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Ticker briefs: Jefferson College offering accelerated nursing program

Jefferson College of Health Sciences is recruiting students for a new nursing program that will prepare students for the workplace in 16 months instead of the traditional four years.

In January the school, which is owned by Carilion Clinic, earned approval from the state to begin recruiting students for the accelerated program. The college's goal is to have 25 students ready to begin classes in the fall.

-- Sarah Bruyn Jones

-- Go Green NRV is hosting a breakfast series on how to make offices more environmentally friendly. The first session is March 25. Register at www.gogreennrv.com.

-- Central Virginia Community College will host an engineering career fair March 1 and an open house about a joint engineering program with the University of Virginia on March 3. Call (434) 832-7804.

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