

# LPN TO ADN TRANSITION PROGRAM

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A special program has been developed for LPNs who might choose to extend their course of study and apply for admission to the Program with advanced standing. LPNs who meet the general College admission requirements may enroll in "General Studies" and "Related Courses" (see the Academic Plan). A student must be a graduate of a state-approved school of practical nursing, submit proof of a current, unrestricted Ohio single-state LPN license or a compact/multistate license (MSL) valid within Ohio and the Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC) states, and have a minimum cumulative college GPA of 2.5. Students will be admitted into the transitional coursework based on space availability. Students who have an active, unencumbered Ohio single-state LPN license or a compact/multistate license (MSL) valid within Ohio and the Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC) states are not required to complete or submit evidence of satisfactorily completing a State Tested Nurse Aide certificate course. Students qualify for the transitional program after the acceptance requirements are completed. The applied education and nursing clinical courses must be completed within three (3) calendar years.

## Acceptance Requirements

1. General College Requirements (see General Admissions Procedures.)
2. Must be remediation-free in math, English, reading, and science.
3. Proof of current and unrestricted Ohio single-state LPN license or a compact/multistate license (MSL) valid within Ohio and the Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC) states.
4. College cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher.
5. Declaration of Nursing as the major course of study.

## Additional Requirements upon acceptance into the LPN to RN Program

1. Evidence of sufficient physical and mental health to engage in the practice of nursing.
2. Current American Heart Association (AHA) (BLS Healthcare Provider) or American Safety & Health Institute (ASHI) with in-person hands-on CPR component.
3. Completed health and immunization forms.
4. Criminal background check.
5. Drug Screen.
6. Nursing Orientation.

## Program Learning Outcomes

Upon completion, the student will be able to:

1. Prioritizes factors to promote patient-centered care.
2. Evaluates the interprofessional teamwork approach in achieving quality patient care.
3. Synthesizes Evidence-Based Practice (EBP) while providing patient care.
4. Critiques interventions to promote Quality and Safety in patient care.

5. Adapts the tools of technology to communicate effectively, manage knowledge, mitigate error, and support decision-making,

### Technical Standards

See here for details.

## General Studies

*Must be taken before enrollment in Required Transition courses:*

Code	Title	Hours
BHS 2110	Growth and Development: Lifespan	2
BIO 1110	Anatomy and Physiology I	4
BIO 1120	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
COM 1110	English Composition	3
DTN 1220	Principles of Nutrition	2
SDE 1010	First Year Experience	1
SOC 1010	Sociology	3

## Advanced Standing Courses / ITAG

Code	Title	Hours
NSG 1320	Foundations of Nursing Advanced Standing Credit for LPN	5
NSG 1323	Adult Health Advanced Standing Credit for LPN <sup>2</sup>	3
NSG 1324	OB Advanced Standing for LPN <sup>2</sup>	2
NSG 1326	Psychosocial Advanced Standing Credit for LPN <sup>2</sup>	2


## Required Transition Courses

Code	Title	Hours
NSG 1421	OB Transition for LPN to RN <sup>3</sup>	1
NSG 1423	Medical-Surgical I for the LPN to RN <sup>3</sup>	6
NSG 1424	Psychosocial Transition for LPN to RN <sup>3</sup>	1

## Other Required Courses

Code	Title	Hours
BHS 1711	Pathophysiology for Healthcare	2
BIO 1400	Microbiology	4
MTH 1260	Statistics	3
or MTH 1151	Quantitative Reasoning	
NSG 1721	Pharmacology for Nursing	2

## Required Advanced Nursing Courses

Code	Title	Hours
NSG 2522	Adult Health II	6
NSG 2525	 Essentials of Nurse Practice	9

 Capstone

<sup>2</sup> Awarded after successful completion of NSG 1421, NSG 1424, and NSG 1423.

<sup>3</sup> Must be successfully completed before progressing to advanced nursing courses.

The Associate Degree Nursing Program is approved by the Ohio Board of Nursing (OBN), 17 S. High St., Suite 660, Columbus, Ohio 43215, (614) 466-3947, <https://nursing.ohio.gov/>; and continuing accreditation by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN), Inc.,

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