



Centra College ADN Program 2024-2025

ASSOCIATE DEGREE IN NURSING CURRICULUM PLAN	THEORY HOURS 15 HRS/CR	LAB HOURS 30 HRS/CR	DIRECT PATIENT CARE CLINICAL HOURS	SIMULATION CLINICAL HOURS	TOTAL CLINICAL HOURS* 45 HRS/CR	TOTAL HOURS	TOTAL CREDITS
Prerequisites¹							
HLT 230: Principles of Nutrition	45	0	0	0	0	45	3
BIO 141: Human Anatomy & Physiology I	45	30	0	0	0	75	4
PSY 230: Developmental Psychology	45	0	0	0	0	45	3
HLT 143: Medical Terminology	45	0	0	0	0	45	3
SDV 101: Orientation to Healthcare Professions	15	0	0	0	0	15	1
Total for Prerequisites Courses	195	30	0			225	14
First Semester							
BIO 142: Human Anatomy & Physiology II ^{1 2}	45	30	0	0	0	75	4
NUR 150: Introduction to Nursing Concepts	45	30	81	9	90	165	6
NUR 165: Health Promotion and Assessment	30	30	0	0	0	60	3
NUR 170: Professional Nursing Concepts I	30	0	0	0	0	30	2
First Semester Totals	150	90	90			330	15
Second Semester							
PSY Elective Level 200 or Higher ^{1 2}	45	0	0	0	0	45	3
NUR 175: Health Care Participant	45	0	33	12	45	90	4
NUR 180: Nursing Concepts I	45	0	78	12	90	135	5
Second Semester Totals	135	0	135			270	12
Third Semester							
ENG 111: College Composition I ^{1 2}	45	0	0	0	0	45	3
NUR 240: Nursing Concepts II	45	0	84	6	90	135	5
NUR 250: Nursing Concepts III	45	0	76	14	90	135	5
Third Semester Totals	135	0	180			315	13
Fourth Semester							
ENG 112: College Composition II ^{1 2}	45	0	0	0	0	45	3
NUR 260: Nursing Concepts IV	45	0	120	15	135	180	6
NUR 270: Professional Nursing Concepts II	60	0	0	0	0	60	4
Fourth Semester Totals	150	0	135			285	13
Total Nursing Course Credits							40
Total General Elective Credits							27
Total Program Hours and Credits³	765	120	540			1425	67

¹Prerequisite & Corequisite Courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher. These courses are indicated by the grey highlight and are offered through the Virginia Community College System. These courses may also be completed at another regionally accredited college and are required for degree completion.

²Corequisite courses must be completed in the term to which they are assigned or prior to admission. A grade of C or higher is needed for the corequisite courses to be accepted for transfer credit.

³This total also includes General Elective Hours and Credits

*Direct care clinical hours and simulation hours are already calculated into the total clinical hours and should not be calculated again for total clinical hours.

Nursing courses are offered at Centra College and must be completed with a grade of B or higher.