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## Los Mesteños Celebrates 15<sup>th</sup> Certified Nursing Aide Class

Los Mesteños Career Academy (LMCA) recently hosted a graduation ceremony at the First United Methodist Church for eight students and a reception that included a large crowd of friends and family. “This 15<sup>th</sup> graduating class is a tribute to our community partnerships that make it all possible”, said LMCA Director Crystal Ramirez-Garcia. The students will now be eligible to take their state certification tests and, if successful, further their education toward completion of LVN training and beyond.

LMCA is now promoting summer programs geared for students in middle and high schools. For further information go to [losmestenos.org](http://losmestenos.org)