

## RN A.A.S. Degree

# Day Program Option - Admission is in the Fall Semester and Graduation is in June (4 clinical semesters)

## Curriculum Design

Pre-Requisite and General Education Requirements:

## A 3.0 G.P.A with a B- or higher in ENG 110, BIO 230, 240, 310, CHE 105, MATH120 is required for entry into the RN Program.

Only one course below minimum requirement is allowed to be repeated All other prerequisite courses must earn a grade of C or higher No Sciences older than 5 years will be accepted at the time of entry into NUR 216

(These courses must be taken PRIOR to the clinical sequence which is set to begin in the fall semester)

#### PRE~REQUISITES

| *ENG 110                                  | Expository Writing  | 3.0 credits   |
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| PSY 101                                   | General Psychology  | 3.0 credits   |
| *BIO 230                                  | Anatomy and Physiology I  | 4.0 credits   |
| *MAT 120                                  | Statistics  | 3.0 credits   |
| ENG 111<br>*BIO 240<br>PSY 110<br>SOC 101 | Literature and Composition<br>Anatomy and Physiology II<br>Life-Span Development of Behavior<br>Introduction to Sociology | <ul><li>3.0 credits</li><li>4.0 credits</li><li>3.0 credits</li><li>3.0 credits</li></ul> |
| HLT 215                                   | Nutrition   | 3.0 credits   |
| *BIO 310                                  | Microbiology  | 4.0 credits   |
| *CHE 105                                  | Chemistry for Allied Health Sciences  | 4.5 credits   |

Students are required to complete all pre-requisites prior to the start of the clinical nursing component. \* ENG 110, BIO 230, 240, 310, CHE 105 and MATH 120 requires a minimum grade of B- for admission to the RN Program. BIO 310 may be taken with NUR 216 but it is highly recommended it be completed before NUR 216.

The ATI TEAS Test is required for admission to the Nursing Program. Information and testing information is available at *atitesting.com* 

## Clinical Sequence:

| <b>FALL</b> |          |  |             |
|-------------|----------|--|-------------|
|             | NUR 216  | Fundamentals of Nursing                        | 6.0 credits |
|             | *BIO 310 | Microbiology                                   | 4.0 credits |
| SPRIN       | IG       |  |             |
|             | NUR 220  | Pharmacology                                   | 3.0 credits |
|             | NUR 227  | Nursing Care of the Childbearing Family I      | 3.0 credits |
|             | NUR 228  | Nursing Care of the Childbearing Family II     | 3.0 credits |
| FALL        |          |  |             |
|             | NUR 316  | Nursing Care of the Client with Mental Illness | 3.0 credits |
|             | NUR 317  | Nursing Care of the Adult I                    | 6.0 credits |
| SPRIN       | IG       |  |             |
|             | NUR 320  | Issues and Trends in Nursing Practice          | 3.0 credits |
|             | NUR 326  | Nursing Care of the Adult II                   | 7.0 credits |

### **CUNY-WIDE GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:**

♦ 2 Writing Intensive Courses are required for graduation. NUR 320 is a writing intensive course. It is recommended that the first writing intensive course be taken as a pre-requisite prior to obtaining entry into the nursing program.

## **Departmental Requirements:**

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- Students will **NOT** be considered if they fail TWO general education courses
- ♦ All students must have taken Chemistry 105, **NO EXCEPTIONS**
- Students must also take the ATI TEAS Test in order to qualify for entrance. Only when students have a passing score on their ATI TEAS Test can they be considered for admission to the nursing program.
- A student may have one opportunity to repeat ATI TEAS Test after the passage of one calendar year
- Students must achieve a GPA of **3.0 or higher** in order to **enter** the AAS RN Program with a B- in ENG 110, BIO 230, 240, 310 and CHE 105, MATH 120.
- ♦ A GPA of **NO LESS THAN 2.5** must be **maintained in order to progress** throughout the Nursing Program. Students who gain entry into the program and whose GPA drops below 2.5 will be dropped from their courses and will be advised to change their major to Liberal Arts.

SELECTION WILL BE MADE BASED ON GPA, ATI EXAM SCORES, AND OVERALL ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE.