORITIES	REQUIREMENTS
$2,300	76 weeks	CompTIA Security+	CompTIA	High School Diploma or GED CompTIA Network+ certification or 2 yrs of IT security & administration experience recommended

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PROGRAM DETAILS

IT Security Specialists hold networking and administrative skills in Windows-based TCP/IP networks, as well as familiarity with a variety of operating systems, including OS X, Unix, or Linux. They may hold jobs such as Security Architect, Security Engineer, Security Consultant/Specialist, Information Assurance Technician, Security Administrator, Systems Administration and more in a variety of corporate environments.

Further your career in IT by acquiring a knowledge of security topics through our IT Security Specialist program. In just 6 weeks, you'll learn the foundational skills for a Security+ certification through our Security+ course.

In our security certification online course, you'll learn to implement and monitor security on networks, applications and operating systems, and how to respond quickly and effectively to security breaches.
This program prepares you for the CompTIA Security+ Certification exam. Many IT professionals also use Security+ as the foundation for advanced security certifications or career roles.

CAREER SERVICES

For all MedCerts Students that are not affiliated with an employer partner, you also have the added benefit of Job Search Assistance including guidance with resume building, networking, interviewing, and job search tips.

While MedCerts training and related target certifications may be accepted and/or approved by your state of residency, employers reserve the right to dictate pre-requisite education, experience, or certification/licensure requirements for their positions. These requirements may exclude a MedCerts graduate from eligibility. We strongly advise students to research target job posts from area employers and relevant state requirements, barriers or restrictions to ensure eligibility upon graduation.

Throughout the IT Security Specialist program, students will learn the skills to:

- ✓ Implement disaster recovery procedures and security contingency plans
- ✓ Conduct risk mitigation for systems, hardware, and peripherals
- ✓ Assess security risks and identify potential threats to hardware, software, and physical location
- ✓ Utilize best models for authentication, identity management and access control

Some states and regions have been identified as having additional requirements for licensure, registration, or employment. Please review our State Restriction page to view what restrictions there may be in your state/region of residence or employment and ensure you are eligible for enrollment. These restrictions may not apply to students taking programs through an employer, academic or government-sponsored model - including MyCAA and Army, Air Force or Coast Guard Credentialing Assistance.

ATTAINABLE CAREERS

- Application Systems Administrator
- Information Assurance Technician
- Security Architect

TARGET CERTIFICATIONS

Certifications	Issuing Authority	Exam Details
CompTIA Security+	CompTIA	90 questions – multiple choice and performance-based Time limit: 90

Course Code	Title	Hours	Weeks	Course Materials (Included)
IT-5011C	Security+ 701	96	76	None

EXPERIENTIAL/CLINICAL COMPONENT:

Experiential/Clinical Component Requirements (not a requirement for IT-5100 IT Security Specialist program) – Once students complete this program, they will be able to immediately start working with Career Services at MedCerts.

CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS AND DRUG SCREENING POLICY:

MedCerts does not perform criminal background checks, nor do we test students for illicit drug use. Please be advised that while MedCerts does not perform these checks, the student's drug, criminal, or immunization status may prevent clinical/externship placement and future employment as a healthcare or IT professionals. Externship sites, employers, and State Boards of Pharmacy or other regulatory boards have regulations about immunizations, drug use, and criminal backgrounds. Regulatory boards, externship sites, employers, and other organizations that may require these screenings for placement, and adverse results may prohibit you from moving forward in the program. Candidates with a felony conviction are not eligible to participate in ANY MedCerts program that includes the Pharmacy Technician certification as a primary or secondary certification

The student understands that MedCerts does not hold any control over the drug, immunization, criminal, or background screening processes or policies held by any organization outside of MedCerts.

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Upon 100% completion of this program, students will receive a "MedCerts Certificate of Completion." This is proof of completion of training but isn't a nationally recognized certification. Students are expected to take and pass the national certification exam through the issuing authority for recognized certification in their field.

Please carefully review the above program specific information and contact your Student Success Advisor if you have any questions or require further clarification of the contents.