



**RED RIVER COLLEGE**

# Micro-Credentials at Red River College

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# Micro-Credentials at RRC



# Overview



- ★ Micro-credentials and Badges
- ★ RRC's Micro-credential Guiding Principles
- ★ Implementation at RRC
- ★ Micro-credential examples

# What are Micro-credentials?

**How are Micro-credentials connected  
to prior learning?**

# Micro-credential

A certification of assessed learning that is additional, alternate, complementary to or a formal component of a formal qualification.

[Deakin University](#)

# Digital Badge

A **visual image** that communicates the **verified achievement** of learning, skills and/or competencies, often representing the completion of a micro-credential.





# Micro-credential Guiding Principles

1. Micro-credentials delivered and endorsed by Red River College are **governed by RRC Academic Polices** and aligned with the College's Credential Qualification Framework.
2. Micro-credentials represent and **verify** mastery of a **specific skill** or **competence**
3. Micro-credentials are developed in **response to needs of stakeholders** including employers, industry and/or the community.

# Micro-credential Guiding Principles

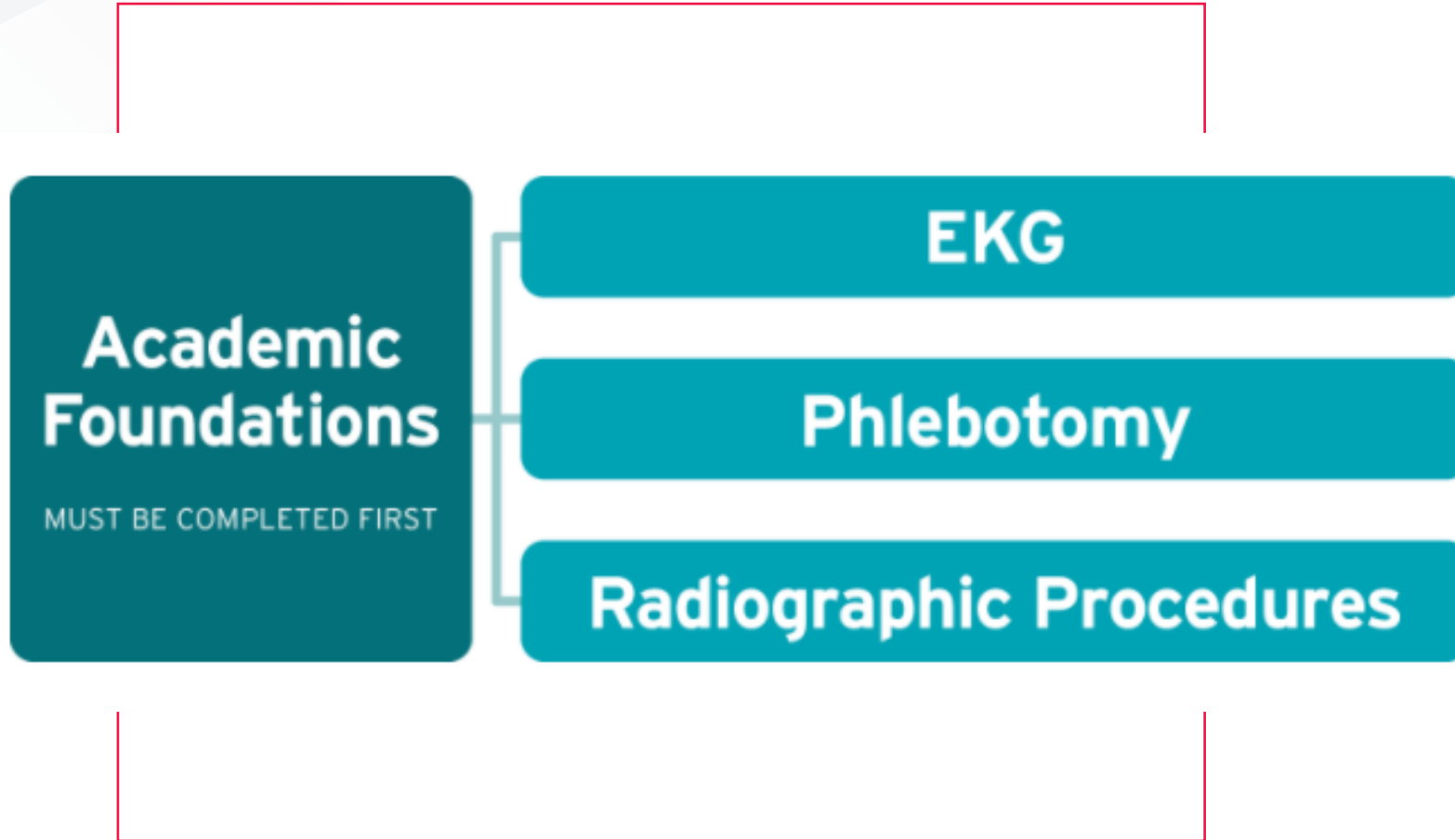
4. Micro-credentials are unique offerings and do not replicate a College course.
5. Micro-credentials are **portable and stackable** records of learning
6. Micro-credentials are represented by a digital badge that is sharable.

# Implementation at RRC

- ★ Micro-credentials presented to Senior Leadership – April 2019
- ★ Presentations to staff and faculty – April/May 2019
- ★ Working Group established – July 2019
- ★ Micro-credential definitions and guiding principles presented to SAC – November 2019
- ★ Badges designed
- ★ Assessment criteria identified
- ★ Micro-credentials under development

# **Micro-credential Examples**

# Diagnostic Support Worker



**Academic  
Foundations**

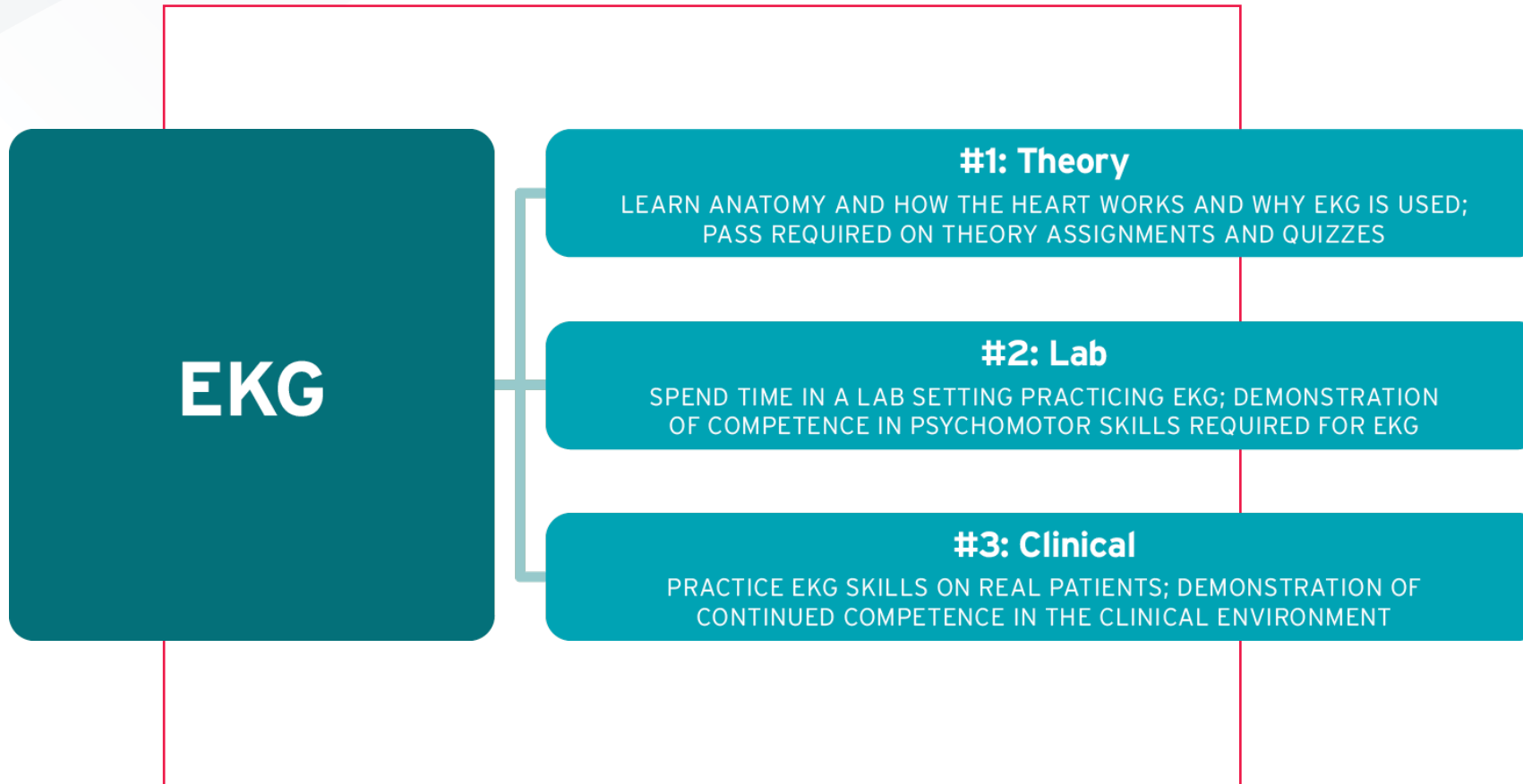
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**EKG**

**Phlebotomy**

**Radiographic Procedures**

# EKG – Diagnostic Support Worker

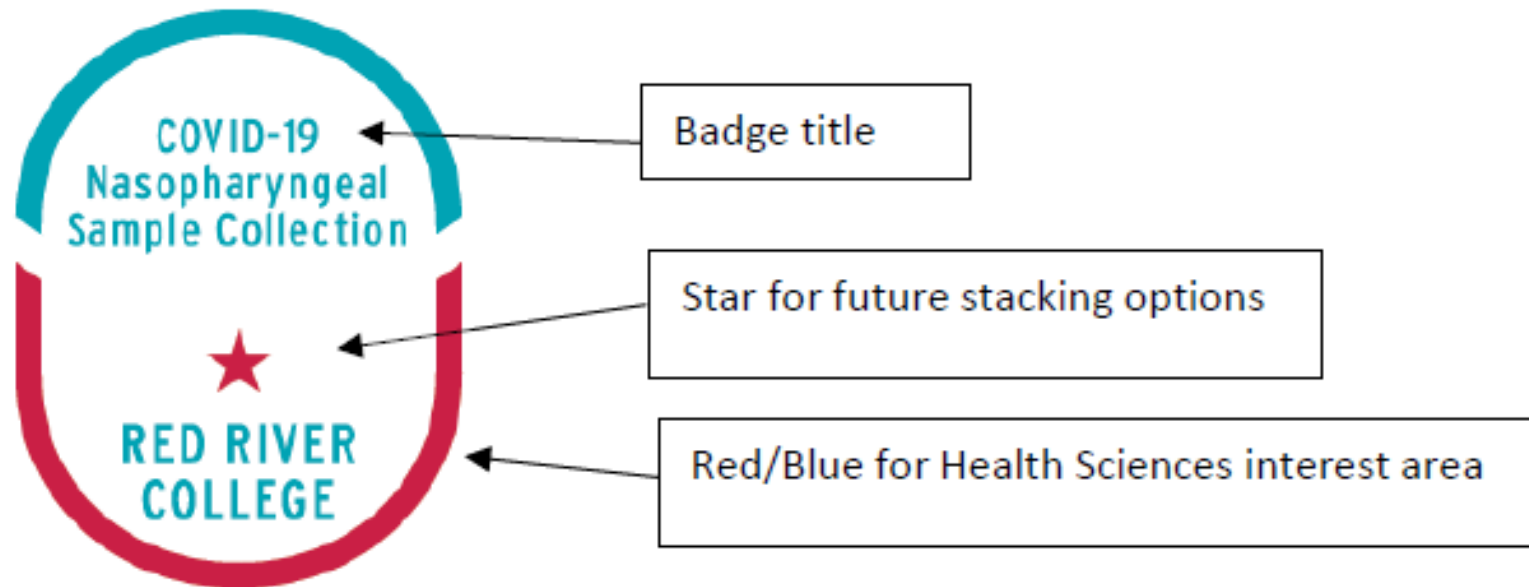


# COVID-19 Nasopharyngeal Sample Collection

Theory + Practical



# COVID-19 Nasopharyngeal Sample Collection Badge





# COVID-19 Health-care Support Worker

Theory + Practical



# Introduction to Data Analysis

Partnership with  
Learning Resources Network (LERN)



# Micro-Credential Badges

## BADGE VARIATIONS

TIER 1



TIER 2



TIER 3



TIER 3

EXAMPLE OF LONG NAME



GENERIC



GENERIC - RRC



## PROGRAM COLOURS

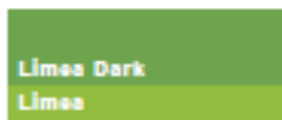
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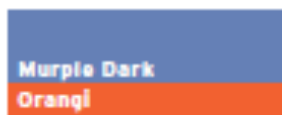
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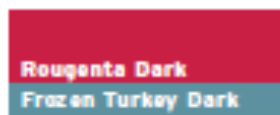
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