

Program Modification

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Program Area: NURSING

Semester /Year First effected: FALL 2009

Instructions: Please use this Program Modification form for changes to existing program requirements, units, outcomes, emphases or options, or for other programmatic concerns. For minor changes (faculty or address changes, additions of approved electives, minor editing for clarity, and other minor updates) use the Program Update form, available at the Curriculum website.

Paste the latest approved version of your entire program in the left AND right boxes below. Make your deletions in the LEFT column by using the strikeout feature in Word or underlining, and highlight. Insert new language or other changes to the program on the RIGHT and highlight in **GREY** for easy identification. If possible, please align the two columns so that changes appear side-by-side with the original text.

CURRENTLY APPROVED PROGRAM

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- Follow the nursing process by assisting clients, families and communities to promote an optimum level of wellness, sustain life, recover from disease or injury in acute, long term care, institutional and community settings;
- Function as a successful professional by a commitment to self-growth, development and lifelong learning;
- For generic students meet the eligibility requirements to successfully pass the nursing licensure examination (NCLEX); and
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Generic (Basic) Track I

Lower Division Requirements for the Bachelor's Degree in Nursing (32 Units)

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| NRS 200 | Introduction to Professional Nursing Practice (2) |
| NRS 201 | Introduction to Professional Nursing Laboratory (2) |
| NRS 203 | Therapeutic Nursing Communication Laboratory (1) |
| NRS 204 | Pharmacology of Nursing Practice (2) |
| NRS 220 | Nursing Care of Adults with Acute and Chronic Illness I (2) |
| NRS 221 | Nursing Care of Adults with Acute and Chronic Illness Laboratory I (2) |
| NRS 222 | Nursing Care of Adults with Acute and Chronic Illness II (4) |
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For a Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Upper Division Requirements for the Bachelor's Degree in Nursing (34 units)

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| NRS 230 | Nursing Care of Mothers, Infants, and Women (2) |
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For a Bachelor of Science in Nursing

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| NRS 350 | Nursing Research (3) |
| NRS 401 | Advanced Clinical Assessment Laboratory (2) |
| NRS 420 | Nursing Care of the Complex Client Across the Continuum (3) |
| NRS 421 | Nursing Care of the Complex Client Across the Continuum Laboratory (3) |
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| NRS 488 | Transition to Professional Nursing Practice (2) |
| NRS 491 | Transition to Nursing Practice Internship (2) |

Required Supporting and Other GE Requirements (67 units)

1. Biology (15 units)

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| BIOL 432 | Principles of Epidemiology and Environmental Health (3) |

2. Chemistry (4 units)

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| CHEM 110 | Chemistry for Life (4) GE B1 |
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3. Nutrition (3 units)

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| NRS 260 | Nutrition for Therapeutics & Health (BIOL) (3) |
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4. Mathematics/Statistics (3 units)

Any General Education Category B3 (BIOL 203 Preferred)

5. Anthropology (6 units)

Choose ANTH 102 or SOC 100:

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| ANTH 102 | Cultural Anthropology (3) GE C3b, D |
| SOC 100 | Introduction to Sociology (3) |
| ANTH 443 | Medical Anthropology: Cross Cultural Perspectives on Health and Healing (3) GE D, INTD |

6. Psychology (6 units)

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| PSY 100 | Introduction to Psychology (3) GE D, E |
| PSY 213 | Developmental Psychology (3) GE D, E |

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Completion of Critical Thinking requirement

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**Requirements for the Bachelor of Science Degree
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For RN to BSN Track II

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Prerequisite/Preparatory

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