


ACADEMIC MAP

Nursing A.A.S. (LPN to RN Pathway)

Semester 1

COURSE	CR	COMMENTS
NURS 132 DRUG & DOSAGE CALCULATION 1	1	
NURS 133 HEALTH ASSESS & DIAGNOSTICS 1	2	
NURS 134 INTRO TO NURSING CONCEPTS	8	
BIOL 107 ~ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY 1	4	
ENGL 101 ~COMPOSITION 1	3	
TOTAL:	18	



The **Associate of Applied Science in Nursing** prepares students for professional nursing practice while providing a knowledge base for career mobility and further academic study. Completion of the program of study provides eligibility to apply for licensure as a registered nurse. PROGRAM OPTIONS: LPN to RN Pathway and Primary Prelicensure Pathway.



CAPSTONE COURSE:

CAPSTONE COURSE This course includes 45 hours of preceptorship and a review for the NCLEX. Attendance at review is mandatory


Semester 2

COURSE	CR	COMMENTS
BIOL 108 ~ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY 2	4	
NURS 142 DRUG & DOSAGE CALC 2 OR NURS 172 ADVANCED DRUG AND DOSAGE CALC	1	
NURS 143 HEALTH ASSESS & DIAGNOSTICS 2 OR NURS 173 ADVANCED NURSING ASSESS AND DIAG.	3	
NURS 144 CNCPT HEALTH AND ILLNESS 1 OR NURS 174 AND NURS 125	10	
TOTAL:	18	

NCLEX APPLICATION

As you prepare for your last semester, it is important that you begin the application process for authorization to sit for NCLEX, by the West Virginia Board of Examiners for Registered Professional Nurses (WVBERPN). Fingerprinting and background check should be completed at the beginning of the 4th semester. See reverse.

Semester 3

COURSE	CR	COMMENTS
NURS 234 NURS CNCPT HLTH & ILLNESS 2	9	
BIOL 200 MICROBIOLOGY	3	
PSYC 101 ~INTRO TO PSYCHOLOGY	3	
TOTAL:	15	






Students should average 15 credit hours per semester, or 30 per year, to graduate on time.

TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS:

63

Semester 4

COURSE	CR	COMMENTS
NURS 244 SYNTHESIS OF NURSING CONCEPTS	9	
NURS 245 PROF NURS & HLTH SYS CONCEPTS	3	 
TOTAL:	12	

2021-2022

PREPARATION FOR ADMISSION

- High School Graduate or Equivalent (USA GED)
- Meet requirements for general admission to college and be admitted to college
- Meet Technical Standards for Admission with or without reasonable accommodations
- No history of felony convictions

ADMISSION TO PROGRAM

- Submit completed Nursing and Health Sciences application
- Provide official copy of HS and prior college transcripts
- 2.5 GPA from HS and/or college
- Complete HESI admission exam with a composite score of 75 or higher
- Complete the HESI admission exam with a math subscore of 75 or higher or completion of Math 120 with a C or higher
- For LPN Option an active unencumbered LPN License
- Interview at the discretion of the division.

Completion of the application process does not imply the applicant will be admitted to the Nursing Program. Due to space limitations, qualified applicants are ranked according to the Entrance exam score and GPA.

ACCEPTANCE TO PROGRAM

- Return contract and pay acceptance fee
- Comply with Clinical Practice Requirements:
 - ✓ Background Check
 - ✓ Physical Exam
 - ✓ Immunizations
 - ✓ CPR

NCLEX PREPARATION

- All Courses:
- Practice Questions and Adaptive Quizzing
 - HESI Final Exam
- 4th Semester
- Complete fingerprinting and Federal and State background checks at the beginning of 4th semester
 - Complete application to the Board of Nursing
 - Submit final transcript to Board of Nursing
 - Attend NCLEX live review
 - Schedule date for NCLEX

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- Completion of 60-63 credit hours as outlined in the program of study.
- Maintain minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA.
- A grade of "C" or better in each course in the program of study.
- Attendance at NCLEX live review.

Admission to and graduation from the nursing program does not guarantee a Board of Nursing will endorse this graduate as a candidate to sit for the NCLEX-RN. Testing may be denied to any applicant proven guilty of certain infractions such as, but not limited to, fraud, felony, or moral misconduct.