

	Semester and Courses	Credit	Semester and Courses	Credit
Year 1	<b>Semester 1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ENGL 1101 Composition I</li> <li>CHEM 1121 General, Organic &amp; Bio Chem</li> <li>PSYC 1105 General Psychology</li> <li>MnTC GOAL 6 Humanities/Fine Arts</li> <li>Any MnTC credit (if not previously taken)</li> </ul>	3 3 4 3 3	<b>Semester 2</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BIOL 2021 Anatomy &amp; Physiology I</li> <li>PSYC 1240 Developmental Psychology</li> <li>SPCH 1200 or 1310 Interpersonal or Intercultural</li> <li>MnTC GOAL 5 Sociology or Anthropology</li> </ul>	4 3 3 3
Year 2	<b>Semester 3</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Advanced Standing for PN Education (5 nursing credits)</li> <li>NURS 2720 Transition to the Role of the Professional Nurse (3 lecture/1 lab)</li> <li>NURS 2750 Nutrition and the Role of the Professional Nurse</li> <li>BIOL 2022 Anatomy/Physiology II</li> </ul>	4 N 2 N 4	<b>Semester 4</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NURS 2800 Chronic &amp; Palliative Care (3 lecture/3 clinical/1 lab)</li> <li>NURS 2820 Pharmacology and the Role of the Professional Nurse</li> <li>NURS 2850 Applied Pathophysiology for Nursing I</li> <li>BIOL 2040 Microbiology</li> </ul>	7 N 3 N 2 N 4
Year 3	<b>Semester 5</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NURS 2900 Acute &amp; Complex Care (3 lecture/3 clinical/1 lab)</li> <li>NURS 2920 Applied Pathophysiology for Nursing II</li> <li>NURS 2950 Nursing Leadership I (2 lecture/1 clinical)</li> <li>PHIL 1130 Ethics</li> </ul> <p><b>BENCHMARK</b> – Finish Associate Degree Nurse program (75 total credits 35 N/40 gen ed) and eligible for NCLEX-RN/licensure exam</p>	7 N 2 N 3 N 3	<b>Semester 6</b> <i>Continue with Upper Division Credits taught by Metropolitan State University on Riverland campus from this point forward for BS degree</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NURS 406 Nursing Care of the Family (3 lecture/1 clinical)</li> <li>NURS 416 Epidemiology for Nursing</li> <li>Metro STAT 201 Statistics (unless taken previously) or another lower div. gen. ed. course – MATH 2021</li> <li>WRIT 331 Writing in your Major or equivalent</li> </ul>	4 N 3 N (4) 4
Year 4	<b>Semester 7</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NURS 459 Population-Based Care (5 lecture/2 clinical)</li> <li>NURS 464 Nursing Leadership II (4 lecture)</li> <li>NURS 446 Nursing Informatics</li> <li>Upper Division Elective</li> </ul>	7 N 4 N 2 N 3 or 4	<b>Semester 8</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NURS 490 Integrative Seminar &amp; Practicum (4 lecture/3 clinical)</li> <li>NURS 485 Global Health Perspectives for Nursing</li> <li>Upper Division Elective</li> </ul>	7 N 3 N 4

- Co-requisite courses are highlighted in purple (red for bachelor's degree program). All nursing courses in each semester must be successfully completed to progress to the next semester.
- General education courses can be taken earlier but not later than the identified semester.
- To apply:** ATI TEAS (6<sup>th</sup> edition) Test required, copy of LPN licensure, all courses from Year 1 semester 1 must be complete with a minimum GPA of 2.75, Year 1 semester 2 courses must be complete or in progress at time of application and finished with a minimum 2.75 GPA.
- Credits in AD Degree: 5 LPN advanced standing credits + 30 nursing; 40 gen ed= 75 total. Credits in B.S. Program: 5 LPN advanced standing credits + 60 nursing; at least 55 upper and lower div. pre-requisites & gen ed = 120 total. *\*Students with a previous bachelor's degree from an accredited university have their Upper Division credits met.* Reference: [http://www.mntransfer.org/students/plan/s\\_mntc.php](http://www.mntransfer.org/students/plan/s_mntc.php).