



1. Title of the certificate – Yrkeshögskoleexamen ¹

Specialist Nurse Assistant in Laboratory Medicine

2. Translated title of the certificate – Higher Vocational Education Diploma ²

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3. Knowledge, Skills and Competence Profile

The holder of the certificate has:

knowledge in:

1. Sampling techniques and their significance. 2. Quality assurance. 3. Ethics related to the professional role
4. Deviation management, quality monitoring, and control. 5. Clinical Immunology and Transfusion Medicine
6. Clinical Chemistry. 7. Clinical Microbiology

Knowledge and an overview of areas adjacent to their own work or study area, such as: 1. IT related to the professional role. 2. Pathology

The students will also, after completing the education, have knowledge of work processes and quality criteria by: 1. Being able to describe the pre-analytical process and understand the importance of sampling and test results in the care chain. 2. Demonstrating knowledge of relevant analytical methods in the field and relevant regulations. Have skills in: 1. Performing the analyses included in the education that are common in a primary care laboratory. 2. Independently performing venous and capillary sampling with the correct technique. 3. Mentoring and introducing new colleagues. 4. Interacting with patients in a professional manner. 5. Collaborating with other professional groups. Skills in solving complex problems within: 1.

Practical laboratory techniques, such as pipetting, making dilutions, etc. 2. Quality monitoring processes and conducting quality control. Skills in communicating commitments and solutions: 1. Interpreting analysis and examination results from various sources, and orally and in writing, presenting the results to relevant parties in both Swedish and English. Have the competence to: Independently handle content that leads to further learning and professional development. 1. Work independently with evidence-based methods and approaches. 2. Work from an analytical perspective. 3. Evaluate and assess information and methods within the professional role and understand the role 's significance in healthcare. 4. Independently manage the entire process regarding pre-analysis, patient safety, and the laboratory 's role in the care chain.

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4. Range of occupations accessible to the holder of the certificate ³

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¹ In the original language. | ² If applicable. This translation has no legal status. | ³ If applicable.

5. Official basis of the certificate

Name and address of the awarding institution

Lernia Utbildning AB
Box 446
101 28 Stockholm

Authority providing accreditation / recognition of the certificate

The Swedish National Agency for Higher Vocational Education
Box 145
721 05 Västerås, Sweden
www.myh.se

Level of the certificate (national or European) ¹

Level 5 in the National Qualifications Framework (SeQF)
Level 5 in the European Qualifications Framework (EQF)

Grading scale / Pass requirements

Fail (icke godkänt – IG)
Pass (Godkänt – G)
Pass with distinction (Väl godkänt – VG)

Access to next level of education / training ¹

International agreements on recognition of qualifications ¹

The Higher Vocational Certificate requires a minimum of a Pass (Godkänt) in all courses.

Legal basis

A Higher Vocational Education Certificate is awarded if the study programme comprises a minimum of 200 Higher Vocational Education credits (HVE credits). Five HVE credits correspond to one week of full-time studies.

6. Officially recognised ways of acquiring the certificate

Description of vocational education and training	Percentage of total programme (%)	Duration (/weeks)
College/education centre	70 %	28 weeks
Placement – learning in a work environment	30 %	12 weeks
Total duration of the education / training leading to the certificate		40 weeks

7. Additional information

Entry requirements ¹

Entry requirement is successful completion of upper secondary education.

More information (including a description of the national qualifications system)

For more information on higher vocational education, please visit the website of the Swedish National Agency for Higher Vocational Education: www.myh.se

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