



College of the Siskiyous

Associate Degree Nursing

(LVN to RN Step Up)

Associate of Science Degree Major

Prerequisites for admission:

- _____ High school diploma, GED or high school equivalency certificate
- _____ Graduate of an approved vocational nursing program
- _____ Proof of active LVN license (copy)
- _____ Official Transcripts for all program prerequisites and general degree coursework (except College of the Siskiyous Courses)
- _____ Completed Nursing Transcript Evaluation
- _____ Pre-admission academic testing
- _____ Successfully complete a background clearance and drug screening clearance
- _____ Meet or exceed the minimum health and physical requirements
- _____ Successfully pass a physical exam and provide verification of current, required immunizations
- _____ American Heart Association Health Care Provider CPR card, valid through program completion (no other card will be accepted)
- _____ Completion of the following classes with an overall grade point average of 2.5 with no grade less than a “C” for each course, and no more than one repetition of any of these courses, only if the first attempt is a C, D, F or FW:
 - _____ Human Anatomy (BIO 2700) or approved course
 - _____ Human Physiology (BIO 2800) or approved course
 - _____ Microbiology (BIO 2600) or approved course
 - _____ College Composition (ENGL 1001) or approved course
- _____ Completion of the following courses required for an Associate Degree Nursing (these classes must be completed prior to enrollment in NURS 1021)

- _____ Sociology (SOC 1001 or SOC 1002) or approved course
- _____ Psychology (PSY 1001 or PSY 1033) or approved course
- _____ Speech (COMS 1100, COMS 1200, or COMS 1300) or approved course
- _____ Mathematics – one AA degree general education course
- _____ Arts & Humanities – one IGETC Area 3 Arts & Humanities course
- _____ Diversity – enrollment and completion of ADN (LVN-RN Step-Up) program completes this requirement
- _____ PE/Wellness – enrollment and completion of ADN (LVN-RN Step-Up) program meets one (1) unit of this two-unit requirement
- _____ Reading (READ 0990 or score 90 or higher on the reading portion of the COMPASS assessment)

Required Program:

Units

Summer Semester

_____NURS 1021	Role Transition	3
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First Semester

_____NURS 1031	Community Mental Health Nursing	5.5
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_____NURS 1032	Intermediate Medical Surgical Nursing	6.5
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Second Semester

_____NURS 1541	Advanced Maternal Child Nursing	4.5
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_____NURS 1542	Advanced Medical Surgical Nursing	6.5
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For an Association Degree in Nursing, students must also complete the general education requirements specific to the nursing program. Please refer to the above list or make an appointment with a COS counselor or advisor for assistance in completing the general education requirements.

Note: Students must receive a “C” grade or better in all major or certificate coursework.

Completion of math, writing and reading assessments is required for enrollment in any certificate or AA/AS degree program. Please contact Counseling Services for more information: (530) 938-5353.