BSN CURRICULUM PLAN
STUDENTS ENTERING SUMMER 2015

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Students admitted to this plan must have completed 62 total transferable semester credits and the following prerequisites with a minimum grade of “C” in each course and a minimum prerequisite GPA of 3.00 as verified by official transcripts by May 1, 2015.

- One year of Chemistry with lab or one year of Biology with lab
- One year of Anatomy & Physiology with lab
- One course of Microbiology with lab
- One course of Nutrition
- One course of Lifespan Developmental Psychology
- One course of Statistics
- One year of College Writing
- One course of Computer Applications or attestation of computer proficiency.

CURRICULUM PLAN

Students entering Summer 2015 will take courses according to the following curriculum plan.

Summer 2015:
- NURS 305 Foundations of Community-based Nursing Practice, 4 credits.
- NURS 315 Professional Communication in Diverse Communities, 3 credits.
- NURS 320 Scholarship of Nursing, 3 credits.
- NURS 335 Integrated Experiential Learning I, 4 credits.
- Paracurriculum course if needed/desired, 1 credit.

(Completion of NURS 305, 315, 320, 335 and a 2.500 GPA required for progression to NURS 355, 365, 375, 395.)
Fall 2015:
- NURS 355 Nursing Care of Children, Adults, and Older Adults with Chronic Conditions, 3 credits.
- NURS 365 Clinical Pathophysiology and Pharmacology for Nursing Practice, 3 credits.
- NURS 375 Integrated Experiential Learning II, 5 credits.
- NURS 395 Mental Health and Illness Across the Lifespan, 3 credits.
- LC course or elective, 3 or 4 credits, if needed/desired.
- Paracurriculum course, 1 credit, if needed/desired.

(Completion of NURS 355, 365, 375, 395 and a 2.500 GPA required for progression to NURS 425, 435, 455.)

January 2016:
3-5 credits, optional.

Spring 2016:
- NURS 425 Transitions and Decisions: Pregnancy, Birth and End of Life Care, 3 credits.
- NURS 435 Integrated Experiential Learning, III, 6 credits.
- NURS 455 Nursing Care of Children, Adults and Older Adults with Acute Conditions, 4 semester credits.
- LC course or elective, 3 or 4 credits, if needed.
- Paracurriculum course, 1 credit, if needed/desired.

(Completion of NURS 425, 435, 455 and a 2.500 GPA required for progression to NURS 460, 470, 475.)

Summer 2016:
- NURS 460 Population-based Nursing in a Multicultural and Global Society, 3 credits.
- NURS 470 Leading and Managing in Nursing, 3 credits.
- NURS 475 Integrated Experiential Learning, 7 credits.
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS FOR SECOND DEGREE STUDENTS

Requirements for the Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree for those who already hold a previous bachelor degree:

- 35 additional semester credits in residence. This requirement will be met upon completion of the 54 hours of NURS courses.
- Cumulative and major GPA of 2.500.
- All major requirements (with no grade C- or below). NURS 305, 315, 320, 335, 355, 365, 375, 395, 425, 435, 455, 460, 470, 475. 54 semester credits. Prerequisite courses: BIOL 210, 211 or CHEM 210, 211; BIOL 212, 213; BIOL 275 or 361; HHPA 280; INQS 125; MATH 140; PSYC 155 (or their equivalent). Prerequisite competencies: COMP 120 or computer proficiency.

Second degree students are exempt from Linfield Curriculum (general education) and Paracurriculum requirements.

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