

Genesee Community College

Nursing Program

LPN-RN Advance Placement Program

The New York State Coalition LPN to RN Articulation Model establishes a mechanism for the practical nurse to achieve educational mobility by facilitating advanced placement into a registered nurse program. The model uses the statewide PN to RN Transition Course to validate prior learning, and to update and enhance the student's knowledge. **Licensed practical nurses can be admitted into the second year of the program following successful completion of the New York State PN to RN transition course (NUR 130) and Introduction to Associate Degree Nursing (NUR 131).** In addition, LPNs are required to meet all admission requirements and prerequisites for the program.

Suggested First Semester	Credits	Suggested Second Semester	Credits
ENG 101 (By Placement)	3	ENG 102	3
BIO 122	3	PSY101	3
BIO 152	4	BIO 153	4
NUR 110	7	NUR 120	9
Total	17	Total	19
Suggested Third Semester	Credits	Suggested Fourth Semester	Credits
BIO 201	4	NUR 220	8
NUR 210	8	NUR 225	2
NUR 215	2	NUR 250	5
PSY 203	3	SOC 101	3
Total	17	Total	18

Requirements:

- The applicant must hold, or be eligible to hold, a current LPN registration in the United States or its jurisdictions.
- CHE 100 (Environmental Chemistry) with a grade of 'C' or higher or completion of the New York State High School Regents Chemistry Exam with a grade of 75 or higher.
- BIO 104 (Fundamentals of Biology) with a grade of 'C' or higher as a prerequisite for BIO 152.
- The GCC Proficiency for Reading and Math must be met and the student must place in ENG 101 or higher. MAT 092 requirement may be waived, dependent on proficiency exam results. The required Genesee Community College proficiency exams may be scheduled by calling (585) 343-0055, Ext. 6354.
- **The applicant must have completed the following required courses prior to entering the Nursing Program.** Courses available at Genesee Community College that satisfy these requirements are:
 - ❖ BIO 152 (105) (Anatomy & Physiology 1)
 - ❖ BIO 153 (106) (Anatomy and Physiology 2)
 - ❖ ENG 101 (English Communications 1)
 - ❖ ENG 102 (English Communications 2)
 - ❖ MAT 092 (Algebra 1) if necessary
 - ❖ PSY 101 (General Psychology)

Additional required courses that may be taken prior to entrance in the Nursing Program, or taken when admitted to the Nursing Program:

- ❖ SOC 101 (Introductory Sociology)
- ❖ BIO 201 (Microbiology and Human Disease)

The following required courses are taken concurrently with Nursing courses, as noted:

- ❖ PSY 203 (Developmental Psychology Across the Lifespan) taken concurrently with NUR 210
 - ❖ NUR 215 (Perspectives in Nursing) taken concurrently with NUR 210
 - ❖ NUR 225 (Nursing Management) taken concurrently with NUR 220, NUR 250
- All Science courses (with the exception of BIO 104 and CHEM 100) must be completed within 5 years of acceptance to the Nursing Program. If a student fails a science course twice, the student is ineligible for admission to the Nursing Program.
 - A cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher is required.
 - Completion of required support courses with a grade of 'C' or higher.
 - Successful completion of NUR 130, NYS PN-RN Transition course. Instructor signature required for registration.
 - Successful completion of NUR 131, Introduction to Associate Degree Nursing. Instructor signature required for registration.

Genesee Community College guarantees acceptance into the College to any applicant who can benefit from an educational program. However, admission into the Nursing Program is selective and competitive.

- All interested applicants must attend a mandatory Advisement/Information session at Genesee Community College. A session is held every month. Reservations can be made by calling the Nursing Program at 585-343-0055, ext. 6355.
- All interested candidates must meet with Academic Advisement to complete the application process. An appointment can be made by calling 585-343-0055, ext. 6262.
- To be considered for admission, the applicant must submit all application materials by the following deadlines:
 - ❖ Fall admission – Application deadline: January 15
 - ❖ Spring admission – Application deadline: July 1

Written notification of acceptance will be made by the Admissions Office. Accepted applicants are required to confirm their intention to enter into the Nursing Program by returning the Enrollment Confirmation form to the Director of the Nursing Program by the deadline noted on the form.

If not accepted to the Nursing Program, the applicant must re-apply by the appropriate application deadline. Under no circumstances is readmission to the program guaranteed.

Accepted applicants must attend an orientation session with the Director of the Nursing Program before they will be permitted to register for classes. Accepted applicants will be notified of dates and times of these sessions. Failure to attend the orientation session will result in forfeiture of the position in the Nursing Program.