

## AASN Course Descriptions (RNSG)\* ◊

**1309 Introduction to Nursing (3-0-0).** Overview of nursing and the role of the professional nurse as a provider of care, coordinator of care, and member of a profession. Topics include knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Corequisites: RNSG 1361, 1105, 1108

**1361 Clinical – Nursing (0-0-9).** A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Corequisites: RNSG 1309, 1105, 1108

**1105 Nursing Skills I (0-2-0).** Study of the concepts and principles essential for demonstrating competence in the performance of nursing procedures. Topics include knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Corequisites: RNSG 1309, 1361, 1108

**1108 Dosage Calculations for Nursing (1-0-0).** Dosage calculations include reading, interpreting and solving calculation problems encountered in the preparation of medications; and conversion of measurements within the apothecary, avoirdupois, and metric system.

Corequisites: RNSG 1309, 1361, 1105

**1341 Common Concepts of Adult Health (3-0-0).** Study of the general principles of caring for selected adult clients and families in structured settings with common medical-surgical health care needs related to each body system. Emphasis on knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Prerequisites: RNSG 1309, 1361, 1105, 1108

Corequisites: RNSG 1363, 1144, 1301

**1363 Clinical – Nursing (0-0-9).** A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional

Prerequisites: RNSG 1309, 1361, 1105, 1108

Corequisites: RNSG 1341, 1144, 1301

**1144 Nursing Skills II (0-2-0).** Study of the concepts and principles necessary to perform intermediate or advanced nursing skills; and demonstrate competence in the performance of nursing procedures. Topics include knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Prerequisites: RNSG 1309, 1361, 1105, 1108

Corequisites: RNSG 1341, 1363, 1301

**1301 Pharmacology (3-0-0).** Introduction to the science of pharmacology with emphasis on the actions, interactions, adverse effects, and nursing implications of each drug classification. Topics include the roles and responsibilities of the nurse in safe administration of medications within a legal/ethical framework.

Prerequisites: RNSG 1309, 1361, 1105, 1108

Corequisites: RNSG 1341, 1363, 1144

**2213 Mental Health Nursing (2-0-0).** Principles and concepts of mental health, psychopathology and treatment modalities related to the nursing care of clients and their families.

Prerequisites: RNSG 1341, 1363, 1144, 1301,

Corequisite: RNSG 1163

**1163 Clinical – Nursing (0-0-3).** A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional

Prerequisites: RNSG 1341, 1363, 1144, 1301

Corequisite: RNSG 2213

**2201 Care of Children and Families (2-0-0).** Study of concepts related to the provision of nursing care for children and their families, emphasizing judgment, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Prerequisites: RNSG 2213, 1163

Corequisite: RNSG 2260

**2260 Clinical – Nursing (0-0-6).** A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Prerequisites: RNSG 2213, 1163

Corequisite: RNSG 2201

**2208 Maternal/Newborn and Women’s Health (2-0-0).** Study of concepts related to the provision of nursing care for normal childbearing families and those at risk, as well as women’s health issues; competency in knowledge, judgment, skill, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework, including a focus on normal and high-risk needs for the childbearing family during the preconception, prenatal, intrapartum, neonatal, and postpartum periods; and consideration of selected issues in women’s health.

Prerequisites: Biology 2411, 2213, 1163

Corequisites: RNSG 2261, 2221

**2261 Clinical Nursing (0-0-6).** A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Prerequisites: Biology 2411, RNSG 2213 and RNSG 1163

Corequisites: RNSG 2208, 2221

**2221 Management of Client Care (2-0-0).** Exploration of leadership and management principles applicable to the role of the nurse as a provider of care, and member of a profession. Includes application of knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Prerequisites: RNSG 2213, 1163

Corequisites: RNSG 2208, 2261

**1343 Complex Concepts of Adult Health (3-0-0).** Integration of previous knowledge and skills related to common adult health needs into the continued development of the professional nurse as a provider of care, coordinator of care, and member of a profession in the care of adult clients/families in structured health care settings with complex medical-surgical health care needs associated with each body system. Emphasis on knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework.

Prerequisites: RNSG 2201, 2260, 2208, 2261, 2221

Corequisite: RNSG 2361, 1146

**2361 Clinical Nursing (0-0-9).** A health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Prerequisites: RNSG 2201, 2260, 2208, 2261, 2221

Corequisite: RNSG 1343, 1146

**1146 Legal and Ethical Issues for Nurses (1-0-0).** Study of the laws and regulations related to the provision of safe, effective professional nursing care; attention given to the development of a framework for addressing ethical issues; and topics to include confidentiality, the Nursing Practice Act, professional boundaries, ethics, and health care legislation.

Prerequisites: RNSG 2201, 2260, 2208, 2261, 2221

Corequisites: RNSG 1343, 2361

**1227 Transition from Vocational to Professional Nursing (2-0-0).** Topics include health promotion, expanded assessment, analysis of data, nursing process, pharmacology, multi-disciplinary teamwork, communication, and applicable competencies in knowledge, judgment, skills, and professional values within a legal/ethical framework throughout the lifespan.

Prerequisites: Admission to the LVN Transition Track

Corequisites: RNSG 1160

**1160 Clinical – Nursing (0-0-3).** An intermediate health-related work-based learning experience that enables the student to apply specialized occupational theory, skills, and concepts. Direct supervision is provided by the clinical professional.

Prerequisites: Admission to the LVN Transition Track

Corequisite: RNSG 1227

\*All co-requisite courses must be successfully completed simultaneously in order to progress.

◇Clinical nursing grades: P, F, NC, W