

AASN Course Descriptions (RNSG)

1309 Introduction to Nursing (3-0-0). Overview of nursing and the role of the professional nurse as a provider of care, coordinator of care, and member of a profession. Topics include knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Corequisites: RNSG 1361, RNSG 1105, RNSG 1108

1361 Clinical – Nursing (0-0-9). A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Corequisites: RNSG 1309, RNSG 1105, RNSG 1108

1105 Nursing Skills I (0-2-0). Study of the concepts and principles essential for demonstrating competence in the performance of nursing procedures. Topics include knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Corequisites: RNSG 1108, RNSG 1309, RNSG 1361

1108 Dosage Calculations for Nursing (1-0-0). Dosage calculations include reading, interpreting and solving calculation problems encountered in the preparation of medications; and conversion of measurements within the apothecary, avoirdupois, and metric system.

Corequisites: RNSG 1105, RNSG 1309, RNSG 1361

1341 Common Concepts of Adult Health (3-0-0). Study of the general principles of caring for selected adult clients and families in structured settings with common medical-surgical health care needs related to each body system. Emphasis on knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Prerequisites: RNSG 1105, RNSG 1108, RNSG 1309, RNSG 1361

Corequisites: RNSG 1301, RNSG 1363 and RNSG 1144

1363 Clinical – Nursing (0-0-9). A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, judgment, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Prerequisites: RNSG 1105, RNSG 1108, RNSG 1309, RNSG 1361

Corequisites: RNSG 1144, RNSG 1301, RNSG 1341

1144 Nursing Skills II (0-2-0). Study of the concepts and principles necessary to perform intermediate or advanced nursing skills; and demonstrate competence in the performance of nursing procedures. Topics include knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Prerequisites: RNSG 1105, RNSG 1108, RNSG 1309, RNSG 1361

Corequisites: RNSG 1301, RNSG 1341 and RNSG 1363

1311 Nursing Pathophysiology (3-0-0). Basic principles of pathophysiology emphasizing nursing applications. Topics include principles of homeostasis related to body systems.

Prerequisites: BIO 2423, BIOL 2424, and BIO 2411

2213 Mental Health Nursing (2-0-0). Principles and concepts of mental health, psychopathology and treatment modalities related to the nursing care of clients and their families.

Prerequisites: RNSG 1144, RNSG 1301, RNSG 1341, RNSG 1363

Corequisite: RNSG 1163

1163 Clinical – Nursing (0-0-3). A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, judgment, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Prerequisites: RNSG 1144, RNSG 1301, RNSG 1341, RNSG 1363

Corequisite: RNSG 2213

2201 Care of Children and Families (2-0-0). Study of concepts related to the provision of nursing care for children and their families, emphasizing judgment, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Prerequisites: RNSG 2213 and RNSG 1163

Corequisite: RNSG 2260

2260 Clinical – Nursing (0-0-6). A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Prerequisites: RNSG 2213 and RNSG 1163

Corequisite: RNSG 2201

2208 Maternal/Newborn and Women’s Health (2-0-0). Study of concepts related to the provision of nursing care for normal childbearing families and those at risk, as well as women’s health issues; competency in knowledge, judgment, skill, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework, including a focus on normal and high-risk needs for the childbearing family during the preconception, prenatal, intrapartum, neonatal, and postpartum periods; and consideration of selected issues in women’s health.

Prerequisites: Biology 2411, RNSG 2213 and RNSG 1163

Corequisite: RNSG 2261, RNSG 2221

2261 Clinical – Nursing (0-0-6). A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Prerequisites: Biology 2411, RNSG 2213 and RNSG 1163

Corequisite: RNSG 2208, RNSG 2221

2221 Management of Client Care (2-0-0). Exploration of leadership and management principles applicable to the role of the nurse as a provider of care, and member of a profession. Includes application of knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Prerequisites: RNSG 2213 and RNSG 1163

Corequisites: RNSG 2208, RNSG 2261

1343 Complex Concepts of Adult Health (3-0-0). Integration of previous knowledge and skills related to common adult health needs into the continued development of the professional nurse as a provider of care, coordinator of care, and member of a profession in the care of adult clients/families in structured health care settings with complex medical-surgical health care needs associated with each body system. Emphasis on knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Prerequisites: RNSG 2201, RNSG 2208, RNSG 2260, RNSG 2221

Corequisite: RNSG 2361, RNSG 1146

2361 Clinical Nursing (0-0-9). A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Prerequisites: RNSG 1311, RNSG 2201, RNSG 2208, RNSG 2221, RNSG 2260, RNSG 2261

Corequisite: RNSG 1343, RNSG 1146

1207 Nursing Jurisprudence (2-0-0). A course in nursing jurisprudence and ethics with emphasis on personal and professional responsibility. Study of the laws and regulations related to the provision of safe and effective professional nursing care.

2338 Computer Applications for Healthcare Professionals (3-0-0). This course provides students with an introduction to the basics of personal computing and the application of information systems and technology in healthcare settings. Instruction in the use of operating systems and software packages (word processing, spreadsheets, e-mail, and presentations) is presented in a Microsoft environment. Students become familiar with using local area networks, the Internet, and accessing the University library from remote terminals. Satisfies core computer requirement.

1227 Transition from Vocational to Professional Nursing (2-0-0). Topics include health promotion, expanded assessment, analysis of data, nursing process, pharmacology, multi-disciplinary teamwork, communication, and applicable competencies in knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework throughout the lifespan.

Prerequisites: Admission to the LVN Transition Track

Corequisites: RNSG 1160

1160 Clinical – Nursing (0-0-3). A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized knowledge, judgment, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Prerequisites: Admission to the LVN Transition Track.

Corequisite: RNSG 1227

2427 Transition from Vocational to Professional Nursing II (4-0-0). A continuation of RNSG 1227 for LVNs participating in a hospital-based transition pilot program.

Prerequisites: Admission to a hospital-based LVN-transition pilot program, completion of RNSG 1227, RNSG 1160

Corequisite: RNSG 2527

***All co-requisite courses must be successfully completed simultaneously in order to progress.**

◇**Clinical nursing grades: P, F, NC, W**