NURSING WORKSHEET

NAME STUDENT ID DATE

Associate of Science (Mobility Option)

NORTH HENNEPIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE

NURSING COURSE SEQUENCE (taken once admitted to the nursing program)

Course Number	Title	Credits
Nurs 1220	Nursing Transition **(Summer- Day hours only)**	4
Nurs 2211	Nursing: Provider of Care II (Fall)	8
Nurs 2212	Mgr. of Care & Member of the Discipline of Nursing (Spring)	8
	Transfer Credits from LPN Program	12
Total Nursing		32

Takes 1 year to complete

NURSING PROGRAM ATTENDANCE OPTIONS (students can only apply for ONE option)

1. **DAYTIME**- Nursing courses are offered throughout the week (Mon- Fri 7:00 am to 5:30pm). Clinical requirements may take place outside of this timeframe over the course of the two years.
2. **EVENING/WEEKEND**- Nursing courses are offered 1-2 evenings every week from approximately 6:00pm – 10:00pm AND every other weekend (Saturday & Sunday) for approximately 9 hours each day. Occasionally, there may be requirements that take place outside of this timeframe.

HOW ADMISSION DECISIONS ARE MADE (in order of relative importance)

Most Important factors in the ranking of your application!

1. *Number of required biology courses completed and grades achieved*
2. *Number of required general education courses completed and grades achieved*
3. Overall academic performance including:
   a. Age of Coursework
   b. Repeated Classes
   c. Consistency of academic performance/overall academic record
4. Coursework completed at North Hennepin Community College
5. LPN Performance

GENERAL EDUCATION NURSING CURRICULUM

Note: The following general education courses must be completed prior to the summer Nursing Transition course (Nurs 1220)

- **BIOL 1001/BIOL1101, BIOL 2100, BIOL 2111, BIOL 2112, SPCH 1110, PSYC 1150**
- Remaining general education courses must be completed prior to graduation.

Course #	Title	Credits	Grade	Notes
BIOL 1001/ BIOL1101	Biology 1 (High School level Math & Chem recommended)	4		
BIOL 2100	Microbiology (Prerequisite: BIOL 1001)	4		
BIOL 2111	Human Anatomy & Physiology I (Prerequisite: BIOL 1001)	4		
BIOL 2112	Human Anatomy & Physiology II (Prerequisite: BIOL 2111)	4		
ENGL 1201	College Writing I	4		
PSYC 1150	General Psychology	3		
SPCH 1110	Principles of Interpersonal Communications	3		
SOC 1110	Introduction to Sociology	3		
Goal Area 6*	Humanities/ Fine Arts Elective *Goal Area 6: Please refer to the MN Transfer Curriculum	3		
	Total General ED	32		

At the time of application to the RN Program, competitive applicants have

3 or more biology courses completed, and above 3.0 GPA

AND

3 or more Non-science courses completed, and above 3.0 GPA

Disclaimer: This worksheet is meant to be used as an advising tool. This is NOT the official program guide for the nursing program at NHCC. 3/20/2013

PREREQUISITES FOR NURSING APPLICATION- MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE YOU CAN APPLY

1. ACCUPLACER Placement Test

- Applicants must take the appropriate version of the ACCUPLACER placement test (CPT or ESOL- see below for more information) and place at the appropriate levels as listed below
  - Set up a testing appointment by calling 763-424-0928 and visit the Testing Center website (www.nhcc.edu/testing) for review material and more information about the placement test.
  - ACCUPLACER test scores in Reading Comprehension and Sentence Skills are valid for 3 years and test scores in Math are valid for 2 years

OR

- Applicants must qualify for placement test waivers based on review of previous college level coursework in English composition and math OR for ACT sub-scores.
  - Submit completed Placement Test Waiver form to the Testing Center (the form can be found on the NHCC website at www.nhcc.edu/forms --under the Testing and Placement section, or by visiting the Testing Center)

The **CPT assessment** is for students that have completed 8 or more years of education (elementary through high school) in the United States. Students must …

- **Place into MATH 0902 (Intermediate algebra or higher)**
- **Place as Reading at college-level; no courses required (this indicates no vocabulary course needed).**
- **Place into ENGL 1201; College Writing 1.**

Students placing into ANY of the following courses must complete the *respective course sequence* with a C or higher grade since taking the assessment and prior to applying. (Progression moves from left to right.)			
Math	MATH 0800	MATH 0901	
Reading	ADEV 0951	ADEV 0952	ADEV 1950
Vocabulary	ADEV 0940		
Writing	ENGL 0900	ENGL 0950	

The **ESOL assessment** is for students have completed 0-7 years of education (elementary through high school) in the United States. Students must …

- **Place into MATH 0902 (Intermediate algebra or higher)**
- **Place as Reading at college-level; no courses required.**
- **Place into ENGL 1201; College Writing 1**
- **Place as Listening & Speaking at college-level; no courses required.**
- **Place as Vocabulary at college-level; no courses required.**

Students placing into ANY of the following courses must complete the *respective course sequence* with a C or higher grade since taking the assessment and prior to applying. (Progression moves from left to right.)			
Math	MATH 0800	MATH 0901	
Reading	ESOL 0830	ESOL 0930	ESOL 1230
Writing	ESOL 0860	ESOL 0960	ESOL 1260
	* Some Students may test as needing ENGL 0950		
Listening & Speaking	ESOL 0880	ESOL 0980	ESOL 1280
Vocabulary	ESOL 0800	ESOL 0900	

2. Completion of Chemistry

- Applicants should have completed at least High School Chemistry taken in the US (at least 1/2 year) with a "C" or better **OR** a college level Introduction to Chemistry (CHEM 1010) with a "C" or better.

3. Minimum GPA

- 2.75 GPA (Only courses required in the nursing curriculum will be used to determine GPA.)
- And 2.75 GPA in required biology courses.

4. Nursing Admissions Assessment

This assessment will test students on the science courses and pertinent subjects to help predict success in Nursing. Please check the website (www.nhcc.edu/nursing) for more details about when and where the assessment will be offered.

5. **Be a graduate** (or pending graduation by August 15) of a state-approved practical nursing program and **be licensed** as a practical nurse, active status, or pending licensure by August 15.

Note:

Minnesota law requires that any person who provides services that involve direct contact with patients and residents at a health facility licensed by the Minnesota Department of Health must have a background study conducted by the state. Any individual who is disqualified from having direct patient contact as a result of the background study, and whose disqualification is not set aside by the Commission of Health, will not be permitted to participate in a clinical placement in a Minnesota licensed health care facility. Failure to participate in a clinical placement required by the academic program could result in ineligibility to qualify for a degree in this program.