

NORTHERN



AMENDED 2015-16 Catalog (Revised 1/2/16)

Associate Degree NURSING Curriculum

Students who pursue the Associate Degree in Nursing will receive an Associate of Applied Science in Nursing degree.

Associate of Applied Science (AAS) NURSING

GENERAL EDUCATION (24 CR)

Area I. Communications (3 or 6 cr)

Required: (3)

ENG 111 English Composition I (3)

An additional 3 credits must be taken either in Communications or Humanities and Fine Arts

Area II and III. Mathematics/Computers/Lab Science (12 cr)

Choose a minimum of 4 credits from the following:

Biology (4)

Chemistry (4)

Microbiology (4)

Required (8):

BIOL 237/L Human Anatomy & Physiology I with Lab (4)

BIOL 238/L Human Anatomy & Physiology II with Lab (4)

Area IV. Social/Behavioral (6 cr)

PYS 105 General Psychology (3)

PYS 290 Developmental Psychology (3)

Area V. Humanities and Fine Arts (0 or 3 cr)

3 credits of Humanities and Fine Arts may be taken in place of the additional 3 credits in Communications

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (44 CR)

NURS 106 Pharmacology (3)
NURS 113 Nursing Fundamentals (4)
NURS 113L Nursing Fundamentals Lab (2)
NURS 114L Health Assessment (2)
NURS 125 Medical/Surgical Nursing I (3)
NURS 125L Medical/Surgical Nursing I Clinical (3)
NURS 214 Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing (2)
NURS 214L Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing Clinical (1)
NURS 217 Maternal/Newborn Nursing (2)
NURS 217L Maternal/Newborn Nursing Clinical (1)
NURS 218 Pediatric Nursing (2)
NURS 218L Pediatric Nursing Clinical (1)
NURS 225 Medical/Surgical Nursing II (3)

NURS 225L Medical/Surgical Nursing II Clinical (3)
NURS 235 Medical/Surgical Nursing III (3)
NURS 235L Medical/Surgical Nursing III Clinical (3)
NURS 240 Role Transition/RN (2)
NURS 245 Pathophysiology (4)

TOTAL CREDITS: 68

SEQUENCE OF COURSES

YEAR I LEVEL I

Fall Semester (15 cr) Spring Semester (16 cr)

NURS 113/L (6)	NURS 125/L (6)
NURS 106 (3)	NURS 214/L (3)
NURS 114L (2)	NURS 245 (4)
BIOL 238/L (4)	PSY 290 (3)

YEAR II LEVEL II

Fall Semester (12 cr) Spring Semester (11 cr)

NURS 217/L (3)	NURS 235/L (6)
NURS 218/L (3)	NURS 240 (2)
NURS 225/L (6)	Humanities or Communications (3)

TOTAL CREDITS: 68