TRADITIONAL VOCATIONAL NURSING CERTIFICATE

Prior to enrollment in the VN programs, students must show proof of High School Graduation or GED Completion (foreign transcripts must be evaluated for US equivalency) and student must be at least 17 years of age.

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION TO TRADITIONAL VN PROGRAM

♦ Prerequisites or co requisite required.

(Course#	Code	Course Titles	Units
	ENG �	100 or 101	Reading and Composition	3-4
	MATH �	95	Pre-College Algebra	5

CORE NURSING COURSES REQUIRED FOR TRADITIONAL VN PRIOR TO ADMISSION

Course#	Code	Course Titles	Units		
NUR ♦	100	¹Certified Nursing Assistant – Lecture	3		
NUR ♦	118	¹Certified Nursing Assistant – Clinical	3		
NUR	102	Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology for Allied Health	3		
		- OR -			
BIO ◊	210	² Human Anatomy	4		
	- AND -				
BIO ♦	211	² Human Physiology	5		
NSC	128	Medical Terminology	3		
PSY	201	Human Growth and Development	3		
KAPLAN		KAPLAN Assessment	0		
	•	² Strongly recommended for students continuing on to RN			

General Requirement—Mandatory meeting with vocational counselor for education plan and interview/questionnaire.

♦ Prerequisites or co requisite required

Cumulative GPA 2.5 required for following classes: English (101 or above), Math (95 or above)
CNA (NUR 100 & 118), Anatomy & Physiology (BIO 210, 211 or NUR 102), Human Growth and Development (PSY 201),
and Medical Terminology (NSC 128) or equivalent courses from accredited school.

CORE TRADITIONAL VN COURSES REQUIRED FOR CERTIFICATE

Course#	Code	Course Titles	Units
NUR ◊	103	Introduction to Pharmacology I	1.25
NUR ♦	117	Nutrition	1.5
NUR ♦	120	Fundamentals of Nursing – Lecture	10
NUR ♦	121	Fundamentals of Nursing – Clinical	5
NUR ❖	106	Pharmacology II	2.0
NUR �	109	Medical-Surgical Nursing I - Lecture	10
NUR �	124	Medical - Surgical Nursing I - Clinical	5
NUR ❖	112	Medical-Surgical Nursing II—Lecture	7.5
NUR �	127	Medical-Surgical Nursing II – Clinical	7.5
		TOTAL	49.75

¹ Or equivalent, such as current California CNA License or equivalent course hours from an accredited school.

² Strongly recommended for students continuing to RN program

^{***}All Anatomy and Physiology courses must have been taken within last 5 years.