Associate Degree Nursing - AAS (Spring Start)

West Burlington Campus, and select courses available at the Keokuk Campus

Second year nursing program from January to December.

You have a calling to help others, you are compassionate, you want to give back. A career in nursing provides rewards beyond measure.

Other programs in the Nursing pathway are Nursing Aide which is a one-class course offered in afternoons in many locations and in hybrid format to accommodate high school students and working individuals.

Successful completion of the Nursing Diploma program can be completed in Summer, Fall, and Spring semesters (11-months) allows the student to test for the NCLEX-PN for licensure as a licensed practical nurse.

Successful completion of the Nursing AAS program can be completed in two years (starting in Summer) allows the student to test for the NCLEX-RN for licensure as a registered nurse.

Admission Criteria for Nursing Programs (#317) applies to this program. Below is a summary of the guidelines for convenience and is subject to change. Application deadlines apply to this program. *Please contact Enrollment Services for more details*.

Admission Requirements

- Current Iowa Certification as a Licensed Practical Nurse**.
- Complete and attain minimums in standardized scores within 24 months of review for acceptance into the program:
 - ACT

Reading: 19Math: 19English: 17

• OR Composite of 20

SAT

• Reading/Writing: 330

• Math: 510

• OR Composite of 1040

• Next-Gen ACCUPLACER:

Reading: 248Writing: 260

• ALEKS:

• Math: 14

• Complete the following classes with a grade of C or better:

• BIO-168 Human Anatomy and Physiology I

• BIO-173 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

• BIO-186 Microbiology

Additional Requirements

- Students are required to attend nursing orientation and complete the following requirements once admitted to the program.
- Students will be required to pass a mandatory background check.
- Students will be required to submit (at their own expense) a completed physical examination form and immunizations for health care providers.
- Current certification in CPR-Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers**.
- Current certification in Mandatory Reporter-Adult & Child Abuse**.
- Signed Confidentiality Agreement.
- Current HIPAA Certification.
- Current Blood Borne Pathogen certification.

**Certifications may be obtained at Southeastern Community College. Students should work with a Student Success Advocate for the appropriate courses and dates to obtain these certifications.

All health career programs require students to earn a grade of "C" (2.0) or above in all coursework within the program. All other eligibility requirements must be met. See a Student Success Advocate for more information or to help obtain any further information regarding these requirements.

View Program Outcome and Accreditation information at https://nursing.iowa.gov/

For specific information regarding program rules and expectations, please view the Nursing Program Handbook.

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Prerequisites (Not part of program)		
BIO-168	Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4
BIO-173	Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4
BIO-186	Microbiology	4
Semester T	otal	12
	Courses (Must complete prior to PNN-535)	Credit
	Composition I	3
PSY-121	Developmental Psychology	3
Semester Total		
Spring Sem	ester 1	Credit
	Introduction to Nursing Practice	2
	Pharmacology I	1
PNN-534		12.5
	otal	
Semester 1	Out	13.3
Fall Semest		Credit
PNN-311	PN Issues and Trends	1
PNN-535	Nursing II	12
Semester Total		
Spring Semester 2 Cree		Credit
	Role Transition	1
	Pharmacology III	1
	Nursing III	14.5
	Introduction to Psychology	3
Semester Total		_
Fall Semest	ar 2	Credit
		Credit 1
	Pharmacology IV Nursing IV	14
	RN Issues and Trends	1
	Introduction to Sociology	3
Semester Total		
Program To	otal	85