

AS: Nursing (MANE Curriculum) 2014 - 2015

The North Hennepin Community College Associate Degree Nursing Program is designed to educate students who are prepared to begin professional nursing careers as competent, caring members of today's healthcare team. The NHCC program is a partner in the Minnesota Alliance for Nursing Education (MANE). Coursework includes nursing theory focusing on holistic assessment, therapeutic nursing interventions including communication, levels of prevention, critical thinking, collaboration and leadership/management concepts. Clinical application occurs in a variety of settings including: acute, sub-acute and long-term care facilities, community clinics, schools and home health settings. Safe, caring, competent nursing care across the lifespan and along the wellness continuum is fostered.

All students admitted to the 2014-2015 program will be dually enrolled in North Hennepin Community College and Metropolitan State University. Upon the completion of five semesters, graduates are awarded an Associate in Science degree in Nursing and are eligible to apply to take the NCLEX-RN® exam and meet the Minnesota State Board of Nursing requirements for licensure. NHCC nursing graduates can seamlessly continue for an additional three semesters with an upper division full-partner school in the Minnesota Alliance for Nursing Education (MANE) to complete their Bachelor of Science in Nursing. The Mobility Nursing Track is offered to qualified licensed practical nurses (LPNs). Mobility track students who enter in the spring of 2015 or later are granted 5 credits of advanced standing and will participate in a transition course to assist in the change of role to professional nurse.

Admission into the nursing program requires a separate special application and entrance exam. The selection process is highly competitive. The college may not be able to accept all applicants that meet the minimum standards.

Take a look at the Nursing Application and Details link on the right-hand side of the nursing website for information about the requirements and prerequisites to apply.

[The Associate of Science in Nursing is designed to align with the Metropolitan State university B.S.N. in Nursing degree.](#)

Sequences and Prerequisites

Courses are planned to build upon previous course work. Therefore, the following sequence of courses is required; however, it is recommended that a student pursue the general education and supporting science courses first. Note: High school chemistry and algebra are recommended prior to Biology 1001.

- Humanities/Fine Arts Elective (Goal 6) is taken in the first semester of the MANE Curriculum Plan
- Biology 1001 is taken in the first semester of the MANE Curriculum Plan
- Psychology 1160 is taken in the first semester of the MANE Curriculum Plan
- English 1201 is taken in the first semester of the MANE Curriculum Plan
- Communications 1110 is taken prior to Nursing 2700
- Biology 2111 is taken prior to Nursing 2700
- Biology 2112 is taken prior to Nursing 2800
- Biology 2100 is taken prior to Nursing 2700 and Nursing 2800
- Psychology 1250 is taken prior to Nursing 2700
- Sociology 1110 is taken concurrently or prior to Nursing 2800
- Philosophy 1020/Philosophy 1220 is taken prior to or concurrently to Nursing 2900

Nursing courses are taken in sequence

- Nursing 2750 is taken concurrently with Nursing 2700
- Nursing 2820 is taken concurrently with Nursing 2800
- Nursing 2850 is taken concurrently with Nursing 2800
- Nursing 2920 is taken concurrently with Nursing 2900
- Nursing 2950 is taken concurrently with Nursing 2900

Progression and Graduation Requirements

- Each nursing course must be completed with a C or better for progression to the next nursing course
- A 2.75 cumulative grade point average in the General Education courses required for admission into the program must be maintained. Additionally, a 2.75 grade point average in all general education courses required in the nursing curriculum must be maintained.
- To graduate, students must earn a minimum of 75 credits of the nursing curriculum.

General Education Courses: Pre-Admission

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Goal Area	Comments/Substitution
BIOL1001	Biology I (minimum grade 2.0)	4		
ENGL1201	College Writing I (minimum grade 2.0)	4		
PSYC1150 or PSYC1160 - 1 course: (minimum grade 2.0)				
PSYC1150	General Psychology (minimum grade 2.0) <i>or</i>	3		
PSYC1160	Introduction to Psychology (minimum grade 2.0)	4		
The Humanities and Fine Arts (Goal Area 6) - 3 credits¹ (minimum grade 2.0)				
2.75 Minimum for all Pre-Admission Courses				

General Education Courses

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Goal Area	Comments/Substitution
BIOL 2100	Microbiology	4		

BIOL2100	Microbiology	4		
BIOL2111	Human Anatomy and Physiology I (minimum grade 1.67)	4		
BIOL2112	Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4		
COMM1110	Principles of Interpersonal Communication	3		
PSYC1250	Life Span Developmental Psychology	4		
SOC1110	Introduction to Sociology	3		
PHIL1020 or PHIL1220 - 1 course:				
PHIL1020	Ethics <i>or</i>	3		
PHIL1220	Health Care Ethics	3		

Program Courses

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Goal Area	Comments/Substitution
NURS2700	Foundations of Nursing - Health Promotion	9		
NURS2750	Nutrition and the Role of the Professional Nurse	2		
NURS2800	Chronic and Palliative Care	7		
NURS2820	Pharmacology and the Role of the Professional Nurse	3		
NURS2850	Applied Pathophysiology for Nursing I	2		
NURS2900	Acute and Complex Care	7		
NURS2920	Applied Pathophysiology for Nursing II	2		
NURS2950	Nursing Leadership I	3		

NHCC Residency and GPA

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Goal Area	Comments/Substitution
15 Credits must be earned at NHCC:				
2.00 overall GPA for NHCC courses				

Subtotal

Degree Requirements

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Goal Area	Comments/Substitution
75 Credits total at college level²				

Subtotal 0

Total Credit Required 75

Degree Requirements

- 2.75 Minimum for all Pre-Admission Courses
- 2.00 overall GPA for NHCC courses

Program Accreditation

The nursing program is accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN), 3343 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 850, Atlanta, GA 30326, (404)975-5000, and approved by the Minnesota Board of Nursing.

Transfer Information

If you are planning on transferring to another institution, follow the guidelines available on our transfer resources web page to help you plan the process: [Transfer Information](#)

Degree Information

The Associate of Science (A.S.) degree is intended for students whose primary goal is to complete the credentials for a specific career and/or prepare for transfer to complete a bachelor's degree at a college or university with whom North Hennepin Community College has an articulation agreement. The A.S. degree provides a balance of general education courses and the required scientific, professional or technical courses in the degree program.

A student shall:

- Earn a minimum of 60 semester credits as required in the program, with a grade point average of 2.00 (C) or above in

courses taken at North Hennepin Community College. Specific programs may have additional requirements or a higher minimum grade point average.

- Earn a minimum of 20 semester credits at North Hennepin Community College. A student must complete at least 50% of career specific courses at North Hennepin Community College.
- Earn 30 credits in at least 6 Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC) goal areas.
- Earn 30 professional/technical credits.
- Have four years to complete the graduation requirements as published in the catalog in effect at the time of their initial enrollment. Students taking more than four years to complete their graduation requirements may follow any catalog published during the four-year period preceding their graduation.

Completion of an A.S. degree fulfills the Goal Area 2 requirement of the Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC).

Developmental Courses

Some students may need preparatory course(s) in Math and/or English. Courses numbered below 1000 will not apply toward a degree.

Equal Opportunity Employer and Disability Access Information

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Accreditation

North Hennepin Community College is accredited by the:
Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools
30 N. LaSalle Street, Suite 2400

Chicago, IL 60602-2504
1-800-621-7440

Career Opportunities

Information on careers, including salary and employment outlook data, is available on the [iseek](http://www.iseek.org) and Bureau of Labor Statistics websites: www.iseek.org and www.bls.gov.

1. The Humanities and Fine Arts (Goal Area 6) - 3 credits: AMST1010(3), AMST1020(3), AMST2210(3), AMST2220(3), ARBC1030(3), ART1040(3), ART1101(3), ART1102(3), ART1140(3), ART1160(3), ART1170(3), ART1270(3), ART1301(3), ART1302(3), ART1310(3), ART1311(3), ART1312(3), ART1320(3), ART1330(3), ART1340(3), ART1341(3), ART1342(3), ART1361(3), ART1362(3), ART1401(3), ART1402(3), ART1500(3), ART1510(3), ART1651(3), ART1652(3), ART1770(3), ART1810(1), ART1820(2), ART1851(3), ART1852(3), ART2180(3), ART2190(3), ART2300(2), ART2400(3), ART2611(3), ART2612(3), ART2613(3), ART2640(3), ART2641(3), ART2642(3), ART2700(1), ART2740(1), ART2741(1), ART2742(1), ART2750(1), ART2780(1), ART2781(1), ART2782(1), ART2800(1), ART2820(1), ART2850(1), ART2860(1), ART2900(1), ART2970(1), ENGL1150(3), ENGL1250(2), ENGL1400(3), ENGL1450(3), ENGL1900(3), ENGL1910(3), ENGL1920(3), ENGL1930(3), ENGL1950(3), ENGL2010(3), ENGL2020(3), ENGL2030(3), ENGL2270(3), ENGL2300(3), ENGL2310(3), ENGL2320(3), ENGL2330(3), ENGL2340(3), ENGL2350(3), ENGL2360(3), ENGL2370(3), ENGL2380(3), ENGL2390(3), ENGL2450(3), ENGL2460(3), ENGL2550(3), ENGL2560(3), ENGL2580(3), ENGL2590(3), ENGL2900(3), ENGL2950(3), GCST1030(3), GERM1030(3), GERM2201(4), GERM2202(4), HIST1110(3), HIST1120(3), HUM1100(3), HUM1200(3), HUM1210(3), HUM1220(3), HUM1300(3), INTD1030(3), MUSC1130(1), MUSC1160(1), MUSC1170(1), MUSC1180(1), MUSC1200(3), MUSC1220(3), MUSC1241(3), MUSC1242(3), MUSC1300(3), MUSC1320(1), MUSC1350(3), MUSC1500(2), MUSC1501(2), MUSC1502(2), MUSC1510(1), MUSC1560(1), MUSC1600(2), MUSC1610(1), MUSC1800(2), MUSC1801(2), MUSC1802(2), MUSC1810(1), MUSC1830(1), MUSC1840(1), MUSC1850(1), MUSC1860(1), MUSC1870(1), MUSC2010(2), MUSC2170(3), MUSC2180(3), MUSC2241(3), MUSC2242(3), MUSC2970(1), PHIL1010(3), PHIL1030(3), PHIL1040(3), PHIL1060(3), PHIL1220(3), SPAN1030(3), SPAN2201(5), SPAN2202(5), TFT1200(3), TFT1210(3), TFT1250(3), TFT1260(3), TFT1270(3), TFT1280(3), TFT1310(3), TFT1320(3), TFT1350(3), TFT1500(3), TFT1510(3), TFT1520(3), TFT1531(3), TFT1532(3), TFT1540(3), TFT1600(1), TFT1610(1), TFT1700(1), TFT2010(3), TFT2500(3), TFT2950(1), WOST0101(4), WOST0999(3), WOST1110(3)
2. 75 Credits total at college level: ACCT1000(4), ACCT1990(1), ACCT2111(4), ACCT2112(4), ACCT2230(3), ACCT2250(2), ACCT2260(2), ACCT2300(4), ADEV0940(1), ADEV0950(3), ADEV0951(4), ADEV0952(3), ADEV0961(2), ADEV0962(2), ADEV0963(2), ADEV0964(2), ADEV1950(3), ADEV1990(1), ANTH1010(3), ANTH1020(3), ANTH1130(3), ANTH1140(3), ANTH1990(1), ARBC1030(3), ARBC1101(4), ARBC1102(4), ARBC1990(3), ARBC2201(4), ART1040(3), ART1100(2), ART1101(3), ART1102(3), ART1160(3), ART1170(3), ART1270(3), ART1301(3), ART1302(3), ART1310(3), ART1320(3), ART1340(3), ART1361(3), ART1362(3), ART1401(3), ART1402(3), ART1701(1), ART1702(1), ART1703(1), ART1704(1), ART1705(1), ART1706(1), ART1707(1), ART1708(1), ART1709(1), ART1710(1), ART1750(1), ART1770(3), ART1810(1), ART1820(2), ART1970(2), ART1980(1), ART1990(3), ART2180(3), ART2190(3), ART2300(2), ART2540(3), ART2550(3), ART2561(3), ART2562(3), ART2590(3), ART2601(3), ART2602(3), ART2611(3), ART2612(3), ART2640(3), ART2642(3), ART2740(1), ART2750(1), ART2781(1), ART2782(1), ART2800(1), ART2810(2), ART2820(1), ART2860(1), ART2870(1), ART2900(1), ART2901(3), ART2902(3), ART2970(1), ASL1101(4), ASL1102(4), ASL1300(3), ASL1400(3), ASL1990(1), ASL2201(4), ASL2202(4), BIOL1000(4), BIOL1001(4), BIOL1030(4), BIOL1040(4), BIOL1100(2), BIOL1101(4), BIOL1102(4), BIOL1120(3), BIOL1130(4), BIOL1140(4), BIOL1160(4), BIOL1200(4), BIOL1230(1), BIOL1231(1), BIOL1300(1), BIOL1350(3), BIOL1360(4), BIOL1600(1), BIOL1610(1), BIOL1650(1), BIOL1990(1), BIOL2020(4), BIOL2030(4), BIOL2100(4), BIOL2111(4), BIOL2112(4), BIOL2360(4), BIOL2610(4), BIT1050(3), BIT1100(2), BIT1150(4), BIT1210(2), BIT1250(4), BIT1300(2), BIT1305(2), BIT1310(2), BIT1410(4), BIT1420(2), BIT1600(2), BIT1700(3), BIT1800(2), BIT1805(2), BIT1810(2), BIT1900(3), BIT2000(3), BIT2020(2), BIT2300(2), BIT2400(2), BIT2500(2), BIT2600(2), BIT2650(2), BUS1100(3), BUS1110(3), BUS1210(3).

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