

Program Modification – ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGE FOR CATALOG

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Program Area: NRS

Semester /Year First affected: Fall 2012

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Bachelor of Science In Nursing (133 units) Track I, Generic (Basic)

Prerequisites	28
Lower Division Major	36
Upper Division Major	33
Required Supporting and Other GE Requirements ..	30
American Institutions	6
TOTAL	133 units

The generic Track I of the nursing program uses the cohort model of class scheduling and requires full time enrollment. Students move as a group through the designated nursing courses in sequence. Courses are designed so that 200 level courses are prerequisite to 300 level nursing courses and so on. The time to complete the baccalaureate degree in nursing is designed for four years of full time study (one year pre nursing + three years nursing, after admission to the program).

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Grade Point Average. An overall GPA of 2.0 or greater in the prerequisite nursing courses with no grade lower than a C.

Eligibility. Pre-nursing majors must be accepted to the nursing major to be eligible for the lower division nursing courses.

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Impaction Status. This status was granted by the CSU Chancellor's Office and supplemental criteria for admission will be required.

Supplemental Criteria Include. GPA in pre-nursing core course requirements, overall cumulative GPA, English language proficiency, basic math proficiency, proficiency in a second language, previous education or work experience residency in preferred geographic areas and current CI student. High school participation in regional health science or bioscience academy or nursing pipeline program. Supplemental criteria is subject to revision.

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BIOL	211	Human Anatomy and Physiology II.....	4
BIOL	217	Medical Microbiology, GE B2	4
CHEM	110	Chemistry of Life, GE B1	4
COMM	101	Public Speaking, GE A1	3

ENGL	105	Composition and Rhetoric, GE A2	3
or			
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— Any General Education Category B3..... 3
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Lower Division Major Requirements

36 units

NRS	200	Introduction to Professional Nursing Practice	3
NRS	201	Introduction to Professional Nursing Practice Laboratory	2
NRS	203	Therapeutic Nursing Communication Laboratory	0.5
NRS	204	Pharmacology of Nursing Practice	3.5
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
NRS	223	Nursing Care of Adults with Acute and Chronic Illness Laboratory II	4
NRS	230	Nursing Care of Mothers, Infants, and Women.....	2
NRS	231	Nursing Care of Mothers, Infants, and Women Laboratory.....	2
NRS	232	Nursing Care of Children and Families .	2
NRS	233	Nursing Care of Children and Families Lab	2
NRS	240	Psychiatric and Mental Health Nursing .	3
NRS	241	Psychiatric and Mental Health Nursing Laboratory	2
NRS	260	Nutrition for Therapeutics and Health ...	2

Upper Division Major Requirements

33 units

NRS	306	Pathophysiology	3
NRS	352	Health Promotion and Patient Education Strategies	3
NRS	350	Nursing Research.....	3
NRS	391	Transition to Professional Practice Lab	2
NRS	401	Advanced Clinical Assessment Laboratory	2
NRS	420	Nursing Care of the Complex Client Across the Continuum.....	3

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NRS	453	Community Health Nursing Laboratory	3
NRS	460	Nursing Leadership and Professional Issues	3
NRS	461	Nursing Leadership Laboratory	3
NRS	488	Transition to Professional Nursing Practice.....	2

Required Supporting and Other GE Requirements 36 units

1. *Biology* - 3 units

BIOL	432	Principles of Epidemiology and Environmental Health, GE B2, D, UDIGE	3
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2. *Social Perspectives* - 6 units

ANTH	443	Medical Anthropology: Cross Cultural Perspectives on Health and Healing, GE D UDIGE	3
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Choose ANTH 102 **or** SOC 100

ANTH	102	Cultural Anthropology, GE C3B, D.....	3
SOC	100	Introduction to Sociology, GE D	3

3. *Psychology* - 6 units

PSY	100	Introduction to Psychology, GE D, E.....	3
PSY	213	Developmental Psychology, GE D, E	3

4. *Other GE courses* - 15 units

3 units each in B4, C1,C2, and C3A

3 units upper division GE Elective:

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Any General Education Category B3..... 3
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Completion of Critical Thinking Requirement, GE A3..... 3

Upper Division Major Requirements

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2. *Upper Division GE Elective - 3 units*

Recommend NRS/PSY 348 (GE D, E, UDIGE) if

ANTH 102 is completed

Recommend NRS/PSY 342 (GE C3B, UDIGE) if

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3. *Other GE Courses - 1-12 units*

3 units Language requirement (GE C3A)

(if not already completed)

3 units each in GE B4, C1 and C2

(if student is not GE certified)

		Across the Continuum.....	3
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<p><u>1</u> unit of NRS 497, Directed Study (if needed to meet <u>120</u> units)</p> <p>4. <i>American Institutions</i> - <u>6</u> units</p> <p>Criteria for Program Continuance <u>for Both Tracks</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nursing majors must attain grades of "C" or better in all required nursing and non-nursing courses. Required nursing courses for which the student earns less than a grade of C may be repeated once with instructor consent buy only on a space available basis. 2. Students in the nursing major must maintain good academic standing. Students on academic probation are not permitted to enroll in a nursing course until the probation has been removed. 	<p><u>3</u> units each in GE B4, C1 and C2 (if student is not GE certified)</p> <p><u>1</u> unit of NRS 497, Directed Study (if needed to meet <u>120</u> units)</p> <p>4. <i>American Institutions</i> - <u>6</u> units</p> <p>Criteria for Program Continuance</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nursing majors must attain grades of "C" or better in all required nursing and non-nursing courses. Required nursing courses for which the student earns less than a grade of C may be repeated once with instructor consent buy only on a space available basis. 2. Students in the nursing major must maintain good academic standing. Students on academic probation are not permitted to enroll in a nursing course until the probation has been removed.
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SUMMARY OF CHANGES

~~Increase in NRS 391 by one unit to three units Decrease in NRS 210 by one unit to two units~~ 1/12/12 (BD) Corrected the lower division major requirements from 36 to 35 and upper division major requirements from 33 to 34

Also added new statistics requirement of BIOL 203 or MATH/PSY 202 for B3 in both tracks. Also put Criteria for Program Continuance in both tracks.

JUSTIFICATION

Nursing curriculum committee input that students needed more transition practice and the even number of units in specialty courses NRS 222, 232 and 240 to 2 units each.

Karen Jensen
Proposer of Program Modification

10.13.11
Date

Program: NURSING

The CI program review process includes a report from the respective department/program on its progress toward accessibility requirement compliance. By signing below, I acknowledge the importance of incorporating accessibility in course design.

Program Chair		
	Signature	Date

Curriculum Chair		
	Signature	Date

AVP		
	Signature	Date