

LVN-RN

<p>SECOND YEAR <i>THIRD SEMESTER (FALL)</i></p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">First 8 Weeks</p> <p><u>NURS 231-Psychiatric Nursing (5 units):</u> Guided learning experiences in psychiatric settings to assist students to understand effects of mental/emotional illnesses. Effective and non-effective communication patterns discussed after experiences.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Second 8 Weeks</p> <p><u>NURS 232-Medical/Surgical Nursing (5 units):</u> Focus on medical/surgical illnesses with care of patients in acute care settings. Nursing care for patients during and after surgery included with observation in Surgery and Recovery areas.</p>
<p><u>NURS 235 - Nursing Skills Lab III (0.5 units):</u> Skill practice and competency assessment. <u>NURS 818 (0.5 – 1.5 units):</u> Open Skills Lab</p>	
<p><i>FOURTH SEMESTER (SPRING)</i></p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">First 8 Weeks</p> <p><u>NURS 241-Adv. Med/Surg. Nursing (5 units):</u> Care of the patient in the critical care and specialty areas correlated with content of the common needs/problems of these patients. Observation in Emergency Departments, Critical Care Units.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Second 8 Weeks</p> <p><u>NURS 242-Leadership/Management (5 units):</u> Leadership/management principles and current nursing issues discussed in preparation for transition into work settings. Continued focus on needs/problems of medical/surgical patients. Clinical emphasis on organization and priority setting.</p>
<p><u>NURS 245 - Nursing Skills Lab IV (0.5 units):</u> Skill practice and competency assessment. <u>NURS 819 (0.5 – 1.5 units):</u> Open Skills Lab</p>	