

Program Modification

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Program Area: **NURSING**

Semester /Year First affected: **FALL 2016**

Instructions: Please use this Program Modification form for changes to existing program requirements, units, outcomes, emphases or options, or for other programmatic concerns. For minor changes (faculty or address changes, additions of approved electives, minor editing for clarity, and other minor updates) use the Program Update form, available at the Curriculum website.

Paste the latest approved version of your entire program in the left AND right boxes below. Make your deletions in the LEFT column by using the strikethrough feature in Word or underlining, **and highlight**. Insert new language or other changes to the program on the RIGHT and highlight in **YELLOW** for easy identification. If possible, please align the two columns so that changes appear side-by-side with the original text.

SUMMARY OF CHANGES

Catalog year 2016-17 changes are reflected in this document. Unit value changes have been made for NRS 391, 401 and 461 resulting in updated totals for the program and *Major Courses*. GE course section has been updated to add clarity and reflect the format in Track II.

JUSTIFICATION

Program reduced to 120 units per CSU directive.

CURRENTLY APPROVED PROGRAM

Nursing: Generic Track I, B.S.N.

125.5 units

Summary of Units:

Prerequisite Course Requirements	28
Lower Division Major Requirements	31.5
Upper Division Major Requirements	33
Required Supporting and Other General Education Requirements including American Institutions	30
Total Units	122.5

PROPOSED PROGRAM

Nursing: Generic Track I, B.S.N.

120 units

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Lower Division Major Requirements	31.5
Upper Division Major Requirements	30.5
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Total Units	120

Beginning with the 2014-2015 cohort (BS Nursing major only):

1. American Institutions courses are allowed to double count with GE Area D

2. The GE Area B4 requirements has been waived

3. This major is in transition until Fall 2016 when it will become 120 units. Students admitted in 2014 and 2015 cohort should see the Nursing Department for relevant advising forms.

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Requirements for Admission

Application - Application for the program is a two step process. For incoming freshman apply to the University as a pre-nursing major during the application period (November) the year before intended enrollment. Upon completion of the prerequisite courses (or while the courses are still in progress for the spring semester) apply to the nursing program in February. For transfer students apply to the University during the application period (November) and the nursing program the following February the semester before you wish to be considered for admissions (all prerequisite courses must be either completed or in progress with a grade of C or better).

Prerequisite Courses - Specific Courses are listed in the major below.

Grade Point Average - An overall GPA of 2.0 or greater in the prerequisite nursing courses with no grade lower than a C.

Eligibility - Pre-nursing majors must be accepted to the nursing major to be eligible for the lower division nursing courses.

Insurance/Health Clearance - Students in the nursing program are required to have health insurance, demonstrate a sufficient immunization record consistent with that required of clinical placement in local health care agencies and pass a physical examination.

Students must complete a criminal background check and drug screening prior to clinical placement.

Impaction Status - This status was granted by the CSU Chancellor's Office and supplemental criteria for admission will be required.

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Prerequisite Courses – 28 units

Completion of all nursing major prerequisite courses or their equivalents

- [BIOL 210 - Human Anatomy and Physiology I](#) Units: 4
- [BIOL 211 - Human Anatomy and Physiology II](#) Units: 4
- [BIOL 217 - Medical Microbiology](#) Units: 4
- [CHEM 110 - Chemistry of Life](#) Units: 4
- [COMM 101 - Public Speaking](#) Units: 3
- [ENGL 105 - Composition and Rhetoric I](#) Units: 3 *or*
- [ENGL 106 - Composition and Rhetoric II - Service Learning](#) Units: 3
- [BIOL 203 - Quantitative Methods for Biology](#) Units: 3 *or*
- [MATH 202 - Biostatistics \(Cross-listed as PSY 202\)](#) Units: 3
- Completion of Critical Thinking Requirement, GE A3 Units: 3

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- [NRS 204 - Pharmacology of Nursing Practice I](#) Units: 1.5
- [NRS 220 - Nursing Care of Adults with Acute and Chronic Illness I](#) Units: 3
- [NRS 221 - Nursing Care of Adults with Acute and Chronic Illness Lab I](#) Units: 3
- [NRS 222 - Nursing Care Of Adults With Acute And Chronic Illness II](#) Units: 3
- [NRS 223 - Nursing Care Of Adults With Acute And Chronic Illness Lab II](#) Units: 3
- [NRS 230 - Nursing Care of Mothers, Infants, and Women](#) Units: 2
- [NRS 231 - Nursing Care of Mothers, Infants, and Women Lab](#) Units: 2
- [NRS 232 - Nursing Care of Children and Families](#) Units: 2
- [NRS 233 - Nursing Care of Children and Families Laboratory](#) Units: 2
- [NRS 240 - Psychiatric and Mental Health Nursing](#) Units: 2
- [NRS 241 - Psychiatric and Mental Health Laboratory](#) Units: 2

Upper Division Major Requirements - 33 units

- [NRS 304 - Pharmacology of Nursing Practice II](#) Units: 2
- [NRS 306 - Pathophysiology](#) Units: 3
- [NRS 350 - Nursing Research](#) Units: 3
- [NRS 352 - Health Promotion And Patient Education Strategies](#) Units: 2
- [NRS 391 - Transition to Professional Practice Laboratory](#) Units: 3
- [NRS 401 - Advanced Clinical Assessment Lab](#) Units: 2
- [NRS 420 - Nursing Care of the Complex Client Across the Continuum](#) Units: 3
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- [NRS 306 - Pathophysiology](#) Units: 3
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- [NRS 391 - Transition to Professional Practice Laboratory](#) Units: 2
- [NRS 401 - Advanced Clinical Assessment Lab](#) Units: 1
- [NRS 420 - Nursing Care of the Complex Client Across the Continuum](#) Units: 3
- [NRS 421 - Nursing Care of the Complex Client Across the Continuum](#)

[Laboratory](#) Units: 3

- [NRS 452 - Community Health Nursing](#) Units: 3
- [NRS 453 - Community Health Nursing Lab](#) Units: 3
- [NRS 460 - Nursing Leadership and Professional Issues](#) Units: 3
- [NRS 461 - Nursing Leadership Laboratory](#) Units: 3

Required Supporting and Other General Education Requirements - 30 units

1. Biology - 3 units

- [BIOL 432 - Principles Of Epidemiology And Environmental Health](#) Units: 3
UDIGE

2. Social Perspectives - 6 units

- [ANTH 443 - Medical Anthropology: Cross-Cultural Perspectives on Health and Healing](#) Units: 3 UDIGE or
- [NRS 348 - Healthy Aging \(Cross-listed as PSY 348, SOC 348\)](#) Units: 3
And
- [ANTH 102 - Cultural Anthropology](#) Units: 3 or
- [SOC 100 - Introduction to Sociology](#) Units: 3

3. Psychology - 3 units

- [PSY 100 - Introduction to Psychology](#) Units: 3

Note:

Second baccalaureate Nursing students will not need the courses below:

[Laboratory](#) Units: 3

- [NRS 452 - Community Health Nursing](#) Units: 3
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4. Other GE courses - 12 units

3 units each in C1, C2, and C3A

3 units upper division GE

- ~~NRS 342 - Complementary and Alternative Health (Cross-listed as PSY 342)~~
Units: 3 UDIGE

5. American Institutions - 6 units

Meets GE D requirements for nursing students

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4. Upper Division GE - 3 units

- NRS 342 - Complementary and Alternative Health (Cross-listed as PSY 342)
Units: 3 UDIGE

5. Other GE courses - 9 units

- 3 units Language requirement, GE C3A
- 3 units each in GE C1 and C2

6. American Institutions - 6 units

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____ Karen Jensen _____ 8.24.15 _____
Proposer of Program Modification Date

APPROVAL SHEET

Program:



If your course has a General Education Component or involves Center affiliation, the Center will also sign off during the approval process.

Multiple Chair fields are available for cross-listed courses.

The CI program review process includes a report from the respective department/program on its progress toward accessibility requirement compliance. By signing below, I acknowledge the importance of incorporating accessibility in course design.

Program Chair		
	Signature	Date

Curriculum Chair		
	Signature	Date

AVP		
	Signature	Date