

Practical Nursing (5139014039) Credential (Diploma)

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Program Website: https://bluegrass.kctcs.edu/education-training/program-finder/nursing.aspx

Student Name: Student ID:

Students need to be at KCTCS placement levels for all courses

Pre-Admission Requirements (if applicable)				
	Credits	Term	Grade	Prereqs/Notes
BLS card (CPR) from American Heart Association (CPR 100)	1			Current unexpired American Heart Association BLS card
NAA 100	3			Within past 3 years, or equivalent, or active status on Nurse Aide Registry
Digital Literacy (CIT 105)	3			Or other as defined by KCTCS

First Semester	Credits	Term	Grade	Prereqs/Notes
BIO 135	4			Or Bio 139 (bio 137 is prereq and must be taken prior to bio 139. Credits earned in BIO 135 or BIO 139 must be less than 3 years old. Must be completed prior to second semester.
AHS100 Human Growth & Development	2			Or PSY 110 and PSY 223. Must be completed prior to second semester.
NPN100 Intro to Nursing & Health Care System	2			
NPN105 Development of the Care Giver Role	6			
NPN110 Pharmacology I	2			
Total Semester Credit Hours	16			

Second Semester	Credits	Term	Grade	Prereqs/Notes
NPN201 Child Bearing Family	3			
NPN125 Mental Health Nursing	3			
NPN130 Pharmacology II	3			
NPN135 Introduction to Health Deviations	6			
Total Semester Credit Hours	15			

Third Semester	Credits	Term	Grade	Prereqs/Notes
ENG 101	3			Or Oral Communication (COM 181 or 252)
				Must be completed prior to graduation.
NPN200 Med/Surg I	5			
NPN205 Med/Surg II	5			
NPN215 Nursing Trends & Issues	1			
NPN210 Clinical Practicum	4			
Total Semester Credit Hours	18		•	
Total Credential Hours	56			

Note: 25% of Total Program Credit Hours must be earned at Bluegrass Community and Technical College.

Advisor Name:	Advisor Signature:
Student Name:	Student Signature:

Special Instructions:

- A Letter grade of "C" or higher is required for all courses used for the Practical Nursing diploma.
- Each course must be taken within the semester in which it is listed.
- Successful completion of each course in each semester is required before one may progress to the next semester of the program. Semester 1 courses are pre-requisites for semester 2 courses.

 Semester 2 courses are prerequisites for semester 3 courses.
- Failure to complete the delineated courses in sequence will result in dismissal from the program.
- As a selective admissions program students must attend a pre-admission conference and submit a complete application packet prior to the published deadline. See web site for details.
- Appointments with the Pre-Nursing Advisor may be made at https://bluegrass.kctcs.edu/nursing/pre-nursing advising.aspx

Course Rotation Schedule (if applicable)				
	This is a full-time selective admissions program. Students are selected for the program in spring and fall. All courses are offered both spring and fall semesters. No nursing classes are offered in the summer.			