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Photo Caption: Current students, Vanessa Rice of Clinton County and Racquel Browder of Fayette County, work with one of the simulators during a lab exercise in the Health Science Program at Southern State Community College.

Learning how to improve patient care through simulation

National Healthcare Simulation Week will be held Sept. 12-16, 2022. To celebrate, and increase awareness regarding the importance of simulation to healthcare, Southern State Community College will be hosting a variety of activities on their central campus in Hillsboro.

Healthcare Simulation Week, sponsored by the Society for Simulation in Healthcare, is a designated time to celebrate professionals who use healthcare simulation to improve the safety, effectiveness, and efficiency of healthcare delivery.

New methods and technologies are emerging that present enhanced opportunities to improve patient care; as a result, it is an important field in which many healthcare professionals are finding a lifelong career.

At Southern State, students who enroll in a healthcare program will study in a state-of-the-art simulation center. The center mirrors a modern hospital setting and provides a safe, realistic environment in which students can comfortably practice caring for patients. It's an environment where mistakes are OK, and learning is the goal.

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