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# OPPORTUNITY, SERVICE, EXCELLENCE

## THE OLIVE-HARVEY COLLEGE CNA PROGRAM

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### OPPORTUNITY

- Employment opportunities are excellent through the year 2005.
- Demand is expected to grow faster than average due to an increase in an aging population.
- Median weekly earnings of full-time salaried nursing aids are \$320.00.

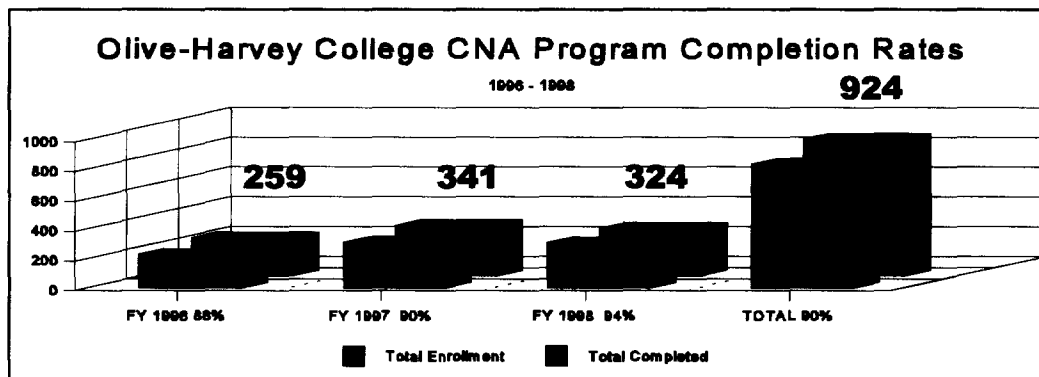
Source: U.S. Dept. Of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics

### SERVICE

- Certified Nurses Assistants (CNA's) are trained to work under the supervision of nursing and medical staff. They help care for physically ill, disabled, or infirmed individuals.
- CNA's work in nursing homes, hospitals, residential care facilities, and private households. CNA's employed in nursing homes are often the principal caregivers; having far more contact with residents than other members of the staff.

### EXCELLENCE

- Olive-Harvey College's completion rates continue to increase, from 86% in 1996 to 94% in 1998.



- During the period 1996-1998, 517 of 542 completers successfully passed the State Board Certifying Exam. This represents a 95% pass rate.
- During 1998, 200 employment status surveys were mailed to a random sample of completers. One-hundred eighty-five (185) responded, and indicated that they successfully found employment at 63 different institutions. Based on this survey the placement rate is 93%.