



EL CAMINO COLLEGE ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM WORK SHEET FOR COUNSELING/ADVISEMENT

Requirements	Completed Date	Grade
1. Meet with a Nursing Counselor. El Camino College (ECC) call 310-660-3593 extension 3458/3459 for an appointment; ECC Compton Center call (310) 900-1600 extension 2076 for an appointment.		
2. Provide proof of High School graduation, GED, or proof of college degree.		
3. Attend a Nursing Information Session within one year of applying for admission into the program.		
4. Complete Intermediate algebra (Math 73 or 80) with a grade of C or better or pass the Math Competency Exam to meet the math competency requirement.		
NOTE: Students who entered ECC before summer 2009 and have maintained continuous enrollment (catalog rights) will meet the math competency by completion of Elementary Algebra (Math 40 or 43 or equivalent).		
 5. PREREQUISITE COURSES (the following must be completed prior to applying): a. *Microbiology 33 or equivalent b. Complete anatomy and physiology, students must complete one of the following options: Option 1) Anatomy 32 and *Physiology 31 or equivalent or Option 2) Anatomy and Physiology *34A and 34B (entire sequence must be taken at El Camino College) 		
NOTE: Students must have a GPA of 2.5 or better in the prerequisite courses. To gain admission into the program students can only repeat ONE substandard grade in the basic science prerequisites (human anatomy, human physiology, or microbiology) within seven years of the application filing period. For any course in which a grade of "C" or better was earned, the <u>FIRST</u> course grade will be utilized. Failure to submit transcripts with all grades posted will result in disqualification from the application process.		
6. Complete English 1A with a grade of C or better.		
7. Have official college transcripts from regionally accredited institutions sent directly to El Camino College or Compton Center Admissions and Records. All transcripts from outside the United States must be evaluated by an ECC-approved foreign evaluation service. No hand carried transcripts will be accepted.		
NOTE: Transcripts must be received by the admission office no later than <u>August 1</u> for Fall applications and <u>January 1</u> for Spring applications. Students must confirm with the Admissions Office that transcripts have arrived prior to making a counseling appointment.		
8. Complete Nursing 145 with a minimum grade of C or better. Nursing 145 may be <u>in progress</u> or <u>taken prior</u> to applying to the Nursing Program. If this course is in progress, students must provide documentation of completion of the course to the Nursing Office by the end of the semester.		
9. Complete Nursing 48 with a minimum grade of C or better. Nursing 48 may be <u>in progress</u> or <u>taken prior</u> to applying to the Nursing Program. If this course is in progress, students must provide documentation of completion of the course to the Nursing Office by the end of the semester		
10. All students will be required to take the TEAS exam prior to entering the Associate Degree Nursing Program. Students who fail the TEAS test will be required to complete remediation. The TEAS must be passed on the first or second attempt. Students will not be considered for entry into the nursing program if they have failed the TEAS a total of two or more times at any location. *Students who take the TEAS at ECC and complete ECC remediation must retest at ECC.		

Items 1 through 7 and prerequisite courses, must be completed before an application can be accepted for the Associate Degree Nursing program (Nursing 48 and 145 may be in progress or taken prior to applying to the Nursing Program).

Effective fall 2012 admission into the Associate Degree Nursing program will be based on the multi-criteria screening process. Students invited to take the TEAS will be based on points achieved in areas 1-4 of the multi-criteria screening process. Selection for admission into the program will be based on the total points achieved in all areas (1-5) of the multi-criteria screening process.

* A waiver for the Chemistry prerequisite (Anatomy and Physiology 34A, Microbiology 33, and Physiology 31) may be requested if student has passed a high school Advanced Placement Chemistry Test with a score of 4 or 5 or has passed the ECC Chemistry Placement Test.

The flowing courses can be taken as prerequisites or corequisites: (All courses completed toward the degree must have a minimum grade of "C" and a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 in all college courses taken since high school must be maintained).

- English 1B (must be completed by graduation).
- Psychology 5 or equivalent course taken at another college.

- Sociology 101 or equivalent course taken at another college; (Students who enrolled beginning fall 2006 through spring 2009 will need to take a course from Area 2A or 2B of the A.S. General Education requirements).
- Communication & Analytical Thinking Requirement on the A.S. General Education Requirements.

SAMPLE CURRICULUM FOR ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM

<u>Semester I</u>	<u>Hours</u>		<u>i</u>	Semester II	<u>Hours</u>		
	Lecture	<u>Lab</u>	<u>Units</u>		Lecture	<u>Lab</u>	<u>Units</u>
Nursing 150A (8 weeks) Beginning Nursing Process and Fundamental Skills I	5	9	4	Nursing 153 (8 weeks) Intermediate Nursing Process I	4.5	16.9	4.5
Nursing 150B (8 weeks) Beginning Nursing Process and Fundamental Skills II	3.5	12	3.5	Nursing 154 (8 weeks) Intermediate Nursing Process and Mental Health	4.5	13.5	4
Nursing 151 (8 weeks) Human Development and Health	4.5		2	Nursing 155 (8 weeks) Health Assessment	1	3.4	1
Nursing 152 (8 weeks) Introduction to Nursing Pharmacology	2	-	1	Nursing 156 (8 weeks) Advanced Nursing Pharmacology	2		1
*Sociology 101			3.0	*Psychology 5			3
Total Units			10.5 -13.5	Total Units			10.5 -13.5

Semester III	<u>Hours</u>			Semester IV		<u>Hours</u>	
	Lecture	<u>Lab</u>	<u>Units</u>		Lecture	<u>Lab</u>	<u>Units</u>
Nursing 250 (8 weeks) Intermediate Nursing Process and The Family (Obstetrics & Pediatrics)	6.8	16.9	5.5	Nursing 254 (12 weeks) Advanced Nursing Processes I	4.5	18	7
Nursing 251 (8 weeks) Legal and Ethical Considerations in Nursing	2		1	Nursing 255 (4 weeks) Advanced Nursing Processes I	II	33.75	2.5
Nursing 253 (8 weeks) Intermediate Nursing Process II	4.5	16.9	4.5	*Communication and Analytical Thinking or English 1B	h		3
*Communication and Analytical Thinking or English 1B			3	Total Units			9.5-12.5
Total Units			11 - 14	* These subjects may be taken earlier.			
				Total Program Units		41.5 – 5	3.5

The Associate Degree Nursing Program is a demanding, rigorous program that requires advanced academic preparation, personal commitment, and a considerable amount of time in study and preparation outside of class. Mandatory general information sessions are available each semester to assist prospective applicants in learning more about, the El Camino College Nursing Program, its requirements and how to formulate an educational plan to become a qualified applicant.