Nursing
86 credits
Bachelor of Science

Description:
Full-time program combining rigorous academics and extensive clinical experience qualifying students to take the RN licensure exam and preparing them for both clinical practice and continued professional development and graduate training.

Employment:
Staff Nursing
Community and public health
Independent practice
Government service
Telehealth
Nursing research
Education

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Science Courses
CHEM 0910- Chemistry for Health Professionals with Lab (4 crs)
BIOSC 0950/0951- Anatomy and Physiology 1 and Lab (4 crs)
BIOSC 0970/0971- Anatomy and Physiology 2 and Lab (4 crs)
BIOSC 0980/0981- Medical Microbiology and Lab (4 crs)

Humanities and Social Science Courses
ANTH 0780- Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (3 crs)
ENGCMP 0020- College Composition 2 (3 crs)*
COMMRC 0520- Public Speaking (3 crs)
PSY 0010- Introduction to Psychology (3 crs)
SOC 0010- Introduction to Sociology (3 crs)
World Perspective- one course in Literature or Arts (3 crs)
Directed Elective- one 3 credit course on global issues or foreign culture

*The nursing curriculum assumes that students are prepared to enter College Composition 2 and have demonstrated math proficiency at the level of College Algebra. Students will be expected to make up any deficiencies prior to their first semester in the nursing program. See an admissions counselor or academic advisor for details.

Nursing Courses
NUR 0001- First-Year Seminar for Nursing (0 crs)
NUR 0020- Pathophysiologic Foundations of Nursing Care (4 crs)
NUR 0051- Introduction to Professional Nursing (3 crs)
NUR 0066- Nutrition for Clinical Practice (3 crs)
NUR 0067- Nursing Research (3 crs)
NUR 0080/0080C**- Foundations of Nursing Practice 1 & Clinical (5 crs)
NUR 0081- Foundations of Nursing Practice 2 (2 crs)
NUR0082/0082C**- Nursing Management of Adults & Clinical (7 crs)
NUR 0086- Nursing Informatics (2 crs)
NUR 0087- Pharmacology and Therapeutics (3 crs)
NUR 0088- Statistics for Evidence Based Practice (3 crs)
NUR 1050/1050C**- Nursing Care of Mothers and Newborns & Clinical (5 crs)
NUR 1052/1052C**- Nursing Care of Children and Families & Clinical (5 crs)
NUR 1054/1054C**- Nursing Care of Older Adults & Clinical (3 crs)
NUR1060/1060C**- Nursing Care of Mental Health Problems & Clinical (5 crs)
NUR 1085- Ethics in Nursing and Health (3 crs)
NUR 1100- Senior Special Topics Elective (3 crs)
NUR 1120/1120C**- Advanced Nursing Management of Adults & Clinical (5 crs)
NUR 1121/1121C**- Advanced Clinical Problem Solving & Clinical (5 crs)
NUR 1128/1128C**- Community Health Nursing & Clinical (5 crs)
NUR 1134/1134C**- Transition to Professional Practice & Clinical (8 crs)
NUR 1680- Genetics and Molecular Therapeutics (3 crs)
NUR 1990- Senior Seminar (1 cr)

Baccalaureate Comprehensive Exam***

**Courses ending in C are required clinical experiences. Sophomores will spend one or two days per week in local hospitals. Juniors and seniors will have clinical practica two or three days per week.
***Successful completion of the Baccalaureate Comprehensive Exam is required for all students in the senior year.