

# Nursing Home Administrator—Certified (NHA-CT)

## Elevate Leadership of Healthcare Operations

In an increasingly complex environment, operational excellence is not just a goal—it's a necessity for survival. AAPACN's **Nursing Home Administrator—Certified (NHA-CT)** certification program is designed for the proactive leader who wants to validate the specialized competencies required to navigate the intersection of clinical quality, fiscal responsibility, and regulatory scrutiny.

## Why the NHA-CT Matters to Your Facility

- **Master Regulatory Complexity:** Move beyond simple compliance and develop the framework to maintain survey-ready operations and mitigate organizational risk.
- **Optimize Operational Performance:** Gain the tools to turn facility data into actionable strategies that bolster your bottom line and ensure organizational sustainability.
- **Champion Resident-Centered Outcomes:** Lead interdisciplinary teams with an evidence-based approach that prioritizes high-quality care, enhancing your Five-Star Quality Rating.
- **Strengthen Workforce Culture:** Implement proven leadership strategies to boost staff engagement and retention, fostering a culture of accountability and safety.

## NHA-CT Courses

The program consists of 10 on-demand modules covering:

- Principles of Leadership
- Resident Care and Services
- Employee Services and Success (HR)
- Quality Improvement
- Operations and Environment
- The RAI Process and Medicare Requirements
- Finance
- Regulatory Compliance
- Risk Management
- Professional Development



## NHA-CT Certification Requirements

To earn the NHA-CT certification, candidates must:

- Be a licensed nursing home administrator
- Have the equivalent of two years of full-time post-acute care experience, with a minimum of one year of experience either as an NHA or relevant leadership experience
- Take the NHA-CT course and exam and pass with a score of 80% or better.

**Online + PDF 10-course set:** Members: \$1,090 | Non-members: \$1,590

**Continuing Education:** 31.5 NAB credits and ANCC hours