

CITRUS COLLEGE REGISTERED NURSING PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

LVN 30-Unit Option

Enrollment in the Citrus College Registered Nursing Program – **30-Unit Option** – is open to persons regardless of sex, age, marital status, disability, ethnic group, religion or national origin. **Applications are accepted once a year for fall admission.** For a complete description of the 30-Unit option please go to: www.citruscollege.edu/academics/programs/adn

Students seeking admission to the 30-unit option must meet all of the following criteria:

- A GPA of 2.5 or higher for the Human Physiology and Microbiology prerequisite courses with no grade less than a “C” for each course is required.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher for all college coursework attempted, *regardless of* applicability to nursing requirements.
- Human Physiology and Microbiology must have been completed within the last five (5) years.
- No more than one repetition of any of the prerequisite courses in the last five (5) years is permitted. A “W” grade does not count as a repetition.
- Core sciences must meet or exceed the 4.0 unit minimum with a laboratory component, as required by the California Community College Chancellor’s office.
- Online prerequisite courses (Human Physiology and Microbiology) are not accepted.
- **Possess a current, active California Vocational Nursing License.**
- Good standing student status (academic and in progress).
- Before beginning the program, the student must successfully pass the current version of the ATI TEAS exam with a score of 62% or higher.
- Meet the minimum physical and mental qualifications to perform essential nursing functions.
- Background check, including Social Security verification and criminal history.
- High school education or equivalent.

30-UNIT OPTION PREREQUISITES TAKEN PRIOR TO ENTRY

The following prerequisites ***must be completed*** with a minimum of “C” or better before applying to the 30-Unit Option. **These courses cannot be in progress.**

COURSE and TITLE	UNITS
BIOLOGY 201* - HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY *Prerequisite(s): BIOL 200 and CHEM 103 or CHEM 104 or CHEM 110 or CHEM 111 or CHEM 112	4.0
BIOLOGY 220* - MICROBIOLOGY *Prerequisite(s): BIOL 105 or BIOL 105H or BIOL 124 and CHEM 103 or CHEM 104 or CHEM 110 or CHEM 111 or CHEM 112	5.0

REQUESTS FOR EQUIVALENCY

If you are uncertain whether a course taken inside or outside the California Community College system is equivalent to the Citrus College course, please contact the Nursing Counselor.

HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION OR EQUIVALENT

Applicants must provide proof of graduation from:

- An accredited high school in the United States by transcripts or diploma or;
- Documentation of a passing score on the General Education Development (GED) exam or;

- Associate, or Baccalaureate degree from an accredited institution of higher education in the United States or;
- Official evaluation of international diploma/degree