Bachelor of Science in Nursing-BSN Workshop

Pathways to Bachelors of Science in Nursing Programs
Pathways to BSN

- Basic Nursing Student (aka Pre-Licensure)
- LVN to BSN
- ADN (RN) to BSN

All information provided is subject to change. It is recommended that you check each university’s website for the most up-to-date info.
Basic (aka Pre-licensure) Nursing Student

- A student that does NOT have a California VN nor a RN license
  - This means that the student has not completed a Vocational Nursing nor a Registered Nursing program

- Completion of lower division major prep/prerequisites and lower division general education (CSUGE/IGETC)
Typical lower division/major prep nursing requirements

- BIOL 124-Human Anatomy
- BIOL 125-Human Physiology
- BIOL 128-Microbiology
- CSU: CHEM 120 or 140 (course varies)
- UC: CHEM 150 (1st Course in series)
- ENGL 101-Freshman Composition
- Critical thinking Course
- SPCH 101-Public Speaking*
- MATH 123-Statistics
- PSY 101-General Psychology
Basic Nursing Student Cont’d

- Other common major preparation:
  - PSY 117-Child Psychology
  - PSY 118-Human Development
  - FSN 110-Nutrition Science
  - PHIL 105-Ethics
  - ANTH 102-Intro to Cultural Anthro
  OR SOC 101-Intro to Sociology

For comprehensive list, consult university specific nursing website and www.assist.org
California State University
Basic Nursing Programs

- CSU Bakersfield
- CSU Channel Islands
- CSU Chico
- CSU East Bay
- CSU Fresno
- CSU Fullerton*
- CSU Long Beach
- CSU Los Angeles
- CSU Sacramento
- CSU San Bernardino
- CSU San Diego
- CSU San Francisco
- CSU San Jose
- CSU San Marcos
- CSU Sonoma
- CSU Stanislaus

*not currently accepting transfer students
University of California (UC) Nursing Programs

- Only two UC’s offer nursing
- UCLA offers a basic nursing program.
  - Very competitive 3.5 or higher GPA
  - Requires IGETC completion
  - Admit transfer students on space-available basis
  - LVN to RN option (non-degree, RN only)
- UC Irvine offers Nursing Science
  - Very competitive 3.0 or higher GPA
  - Offers Basic program only (no RN to BSN) but will admit freshman & transfer students (30/20)
CA State University
LVN to BSN programs

East Bay: RN & BSN, 5 spaces per year
Fullerton: RN & BSN
Long Beach: very limited (2 spaces), RN & can lead to BSN
Sacramento: non-degree, RN only
San Diego: non-degree, RN only, space available basis through College of Extended Studies
San Bernardino: non-degree, RN only
San Jose: non-degree, RN only
San Marcos: 4 spaces each fall, RN and BSN
CA State University
RN to BSN programs

- CSU Bakersfield
- CSU Channel Islands*
- CSU Chico*
- CSU Dominguez Hills
- CSU East Bay
- CSU Fresno
- CSU Fullerton
- CSU Long Beach
- CSU Monterey Bay* #
- CSU Northridge
- CSU Sacramento
- CSU San Bernardino
- CSU San Diego
- CSU San Francisco
- CSU San Jose
- CSU San Marcos*
- CSU Sonoma
- CSU Stanislaus

*Offered Through Extended Education
# Must Be Graduate of Partner Comm. College
Supplemental Application

- After applying to a university BSN program, will need to submit a second, separate supplemental app to the Nursing Department.
- Supplemental apps are *typically* due Feb-May (fall) (Sept-Oct for spring)
- However some are due at same time of the university application: Oct 1-Nov 30 (fall) or Aug 1-30 (spring)
Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS)

- Reading
- Writing
- Math
- Science

Where can you take the test?

www.atitesting.com

Closest may be Visalia or LA or the CSU you are applying to may offer it.

Timeline Varies
# 2013-2014 CSU General Education Requirements

In order to graduate with a bachelor's degree from a California State University, a student must complete a minimum of 48 units in a predetermined pattern of general education. Allan Hancock College will certify completion of up to 39 lower division general education units on the pattern below. The remaining required units must be upper division courses completed at the four year institution.

*Courses may not be used in more than one area.*

## AREA A: ENGLISH LANGUAGE COMMUNICATION AND CRITICAL THINKING

(9 semester or 12-15 quarter units required with at least one course each from A1, A2, and A3)

Grade of "C" or better required in Area A.

- **A1** Oral Communication (3 semester or 4-5 quarter units): SPCH 101, 102, 106
- **A2** Written Communication (3 semester or 4-5 quarter units): ENGL 101
- **A3** Critical Thinking (3 semester or 4-5 quarter units): ENGL 103; PHL 112, 114; SPCH 106

## AREA B: SCIENTIFIC INQUIRY AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING

(9 semester or 12-15 quarter units required with at least one course each from Physical Sci., Life Sci., and Math/Quant. Reasoning) One lab course is required. Grade of "C" or better required in Area B4.

Lab courses are underlined.

- **B1** Physical Science (3 semester or 4-5 quarter units): ASTR 100; CHEM 110, 120, 150, 151;
  GEOG 101; GEOL 100, 114, 131, 141; PHYS 111, 112
- **B2** Life Science (3 semester or 4-5 quarter units): ANTH 101; BIOL 100, 120, 125, 138, 150, 154, 155
- **B3** Laboratory Activity: ANTH 110 or any lab course from Area B1 or B2.
- **B4** Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning (3 semester or 4-5 quarter units): MATH 100, 105, 121, 123, 131, 135, 141, 181, 182, 183, 184

## AREA C: ARTS AND HUMANITIES

(9 semester or 12-15 quarter units required with at least one course each from Area C1 & C2)

- **C1** Arts (3 semester or 4-5 quarter units):
  - DANIC 101; DRMA 103, 104, 110, 111; FCLM 101, 102, 107, 110, 115; GRPH 110;
  - MUSC 111, 112, 114, 120, 121, 122, 123, 125, 126, 127, 128, 160, 161, 163, 164, 165;

- **C2** Humanities (3 semester or 4-5 quarter units):
  - ASL 121, 123; ENGL 102, 106, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135, 137, 138, 139, 144, 145, 146, 149;
  - FILM 103; FRCH 101, 102; HIST 101, 102, 104, 105, 138; HUM 101, 102, 104, 105;
  - ITAL 101, 102; PHIL 101, 102, 105, 112, 121, 12, 130, 131, 134, 138, 142, 150, 152;

## AREA D: SOCIAL SCIENCE

(9 semester or 12-15 quarter units required with courses in at least 2 disciplines.)

- **D0** Sociology and Criminology: AJ 101; SOC 101, 102, 110, 120, 160
- **D1** Anthropology and Archaeology: ANTH 102, 103
- **D2** Economics: BUS 121, 141; ECON 101, 102, 121, 141; GBST 141
- **D3** Ethnic Studies: HIST 120; SOC 120
- **D5** Geography: GEOG 102, 103
- **D6** History: HIST 101, 107, 108, 118, 119, 120; HUM 103
- **D7** Interdisciplinary Social or Behavioral Science: ECO 101, 102; GBST 101; PSY 104; SOC 104, 155, SPCH 103, 110
- **D8** Political Science, Government and Legal Institutions: AJ 101; POLS 101, 103, 104, 105
- **D9** Psychology: PSY 101, 112, 113, 115, 117, 118

## AREA E: LIFELONG LEARNING & SELF-DEVELOPMENT

(3 semester or 4-5 quarter units) DANIC 110, 120, 130; ECO 100; FCS 109, 121; PSY 101; POLS 103, 104, 105

**NOTE:** Some CSU campuses may require different or additional requirements. See a counselor regarding specific instructions for the CSU you have selected.

Total maximum lower division units in Areas A-E (39)
Completion of all the requirements in the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) will permit a student to transfer from Allan Hancock College to a campus in either the California State University or University of California system without the need, after transfer, to take additional lower-division general education courses to satisfy campus general education requirements. All courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or better ("C-" is not acceptable.) **Courses may not be used in more than one area.**

### AREA 1 - ENGLISH COMMUNICATION
- **CSU** 3 courses required, one from each group. **UC** 2 courses required, one each from groups (a) and (b).
  1A - English Composition, (1 course, 3 semester or 4-5 quarter units) ENGL 101
  1B - Critical Thinking, 1 course, 3 semester or 4-5 quarter units) ENGL 103#F96, PHIL 114#F93
  1C - Oral Communication, (CSU only) 1 course, 3 semester or 4-5 quarter units) SPCH 101, 102, 106#F05

### AREA 2 - MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING:
- **1 course, 3 semester or 4-5 quarter units**

### AREA 3 - ARTS AND HUMANITIES:
- **At least 3 courses, at least one from the Arts and one from the Humanities; 9 semester or 12-15 quarter units**
  3A - Arts: 1 course, 3 semester or 4-5 quarter units) ART 101, 103, 104, 105, 106; DANC 103, 110, 111;
  3B - Humanities: 1 course, 3 semester or 4-5 quarter units) ASL 121#F02, 133#F03; ENGL 102#F96, 130, 131, 132#F99, 133, 135, 138#F05, 139#F99, 144#F08, 145, 146, 148#F96; FILM 103#S06; FRCH 102#F02; HIST 101#F95, 102#F96, 104, 105, 138#F03; HUM 101#F95, 102#F96, 104#F96, 105#F96; ITAL 102#F96; PHIL 101, 102, 105, 121, 122; SPAN 102#F02, 103, 104, 112#S07

### AREA 4 - SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES:
- **At least 3 courses, from at least two disciplines or an interdisciplinary sequence; 9 semester or 12-15 quarter units**
  4A - Anthropology and Archaeology: ANTH 102, 103
  4B - Economics: BUS 141#S05; ECON 101, 102, 141#S05; GBST 141#S05
  4E - Geography: GEOG 102, 103
  4F - History: HIST 103#S07, 107#, 108#, 118#, 119, 120#F99; HUM 103#S07
  4G - Interdisciplinary, Social & Behavioral Sciences: ECS 100#F11, 101#F11; GBST 101; PSY 104#F04; SOC 104#F04, 155#F08;
  4H - Political Science, Government & Legal Institutions: POLS 101, 103, 104, 105#F12
  4J - Psychology: PSY 101, 112, 113, 117, 118

### AREA 5 - PHYSICAL AND BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES
- **2 courses, one Physical Science course and one Biological Science course; at least one must include a laboratory; 7-9 semester or 9-12 quarter units.** Lab courses are underlined.
  5A - Physical: 1 course, 3-5 semester or 4-6 quarter units) ASTR 100; CHEM 120, 150, 151, ENVIS 102#F02;
  5B - Biological: 1 course, 3-5 semester or 4-6 quarter units) ANTH 110, 111#S06; BIOL 100*, 120, 124, 125, 132, 133, 135, 154, 155
  5C - Science Laboratory: ANTH 110# OR One laboratory course from Area 5A or 5B

### AREA 6 - LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH (UC REQUIREMENT ONLY)
- Complete 2 years of the same foreign language in Junior High School/High School with a grade of C or better OR earn a score of 3 or higher on the Foreign Language Advance Placement Test OR 550 on the College Board Achievement Test in Foreign Language OR formal schooling in a language other than English. OR complete units from the courses below.
  ASL 120#F02; FRCH 101; ITAL 101#F96; SPAN 101

### CSU GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS IN U.S. HISTORY AND AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS
- **Not part of IGETC**; CSU only; may be completed prior to transfer; 6 units, one course from group 1 and one course from group 2. Courses used to meet this requirement may be used to satisfy requirements for IGETC.
  1. POLS 101 OR 103 and HIST 107 OR 108 OR 118
  **Total maximum lower division units in Areas 1-6 (37)**

The CSU system will not award a degree until the US History and American Institutions requirement is fulfilled.

* Indicates that transfer credit may be limited by either UC or CSU or both. Please consult with a counselor for more information.

# If taken indicated semester or later.
Brandman Univ – must have ADN (Associate Degree with RN license)

- CSU GE or IGETC pattern accepted
  ONLY Engl 103 or Phil 114 for Critical Thinking req’t
- Prefers Spanish or Sign Lang to meet Humanities requirement
- Psych 118
- Program is one year on-line
  one ‘immersion’ session req’d at beginning of program in Orange, CA
CSU On-line RN to BSN Programs

- Chico State*, CSU Bakersfield*, CSU Fresno*, CSU San Bernardino*, Dominguez Hills*, Fullerton*, Sonoma State* and Stanislaus State*

  Must have ADN/RN license

  Recommend completion of CSU GE or IGETC

  Programs are all on-line or hybrid*

Time to complete: 1 to 3 years depending on program

*Hybrid
Tips for Success

- More A’s than B’s, limit C’s
- Limit repetition of science courses (BIOL 124, 125, 128 & Chemistry)
- Taking prerequisite courses early
- Start math and English sequence EARLY
- Don’t take heavy unit load while taking science courses
- Seek health care related experience
- Consider taking foreign language courses
Start with English or Reading (or both) and Math course that you placed into from the START test or Multiple Measures (whichever is higher) plus two other GE req’t’s.

- Engl 514 (or reading class) 4.0
- Math 311 – Alg 1 4.0
- HED 100 3.0
- PD 110 1.0

OR

- English 101 4.0
- Math 123 - Statistics 4.0
- HED 100 3.0
- Anthro 102 or Soc 101 or Foreign Lang 3.0-5.0
Have a Baccalaureate Degree (Bachelor’s Degree)?

- Hooray! You are done with all CSU grad requirements, e.g., general education, BRN requirements and may waive campus specific grad requirements.

- SB 1393 excuses those with a baccalaureate or higher degree from a regionally accredited institution from those courses which are not specifically part of the registered nursing degree program (excluding the program’s prerequisites).
Helpful Websites

- TEAS-Test of Essential Academic Skills: www.atitesting.com
- CSU info: www.csumentor.edu
- UC info: www.univeristyofcalifornia.edu
CNA contact info: CA Dept. of Public Health (CDPH)
Licensing & Certification Program (L&C)
Aide & Technician Certification Section (ATCS)
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