

These requirements apply to students entering **Fall 2015**. The Nursing Program is accredited by the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing, Inc. (ACEN), fully approved by the Montana State Board of Nursing, and have been designed to prepare graduates who will be eligible to apply for RN Licensure. Upon completion of the program, graduates will be able to give direct patient-centered, safe and effective care. They may function in cooperation with other members of the health team in hospitals, nursing homes, doctors' offices and other health agencies.

NOTE: This program has specific entrance requirements. There is a chemistry pre-requisite for BIOH Human Anatomy and Physiology. Students intending to enter the Nursing program will be admitted through a formal selection process. Students who have yet to be admitted to the program will be classified as Pre-Nursing. Prior to admission to the program, students must take the ATI Test of Essential Academic Skills and Critical Thinking Exams. The program course requirements are presented in sequence. Part-time students and others who cannot follow this sequence should check the course descriptions in this Catalog to determine prerequisites and, in addition, should consult their academic advisor regarding the order in which they take courses.

Course Number	Course Name	Didactic Credits	Lab Credits	Clinical Credits	Total Credits
BIOH 201/202	Human Anatomy and Physiology I with Lab	3	1		4
CHMY 121 & 122	Intro to General Chemistry with Lab	3	1		4
WRIT 101	College Writing I	3			3
PSYX 100	Introduction to Psychology	3			3
NRSNG 101	Fundamentals of Nursing I for ASN	4			4
NRSNG 102	Fundamentals of Nursing for ASN I Clinical			3	3
Total Credits Semester 1		16	2	3	21
Semester 2-SPRING 2016 17 Credits					
Course Number	Course Name	Didactic Credits	Lab Credits	Clinical Credits	Total Credits
BIOH 211/212	Human Anatomy and Physiology II with Lab	3	1		4
NRSNG 103	Fundamental of Nursing II for ASN	4			4
NRSNG 104	Fundamental of Nursing II for ASN Clinical			3	3
NRSNG 105	Nursing Pharmacology for ASN	2			2
NRSNG 205	Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing for ASN	3			3
NRSNG 206	Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing for ASN Clinical			1	1
Total Credits Semester 2		12	1	4	17
Semester 3-SUMMER 2016 4 Credits					
Course Number	Course Name	Didactic Credits	Lab Credits	Clinical Credits	Total Credits
BIOM 250/251	Microbiology for Health Sciences with Lab	3	1		4
Total Credits Semester 3		3	1		4
Semester 4-FALL 2016 14 Credits					
Course Number	Course Name	Didactic Credits	Lab Credits	Clinical Credits	Total Credits
NRSNG 244	Adult Nursing II	3			3
NRSNG 245	Adult Nursing II Clinical			2	2
NRSNG 236	Health and Illness of Maternal Nursing	2			2
NRSNG 237	Health and Illness of Maternal Nursing Clinical			1	1
NRSNG 208	Pharmacology II for ASN	2			2
M 121/STAT 216	College Algebra/Intro to Statistics	4			4
Total Credits Semester 4		11	0	3	14

Semester 5-SPRING 2017 19 Credits					
Course Number	Course Name	Didactic Credits	Lab Credits	Clinical Credits	Total Credits
NRSG 259	Adult Nursing III	3			3
NRSG 261	Adult Nursing III Clinical			3	3
NRSG 246	Health and Illness of Child and Family Nursing	2			2
NRSG 247	Health and Illness of Child and Family Nursing Clinical			1	1
NRSG 266	Managing Client Care for the RN	2			2
NRSG 267	Managing Client Care for the RN Clinical			2	2
PHL 221 PHL 110	Intro to Philosophy and Biomedical Ethics <i>or</i> Intro to Ethics	3 3			3
COMX 111	Intro to Public Speaking	3			3
Total Credits Semester 5		13	0	6	19
Total ASN Program Credits		55	4	16	75