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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:

- Hospitals
- Extended care facilities
- Physician's office
- Clinics
- Private duty
- Home health agencies
- Business and industry

IT'S A FACT:
Nearly 70% of Washington State students receive financial aid.

The Associate Degree Nursing program is fully approved by the Ohio Board of Nursing, and provides an excellent foundation for a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing (B.S.N.).

Washington State Community College also offers courses that may transfer to BSN programs.

Associate Degree Nursing

Traditional

THE PROGRAM:

The Associate of Applied Science degree (AAS) in Nursing provides classroom and clinical experiences to prepare graduates to become exemplary members of the health care team. Graduates of the Associate Degree Nursing program are eligible to take the National Council Licensure Exam for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN). Registered Nurses provide ongoing patient care and support, promote healthy lifestyles, and coordinate all aspects of patient care in acute and long-term care facilities, as well as other community settings.

Admission to the ADN program is a selective process; students accepted for college admission must complete an additional program application for consideration. The curriculum includes general education, natural sciences, and nursing courses. If the student chooses, non-nursing courses may be completed before beginning the nursing curriculum. All nursing courses must be completed in sequence within three years of the start of the program. If the sequence is interrupted, the student may apply for readmission to the program (See *Student Handbook*). A grade of "C" or better is required in all support courses; a grade of "B" or better is required in all ADN courses.

The Associate Degree Nursing program offers both educational and career mobility. In addition to a broad range of employment opportunities, graduates may choose to advance their nursing education through baccalaureate (BSN) or advanced practice (MSN) programs.

CAREER SKILLS:

In addition to knowledge gained in nursing courses, graduates of the Associate Degree Nursing program gain valuable career skills for the health care environment. The graduate will demonstrate competence, caring, and critical thinking skills in providing safe, effective nursing care. The graduate will also demonstrate personal behaviors consistent with professional and employer expectations for the Registered Nurse.

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ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING

NUMBER#		COURSE TITLE		CR. HRS.
Developmental courses must be completed (Non-Degree Credit)				
Academic prerequisites completed w/grade of "C" or higher:				
*BIOL	0955	Basic Biology		3
*BIOL	095L	Basic Biology Lab		1
*CHEM	0955	Basic Chemistry		3
*CHEM	095L	Basic Chemistry Lab		1
*MATH	2110	Principles of Statistics	***OR/***	4
		College Level Math		
TRANSFER MODULE COURSES				
COMMUNICATION SKILLS (6 Credits)				
ENGL	1510	English Composition I (All)		3
PSYC	2700	Developmental Psychology		3
NATURAL SCIENCES (11 Credits)				
BIOL	1510	Intro to Nutrition		3
BIOL	2310	Human Anatomy & Phys I (All)		3
BIOL	231L	Human Anatomy & Phys I Lab		1
BIOL	2320	Human Anatomy & Phys II (All)		3
BIOL	232L	Human Anatomy & Phys II Lab		1
SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (3 Credits)				
PSYC	1010	General Psychology. (All)		3
MATH (3 CREDITS)				
MATH	2110	Principles of Statistics	***OR/***	3
MATH	2130	College Algebra		4
NON-TECHNICAL SUPPORT COURSES (7 Credits)				
NADN	1100	Intro to Nursing		1
NADN	1110	Foundations of Med/Surg Nsg		4
NADN	1115	Foundations of Clin. Nsg Practice		2
MAJOR CONCENTRATION (34 Credits)				
NADN	2120	App NP Across the Lifespan		8
NADN	2150	NP in Pharmacology		3
NADN	2240	App NP – Patterns Emot. Distress		3
NADN	2320	App NP – Maternal/Newborn Cl.		3.5
NADN	2330	App NP – Pediatric Clients		3.5
NADN	2350	App NP – Complex Clients		7
NADN	2400	App NP – Groups of Clients		5
RECOMMENDED ELECTIVES				
HLTH	1420	Intro to Human Disease	***OR/***	3
BIOL	2010	Basic Microbiology		2
BIOL	201L	Basic Microbiology Lab		1
BIOL	2450	Pathophysiology		3
CHEM	1210	Principles of Chemistry		3
CHEM	121L	Principles of Chemistry Lab		1
ENGL	1520	English Comp II		3
HLTH	1810	Medical Terminology I		2
HLTH	1820	Medical Terminology II		2
SOCI	1010	Sociology		3

*** Required for traditional students prior to program entry**

- **Admission to the Associate Degree Nursing Program is awarded on a *selective basis*,** with preference given to the most qualified candidates.
- Students must complete all requirements listed in the admissions packet and submit them prior to the deadline outlined in the packet.
- **General admission into the college does not grant admission into the program, but General admission into the college is required for program admission.**

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS:

1. Complete application for admission to Washington State Community College.
2. Must be a high school graduate or possess a GED certificate.
3. Submit an official high school transcript or GED Certificate, and official transcripts from any college(s) attended.
4. Complete application form for the Associate Degree Nursing Program w/ admission essay by stated deadline.
5. Take the required college placement test: **ACCUPLACER** and submit scores (complete all deficits). **ACCUPLACER** not needed for students who have completed ***pre-requisite* English and Math courses**. ACT scores within past 2 years ***may be used instead*** of ACCUPLACER for placement purposes.
6. Submit **ACT** or **SAT** scores, or submit **TEAS** Entrance Exam scores (ACT of 20 or higher required; or SAT of 1050 or higher on verbal & math components; TEAS Exam score of proficient or higher), ACT/SAT/TEAS not required for applicants with a Bachelor's degree.
7. Provide **three (3) *non-family*** references.
8. Complete Essential Skills Form, Confidentiality Agreement, and the Nursing Selection Committee Release Form.
9. Complete **BIOL 0955 & BIOL 095L** (or equivalent) with a grade of "C" or above.
10. Complete **CHEM 0955 & CHEM 095L** (or equivalent) with a "C" or above prior to entry into the program.
11. **MATH: College Placement** by **ACT** or **Accuplacer – OR – MATH 2110 Principles of Statistics – OR – College Level Math with a "C" or above prio to entry into the program**
12. Complete **all academic prerequisite** with a "C" or above prior to entry into the program
13. **GPA of 2.5 or higher** when applying, and upon program entry.

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ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE: ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING – Traditional

STUDENT: _____ DATE ENROLLED: _____

NUMBER #	COURSE TITLE	CR. HRS.	COMMENTS	SEM.	GRADE
Developmental courses must be completed (Non-Degree Credit)					
Academic prerequisites completed to enter program					
*BIOL 0955	Basic Biology	3		____	____
*BIOL 095L	Basic Biology Lab	1		____	____
*CHEM 0955	Basic Chemistry	3		____	____
*CHEM 095L	Basic Chemistry Lab	1		____	____
*MATH 2110	Principles of Statistics ***OR/*** College Level Math	4	*(or test college-ready)*	____	____
TRANSFER MODULES COURSES					
ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATION SKILLS (6 Credits)					
ENGL 1510	English Composition 1	3	PRQ: Placement	____	____
PSYC 2700	Developmental Psychology	3	PRQ: PSYC 1010	____	____
NATURAL SCIENCES (11 Credits)					
BIOL 1510	Intro to Nutrition	3	PRQ:	____	____
BIOL 2310	Human Anatomy & Phys I	3	PRQ: HS BIOL ***or*** BIOL 1010 & CHEM 1210	____	____
BIOL 231L	Human Anatomy & Phys I Lab	1		____	____
BIOL 2320	Human Anatomy & Phys II	3	PRQ: BIOL 2310 & BIOL 231L	____	____
BIOL 232L	Human Anatomy & Phys II Lab	1		____	____
SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (3 Credits)					
PSYC 1010	General Psychology	3	PRQ: ENGL 0900/Placement	____	____
MATH (4 CREDITS)					
MATH 2110	Principles of Statistics ***OR/***	4	PRQ: Placement	____	____
MATH 2130	College Algebra	4	PRQ: Placement	____	____
NON-TECHNICAL SUPPORT COURSES (7 Credits)					
NADN 1100	Intro to Nursing	1	PRQ: Adm to A.D.N.	____	____
NADN 1110	Foundations of Med/Surg Nsg	4	PRQ: Adm to A.D.N.	____	____
NADN 1115	Foundations of Clin. Nsg Practice	2	PRQ: Adm to A.D.N.	____	____
MAJOR CONCENTRATION (34 Credits)					
NADN 2120	App NP Across the Lifespan	8	PRQ:	____	____
NADN 2150	N P in Pharmacology	3	PRQ:	____	____
NADN 2240	App NP Patterns Emo. Distress	3	PRQ:	____	____
NADN 2320	App NP Maternal/Newborn Cl.	3.5	PRQ:	____	____
NADN 2330	App NP Pediatric Clients	3.5	PRQ:	____	____
NADN 2350	App NP Complex Clients	7	PRQ:	____	____
NADN 2400	App NP Groups of Clients	5	PRQ:	____	____
RECOMMENDED ELECTIVES					
HLTH 1420	Intro to Human Disease ***OR/***	3	PRQ:	____	____
BIOL 2010	Basic Microbiology	2	PRQ:	____	____
BIOL 201L	Basic Microbiology Lab	1	PRQ:	____	____
BIOL 2450	Pathophysiology	3	PRQ: BIOL 2320 & BIOL 232L	____	____
CHEM 1210	Principles of Chemistry	3	PRQ	____	____
CHEM 121L	Principles of Chemistry Lab	1	PRQ:	____	____
ENGL 1520	English Comp II	3	PRQ: ENGL 1510	____	____
HLTH 1810	Medical Terminology I	2	PRQ:	____	____
HLTH 1820	Medical Terminology II	2	PRQ: HLTH 1810	____	____
SOCI 1010	Sociology	3	PRQ:	____	____

Total Credits for AAS Degree (64)

***PREREQUISITE: "C" or greater for final admission to program**

A grade of "C" or above is required in all support courses; a grade of "B" or above is required in all ADN courses.

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SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING
Traditional

Program Prerequisite: BIOL 0955 Basic Biology
BIOL 095L Basic Biology Lab
CHEM 0955 Basic Chemistry
CHEM 095L Basic Chemistry Lab
MATH 2110 Principles of Statistics (or test college-ready) (or College Level Math)

FALL SEMESTER 1

BIOL 2310 HUMAN ANATOMY & PHYS I (3) 3-0
BIOL 231L HUMAN ANATOMY & PHYS I LAB (1) 0-2
ENGL 1510 ENGLISH COMPOSITION I (3) 2-2
NADN 1100 INTRO TO NURSING (1) 1-0-0
NADN 1110 FOUNDATIONS OF MED/SURG NURSING (4) 4-0-0
NADN 1115 FOUNDATIONS OF CLINICAL NP (2) 0-6-0
PSYC 1010 GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY (3) 3-0

SPRING SEMESTER II

BIOL 2320 HUMAN ANATOMY & PHYS II (3) 3-0
BIOL 232L HUMAN ANATOMY & PHYS II LAB (1) 0-2
NADN 2120 APP NP ACROSS THE LIFESPAN (8) 4-1.5-10.5
NADN 2150 NP IN PHARMACOLOGY (3) 3-0-0
PSYC 2700 DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY (3) 3-0

SUMMER SEMESTER III

NADN 2240 APP NP PATTERNS OF EMO. DISTRESS (3) 3-0-0
NADN 2320 APP NP MAT-NEWBORN CLIENTS (3.5) 2.5-0.5-2.5

FALL SEMESTER IV

BIOL 1510 INTRO TO NUTRITION (3) 3-0
MATH 2130 COLLEGE ALGEBRA ***OR/*** (4) 4-0
MATH 2110 PRINCIPLES OF STATISTICS (4) 4-0
NADN 2350 APP NP COMPLEX CLIENTS (7) 3-3-9

SPRING SEMESTER V

NADN 2330 APP NP PEDIATRIC CLIENTS (3.5) 2.5-0.5-2.5
NADN 2400 APP NP GROUPS OF CLIENTS (5) 2-1-8

NADN course credits are listed: *Lecture, Lab, Clinical*
Prerequisites are required for some courses. Evening courses may be required to complete this program.