

NURSING DEPARTMENT

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EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

The Nursing Department offers three state-approved programs for both generic students and licensed vocational nurses to become registered nurses. At the conclusion of our programs, the student is eligible to take the registered nurse licensure examination, NCLEX-RN.

CERTIFICATE PROGRAM:

- **Registered Nurse (R.N.) Curriculum for Licensed Vocational Nurse, 30 unit option**

ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS:

- **Nursing, Registered (R.N.)**
- **Licensed Vocational Nurse to Registered Nurse**

TRANSFER CURRICULUM:

- **Nursing**

CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

(30 UNIT OPTION/NON-GRADUATE)

Prerequisites include a current California VN license. (High school graduate or equivalent required prior to BRN licensure examination NCLEX - RN.)

SUBJECT & NO.	COURSE	UNITS
Students must complete Physiology 1 and Microbiology 1 or 20 before enrolling in core requirements. 8-9		

FIRST SEMESTER

NURSING 267*	Nursing Process and Practice in the Care of the Adult Client II.4
NURSING 268*	Nursing Process and Practice in the Care of Clients with Alterations in Mental Health4
NURSING 276**	Introduction to the Nursing Process	1.5
NURSING 277**	Health Assessment	1.5

SECOND SEMESTER

NURSING 269	Nursing Process and Practice in the Care of the Adult Client III4
NURSING 272*	Nursing Process and Practice in the Care of the Adult Client IV4
NURSING 274*	Role Transition II/Preceptorship3
Total		30-31

*This course has a prerequisite.

**This course has a corequisite.

ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

NURSING, REGISTERED (R.N.)

Associate in Science Degree

Prerequisites for Fall 2009

- High School graduate, or equivalent (GED or California High School Proficiency Test or United States College Degree).
- GPA demonstrating satisfactory academic progress. GPA of 2.5 overall in Anatomy/Physiology and Microbiology.
- Satisfactory completion of each of the following college courses before entering the program:
 - Anatomy/Physiology: College courses in Anatomy/Physiology* with laboratory (minimum 8 semester units) or Biology 20 (a combined course of Anatomy/Physiology).

*Has Chemistry prerequisite (1 year high school chemistry with a laboratory, acceptable provided a minimum satisfactory grade "C" was achieved in both semesters).

- Microbiology 1 or 20: Microbiology with laboratory (minimum 4 semester units).
- Psychology 1: General Psychology (minimum 3 semester units).
- Psychology 41: Life-Span Psychology (minimum 3 semester units).