

# **Nursing at MVC**

Missouri Valley College's Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program prepares nurses through education and clinical experience to provide safe, evidence-based, and compassionate care to complex patients in diverse settings. Some of the clinical experiences include local community hospitals, tertiary care centers and other community health centers/agencies.

# **Degree in Nursing**

The MVC nursing program, leading to BSN, requires students to complete two years of prerequisite and core courses, and two years of nursing course and clinical experiences. The LPN to BSN online student applications are due by October 1st. Students applying to the program are evaluated on their Missouri LPN active unencumbered license, GPA's and letters of reference. Fourteen candidates are selected yearly to enter the LPN to BSN online track.

The MVC nursing program adheres to standards and guidelines set forth by the Missouri State Board of Nursing (MSBoN) and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE). The MVC nursing program has full approval from the MSBoN and is accredited by CCNE.







### Missouri Valley College

## LPN to BSN Online Curriculum

#### **LPN Program Transfer Credits**

NU105 Intro to Nursing 1 Social & Behavioral Science Core #1 - PY100 Prin Psychology 3 BI275 Human A&P I or BI285 Human A&P II 4 EX385 Nutrition 3 NU231 Fundamentals Lab 1 NU232 Fundamentals Clinicals 1 NU312 Mental Health Nursing Clinical 1 NU332 Peds Clinical 1

NU342 OB & Women's Health Nursing Clinical 1

NU352 Community Health Clinical 1

GS150 Freshman Seminar 1

Total Transferred: 18 credit hours

Pre Nursing [Suggested sequence of classes. Individual schedules will vary based on previous coursework.]

#### **Fall Semester**

Natural Science Core - BI104 Biology/Lab 4 Written Communication Core - EN130 Rhet & Comp 3 Social & Behavioral Science Core #2 + Constitutional Req. 3 Oral Communication Core - CM100 Public Speaking 3 Humanities & Fine Art Core Group #1 3

Total: 16 credit hours

#### **Spring Semester**

\*BI320/HL320 \*\* Microbiology or CH 111\*\* Chemistry 4 or 5 \*BI275 A&P I or \*BI285 \*\* A&P II (only offered summer) 4 Written Communication Core - EN160 Lit & Comp 3 Mathematical Science Core 3 Any Core Course 3

Total: 17 or 18 credit hours

\*Apply to the School of Nursing - Application due date: October 1st

#### **Fall Semester**

Social & Behavioral Science Core #3 3 \*Humanities & Fine Art Core Group # 2 - Any Ethics 3 Humanities & Fine Art Core Group # 3 3 \*PY225 Developmental Psychology - Any Core Course 3 \*HL280 \*\*Pathophysiology 3

Total: 15 credit hours

#### **Nursing Program**

#### **Spring Semester**

NU230 Fundamentals of Nursing 3 NU250 Health Assessment 3 NU270 Pharmacology for Nurses 4 NU355 Transition from LPN to RN 2

Total: 12 credit hours

#### **Fall Semester**

NU310 Mental Health Nursing 3 NU320 Adult Health Nursing I 5 NU322 Adult Health Nursing Clinical (120 hours) 3 NU365 Evidence Based Practice WI 3 NU440 Gerontological Nursing 2

Total: 16 credit hours (120 Clinical hours)

#### **Spring Semester**

NU340 Nursing of Families 3 NU350 Community & Public Health Nursing 3 NU450 Adult Health Nursing II 4 NU452 Adult Health II Clinical (40 hours) 1 Any Core Course 2-3

Total: 13-14 credit hours (40 Clinical hours)

#### **Fall Semester**

NU410 Management and Law 3 NU460 NCLEX Prep 3 NU480 Senior Seminar in Nursing SL 3 NU482 Senior Practicum (200 hours) 5

Total: 14 credit hours (200 Clinical hours)

\*\* All science courses will be evaluated on an individual basis for the transfer of credit.

\* = nursing prerequisite WI = writing intensive SL = service learning

The Missouri State Board of Nursing approved the nursing curriculum.

Nursing/professional portion of the LPN-BSN track is charged at full-time rates, even if the student is below the 12 credit threshold.







