



### **HEALTH SCIENCES DEPARTMENT**

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# LICENSED VOCATIONAL NURSING PROGRAM INFORMATION

This program conforms to the California Board of Vocational Nursing and Psychiatric Technicians (BVNPT). Successful completion of the Citrus College Licensed Vocational Nursing (LVN) program qualifies students for examination for licensure as a vocational nurse in the state of California. After general college admission criteria are satisfied, the health sciences department requires:

- 1. Proof of U.S. high school graduation or the equivalent.
- 2. An in-state certificate of program completion or CNA certificate from the California Department of Public Health (CDPH).
- 3. Successful completion of the NRS 100 Introduction to Vocational Nursing course at Citrus College.

This course is graded on a pass/no pass (P/NP) basis only. Only those students selected for the LVN program receive a pass (P) grade. Only the top-scoring students across all sections of NRS 100 are selected to fill the available spaces in the LVN program. Students not selected for the program are given a no pass (NP) grade in the course. Eligibility for admission to the LVN program pertains <u>only</u> to the following semester.

4. The student must attend the mandatory orientation.

If you would like more information on the LVN program, call 626-914-8530 to make an appointment with a nursing counselor. Please have your Citrus College student ID number ready to confirm an appointment.

### **APPROXIMATE STUDENT EXPENSES FOR LVN PROGRAM**

*Enrollment, parking, student service fee, campus service fee	\$2,600
Uniforms, shoes, watch, etc.	\$300
Books, Kaplan Test Prep materials	\$2,240
Criminal background check/program tracker fee	\$100
Physical exam, immunizations, CPR card, etc.	\$390
Program completion: license fees, pin, etc.	\$900
Approximate total:	\$6,530

\*Contact admissions and records at 626-914-8511 for current registration fees, which are subject to change. International student tuition and nonresident tuition are priced differently than stated above.



## FULL-TIME LVN PROGRAM CLASSES REQUIRED FOR CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

#### **February Start Date**

#### February – June:

VNRS 150: Fundamentals of Nursing VNRS 151L: Fundamentals of Nursing Lab VNRS 152: Pharmacology I VNRS 153: Introductory Nutrition for the VN VNRS 154: Body Structure Function for the VN I VNRS 155: Social Psychology for the VN VNRS 160: Medical – Surgical Nursing I VNRS 161L: Medical – Surgical Nursing I Lab VNRS 162: Pharmacology II VNRS 163: Diet Therapy for the VN VNRS 164: Body Structure and Function for the VN II VNRS 165: Adult Growth and Development for the VN

#### June – August:

VNRS 180: Pediatric Nursing VNRS 181: Growth and Development: Infancy-Adolescence VNRS 182: Obstetrical-Gynecological Nursing

#### September – December:

VNRS 170: Medical-Surgical Nursing II VNRS 171L: Medical-Surgical Nursing II Lab VNRS 172: Advanced Pharmacology VNRS 173: Psychology for VN VNRS 183: Leadership in Nursing

#### **August Start Date**

#### August – December:

VNRS 150: Fundamentals of Nursing VNRS 151L: Fundamentals of Nursing Lab VNRS 152: Pharmacology I VNRS 153: Introductory Nutrition for the VN VNRS 153: Introductory Nutrition for the VN VNRS 154: Body Structure Function for the VN I VNRS 155: Social Psychology for the VN VNRS 160: Medical – Surgical Nursing I VNRS 160: Medical – Surgical Nursing I Lab VNRS 161L: Medical – Surgical Nursing I Lab VNRS 162: Pharmacology II VNRS 163: Diet Therapy for the VN VNRS 164: Body Structure and Function for the VN II VNRS 165: Adult Growth and Development for the VN

#### February – June:

VNRS 170: Medical-Surgical Nursing II VNRS 171L: Medical-Surgical Nursing II Lab VNRS 172: Advanced Pharmacology VNRS 173: Psychology for VN VNRS 183: Leadership in Nursing

#### June – August:

VNRS 180: Pediatric Nursing VNRS 181: Growth and Development: Infancy-Adolescence VNRS 182: Obstetrical-Gynecological Nursing

Following successful completion of the above courses, students will be qualified to receive a certificate from Citrus College and to take the state licensure exam (NCLEX-PN).