



## Department of Nursing and Rehabilitation Sciences ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING PROGRAM LVN-RN TRANSITION PROGRAMS

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### Standards for Admission and Progression LVN-RN Transition Programs

#### Admission:

- All applicants must be fully admitted to Angelo State University before applying to the LVN-RN Transition Programs. Official transcripts from each college attended must be submitted to the Office of Admissions.
- NOTE: Due to a recent revision to the ASU transfer course policy, all coursework taken elsewhere and transferred into ASU must be a C or better to meet prerequisite requirements. Please see the transfer office if you have any questions about this policy.
- Completed prerequisite courses with a minimum GPA of 2.5:
  - Biology 2411 – Microbiology *OR* Nursing 2411 – Microbiology
  - Biology 2423 – Anatomy
  - Biology 2424 – Physiology
  - English 1301
  - Math 1302 – College Algebra *OR* 1324 – Finite Mathematics I
  - Psychology 1303 – Psychology of Adjustment *OR* 2301 – General Psychology
  - Psychology 2304 – Developmental Psychology
  - NUR 2324 – Pathophysiology

**\*\*\*Minimum grade of “C” in all science and math courses**
- **TEAS V** exam scores
- The LVN applicant must have a valid, unencumbered, Texas LVN license.
- Students wishing to apply for the Hospital Affiliate Program must demonstrate minimum competency in three specialty areas of nursing, Mental Health, Maternal-Child, and Pediatrics prior to acceptance into the LVN-RN Affiliate Program. Competency is demonstrated by passing specialty exams in these content areas with a 70% or higher score. All exams are administered through the National League for Nursing (NLN) Online Testing Service; for more information please review the [specialty exam requirements](#).

**All applicants must meet the requirements for progression and graduation as outlined in the following pages.**



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**Program Progression:**

	HOSPITAL AFFILIATE	TRADITIONAL
Prerequisites:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Biology 2423 (Anatomy)</li> <li>• Biology 2424 Physiology</li> <li>• Biology 2411 OR Nursing 2411 (Microbiology)</li> <li>• Math 1302 (College Algebra) or 1311 Math for Business)</li> <li>• Psychology 1303 Psychology of Adjustment) or 2301 (General Psychology)</li> <li>• Psychology 2304 (Developmental Psychology)</li> <li>• English 1301</li> <li>• NUR 2338 (Computer Course)</li> <li>• Pathophysiology</li> </ul> Specialty Exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OB/GYN</li> <li>• PEDI</li> <li>• Mental Health</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Biology 2423 (Anatomy)</li> <li>• Biology 2424 Physiology</li> <li>• Biology 2411 OR Nursing 2411 (Microbiology)</li> <li>• Math 1302 (College Algebra) or 1311 Math for Business)</li> <li>• Psychology 1303 Psychology of Adjustment) or 2301 (General Psychology)</li> <li>• Psychology 2304 (Developmental Psychology)</li> <li>• English 1301</li> <li>• NUR 2338 (Computer Course)</li> <li>• Pathophysiology</li> </ul>
Semester 1	RNSG 1227 AND RNSG 1160 LVN to RN Transition Course	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• RNSG 1227 AND RNSG 1160 LVN to RN Transition Course</li> </ul>
Semester 2	RNSG 2427 Transition to LVN RNSG 2527 Capstone Course	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• RNSG 2201 and RNSG 2260 Pediatric Nursing</li> <li>• RNSG 2208 and RNSG 2261 OB &amp; Women's Health</li> <li>• RNSG 2221 Management of Client Care</li> </ul>
Semester 3	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• RNSG 1343 and RNSG 2361 Complex Concepts of Adult Health</li> <li>• RNSG 1207 Nursing Jurisprudence</li> </ul>
Summer	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• RNSG 2213 and RNSG 1163 Mental Health</li> </ul>



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### Graduation:

The following courses must be completed in order to graduate with the AASN degree at Angelo State University:

- RNSG 1227 **AND** RNSG 1160 \* Transition from Vocational to Professional Nursing I
- RNSG 2427 & RNSG 2527\*\* Transition from Vocational to Professional Nursing II
- NUR 2411 – Microbiology OR BIO 2411 – Microbiology
- NUR 2324 – Pathophysiology
- NUR 2338 – Computer Literacy
- Biology 2423 – Anatomy
- Biology 2424 – Physiology
- English 1301 – Freshmen English
- Math 1302 – College Algebra OR 1324 – Finite Mathematics I
- Psychology 1303 – Psychology of Adjustment OR 2301 – General Psychology
- Psychology 2304 – Developmental Psychology

### Minimum grade of “C” in all science courses

\*Upon completion of RNSG 1227 with a grade of C or better, the LVN student is given credit for RNSG 1105 Nursing Skills I, RNSG 1108 Dosage Calculations in Nursing, RNSG 1144 Nursing Skills II, RNSG 1309 Introduction to Nursing, RNSG 1361 Clinical, RNSG 1341 Common Concepts of Adult Health, RNSG 1363 Clinical, and RNSG 1207.

\*\*Upon completion of RNSG 2427 and RNSG 2527 with a grade of C or better as well as successful completion of the subject exam, the LVN student is given credit for RNSG 1343 Complex Concepts of Adult Health, RNSG 2361 Clinical/ RNSG 2201 Pediatric Nursing/ RNSG 2261 Clinical/ RNSG 2208 OB and Women's Health/ RNSG 2260 Clinical/ RNSG 2213 Mental Health Nursing/ RNSG 1163 Clinical/ RNSG 2221 Management of Client Care/ RNSG 1207 Jurisprudence.

This plan meets all of the requirements for the Associate of Applied Science in Nursing and a portion of the core curriculum requirements for a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree.