



Nursing, Vocational Certificate

This program map represents one possible path for completing this program. **Please see a counselor** to create an educational plan that is customized to meet your needs. This path is not a guarantee of course availability or financial aid applicability.

Catalog: 2025-26

Total Units: 54-55

Nursing, Vocational Prerequisites - must be completed before applying to the LVN program

Semester 1 - Prerequisites Courses 18-19 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT
PreReq	AH 311	Medical Language for Health-Care Providers	3
PreReq	BIOL 100*	Introduction to Concepts of Human Anatomy and Physiology	3
PreReq	PSYC 370 / EDUC 300	Human Development: A Life Span	3
PreReq	NUTRI 300 / 480 ^H	Nutrition	3
PreReq	PSYC C1000 / 480 ^H	Introduction to Psychology	3
PreReq	ENGL C1000 / ENGWR 488 / ESLW 340	Academic Reading and Writing	3-4

*BIOL 100 or both BIOL 430+ & BIOL 431+

The Biology courses listed above have prerequisites. See a counselor.

+ Prerequisite for BIOL 430: CHEM 305, 309, or 400 with a grade of "C" or better

+ Prerequisite for BIOL 431: CHEM 305 or CHEM 309 or CHEM 400 and BIOL 430 or the equivalent with grades of "C" or better

First Year

Semester 2 12 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT
Maj	VN 120*	Meeting Adult Basic Health Needs	12

+ Prerequisite for VN 120: Admission to the LVN program

Legend

- (H) - Honors
- Elec - Elective
- GE - General Education
- Maj - Required Core
- ME - Major Elective

Disclaimer

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PLEASE SEE AN SCC COUNSELOR.

Enrollment Eligibility

*To be eligible for enrollment in the program, students must have 12 grade or equivalent as granted by the California State Department of Education.

*To enroll in this Program, students must meet the following criteria: BIOL 100 or BIOL 430 and 431 with a grade of "B" or better.

Semester 3

12 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT
Maj	VN 130 ⁺	Meeting Health Needs of All Age Groups	12

+ Prerequisite for VN 130: VN 120 with a grade of "C" or better

Second Year

Semester 4

12 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT
Maj	VN 140 ⁺	Meeting Complex Adult Health Needs	12

+ Prerequisite for VN 140: VN 130 with a grade of "C" or better

*To enroll in this program, students must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 in the following courses, passing each course with a "C" or better: AH 311; EDUC 300 or PSYC 370; NUTRI 300 or 480; ENGL C1000, ESLW 340, or ENGWR 488; and PSYC 300 or 480.

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