Nursing, Associate in Applied Science

College(s): MX
Program Code: 0239

The Associate in Applied Science degree program in Nursing prepares students through the study of nursing theory and patient care techniques to take the licensure examination for Registered Nurses (RN). Both classroom instruction and clinical experiences in Chicago, surrounding suburban area hospitals, and primary care facilities are provided. The curriculum is designed to lead the student to employment as a registered professional nurse in hospitals, clinics, nursing homes, physicians’ offices, schools, public health, government, and military, or industry.

Proof of a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) certificate is required at the time of application to the Nursing program.

This selective admissions program requires students to submit a separate application or to take additional action before enrolling.

For more information on the Nursing AAS at Malcolm X College, visit the program webpage (http://www.ccc.edu/colleges/malcolm-x/departments/Pages/Nursing-Department.aspx).

### Program Requirements

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### Required Program Core

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**Total Hours:** 69

¹ This course fulfills the Human Diversity (HD) requirement.

### Pathway

This is an example course sequence for students who are seeking admission into the Nursing program. It does not represent a contract, nor does it guarantee course availability. If this pathway is followed as outlined, you will earn an Associate in Applied Science (AAS) Degree in Nursing.

### Semester-by-Semester Program Plan for Full-Time Students

All plans can be modified to fit the needs of part-time students by adding more semesters.
Course Title Hours
Semester 1
ENGLISH 101 Composition 3

BIOLOGY 121 Biology I 5

CHEM 121 Basic Chemistry I 4

MATH 118 General Education Math (or higher Mathematics) 4

Hours 16

Semester 2
BIOLOGY 226 Human Structure and Function I 2

MICROBIO 233 General Microbiology 2

Hours 8

Semester 3
NURSING 101 Fundamentals of Nursing 7

BIOLOGY 227 Human Structure and Function II 2

Hours 11

Semester 4
NURSING 102 Introduction to Medical-Surgical 7

Hours 7

Semester 5
NURSING 210 Intermediate Medical-Surgical Nursing 6

NURSING 211 Maternal-Newborn/Mental Health 6

Hours 12

Semester 6
NURSING 212 Pediatric/Gerontologic Nursing 6

NURSING 213 Advanced Medical Surgical 6

NURSING 203 Nursing Leadership 3

Hours 15

Total Hours 69

1 Program Prerequisite
2 Program Corequisite

Choose your courses with your College Advisor.

Program Admission Requirements

Acceptance into the Nursing Program is competitive and requires an established cumulative GPA at CCC. Nursing prerequisites can be completed at any one of the seven City Colleges of Chicago. Upon admission to the CCC Nursing Program, students will complete the program at Malcolm X College. Any questions regarding application and admissions process please email the CCC Nursing Programs at CCCNursingAdmissions@ccc.edu. In addition, informational sessions are available at Malcolm X College Nursing Programs.

To be eligible to apply to the CCC Nursing Program, a student must have successfully completed:

1. All four prerequisite courses,

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* All prerequisite courses (4) must be completed with a grade of 'C' or higher prior to the posted online application deadline.

2. ATI Pre-admission Exam (must be taken at a CCC campus during the application process),

3. Background check

4. Cumulative GPA at CCC of 2.75 prior to the posted application deadline date. All applications will be reviewed for selection by the Nursing Admission Committee.

5. Proof of a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) certificate is required at the time of application to the Nursing program.

6. Official high school transcript or GED

ATI TEAS Exam:

• Minimum Cumulative Score: 65%
• Minimum Reading Score: 73%

Please Note: Submitting the application and possessing the requirements for the CCC Nursing Program does not guarantee admission.

Before submitting the online application, the online application will request a copy of the applicant’s ATI score, date of Certified Background check, prerequisite grades, and CCC cumulative GPA. The applicant will then certify via application submission that the submitted information is not false. Falsification of information will result in disqualification for application review. The Nursing Admission Committee will then refer to the respective databases to confirm the submitted information.

Background Check

Students entering most healthcare professions programs will be required to present documentation of health history and vaccination status, to undergo annual tuberculosis screening, to submit to a background check, to submit to initial and random drug screening, and to undergo fingerprinting prior to licensing with the state of Illinois. Students should consult with a College Advisor if any of these requirements are a concern.

For more information on admissions requirements and the application process, visit the Nursing Department webpage (http://www.ccc.edu/colleges/malcolm-x/departments/Pages/Nursing-Department.aspx).