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County of Cook and State of Illinois**

**Wright College
Medical Careers Graduation**

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THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS that Wright College held a graduation ceremony on June 6, 2009 for certificate completers on various Medical Career Programs. The graduates included 173 CNAs (Certified Nursing Assistants) 10 of whom were from our high school program, 30 of whom were from Carreras en Salud (all 40 students passed the state certification); 67 EMT-Bs (Emergency Medical Technician – Basic) all passed the state licensure exam; 49 Phlebotomists all of whom have already taken and passed the national certification exam; 5 Medical Billing and Coding all of whom have taken and passed the first level of the national exam; 4 Dental Assistants and 3 Pharmacy Technicians.

that the ceremony was attended by 400 members of students' families and friends. All of whom received information about the programs offered at Wright College.

that thirty percent (30%) of the CNA graduates are now enrolled in nursing programs and 20% of the EMT graduates are pursuing their education either as Paramedics, nursing, or Emergency Management students throughout the District.

Respectfully Submitted,

Deidra J. Lewis
Interim Chancellor

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