

CURAM COLLEGE OF NURSING

VOCATIONAL NURSING PROGRAM

Diploma Course

The course shall consist of no less than 1720 hours and is offered by the school on a full-time basis. The theory portion consists of 746. The clinical portion consists of 974 hours. The school week does not exceed 40 hours per week. The course curriculum shall be taught in a sequence that results in student's progressive mastery of knowledge, skills and abilities. The curriculum content includes the following prerequisites: pharmacology 54 hours, anatomy and physiology 36 hours, and nutrition 36 hours which are required courses before a student is admitted into the core curriculum. The core curriculum consists of: 1. Psychology, 2. Normal growth and development, 3. Fundamentals of Nursing, 4. Communication, 5. Patient Education, 6. Medical-Surgical, 7. Communicable diseases, 8. Gerontological nursing, 9. Rehabilitation nursing, 10. Maternal Nursing, 11. Pediatric Nursing, 12. Leadership, and 13. Supervision.

The Vocational Nursing Program is 42 weeks long.

This Program is taught Monday-Friday. Theory days are 0800-1630 hours and Clinical days are 0600-1430 hours.

CURRICULUM OBJECTIVES

The curriculum objectives for this program are based on the philosophy and conceptual framework that the school has adopted. Using Orem's Self-Care Theory/Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs the curriculum coordinates clinical and theoretical objectives of the major areas of nursing. The program is taught over 42 weeks and is divided into three levels (terms).

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- VN Application and \$100.00 Application Fee
- TEAS Results (\$65.00)
- Physical with Medical Clearance
- CPR / FA / AED
- Letters of Reference (2)
- Driver's License or CA ID
- Social Security Card
- Immunizations (TB/Hep B./MMR/Flu)
- Malpractice Insurance
- Certified Nursing Assistant Certificate
- Official High School Transcripts
- Foreign Transcript Evaluation
- Prerequisite grade of "B" or higher in:
 - Anatomy & Physiology 36hrs
 - Nutrition 36hrs
 - Pharmacology 54hrs
- Official College Transcripts

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Students Who graduated from the Curam College CNA program will be given admission preference.

No Applicant will be considered without satisfying the above mentioned criteria.

Prior to being considered for admission to the program the following pre-requisites must be met. As per BVNPT rules there is a five (5) year time out applied to all pre-requisites.

- Visit the school and receive an application packet and a list of admission requirements
- Submit all completed documentation as listed on the *Admission Requirements*
- Pay a non-refundable fee application fee of one-hundred dollars (\$100.00)
- Complete an enrollment agreement

TEAS TESTING

TEAS Pre-Nursing Assessment:

- This test covers Reading, Mathematics, Science and English and Language Usage.
- All potential students are required to complete the TEAS pre-nursing assessment testing.
- The pre-nursing assessment test will be administered at the Curam College of Nursing campus.
- The testing dates will be announced and all students will have to register with Curam College of Nursing prior to taking the exam
- The cost of the exam will be \$65.00. Order forms and study guides may be obtained in the school office.
- The program director reviews all complete applications for admission. Successful applicants who are granted admission into the Curam College of Nursing Vocational Program are notified by phone or by e-mail.
- School Uniform

FINANCIAL BREAKDOWN

TUITION FEES

- A deposit of \$100.00 is due at the time of registration (this is non-refundable)

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Tuition Fee (Includes Lab fee)	\$23,500.00
Registration (non-refundable)	\$100.00
STRF Fee (Currently not collected) (non-refundable)	\$0.00
Scrub Set (2 tops and 2 bottoms)	\$100.00
Lab Coat (non-refundable)	\$25.00
Books (non-refundable)	\$230.00
Malpractice Insurance (non-refundable)	\$65.00
TEAS Exam (non-refundable)	\$65.00
Virtual ATI NCLEX-PN (non-refundable)	\$675.00
Graduation Fee	\$155.00
Comprehensive Predictor (non-refundable)	\$65.00
BVNPT Initial Application (non-refundable)	\$150.00
BVNPT Fingerprinting Fee	\$73.00
BVNPT Picture Fee	\$16.00
Pearson Vue NCLEX-PN Registration (non-refundable)	\$200.00
Total Charges:	\$25,419.00

All prices and requirements are subject to change. All prices include applicable taxes.

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