



AMERICARE TECHNICAL SCHOOL PRACTICAL NURSING PROGRAM 2017 – 2018

PATHWAY: Practical Nursing

The Practical Nursing program provides students with a basic knowledge of nursing theory and practice. Graduates of the practical nursing program meet the educational requirements for the National Council Licensure Examination for Practical Nurses (NCLEX-PN) to become a licensed Practical Nurse (LPN).

PROGRAM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High School Diploma or GED • Program Application/Physical Examination/Immunizations • Official Transcripts | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certified Nursing Assistant • Pre-Admissions Test (TEAS test- Pass at 60%)
Submission to a Criminal Background Check |
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QUARTER-BY-QUARTER PROGRAM PLAN FOR STUDENTS

Quarter Term 1	CREDITS	ACHIEVEMENTS & NEXT ACTIONS
• INTRO 101 Introduction to Health Science	4.0	
• MT 101 Medical Terminology	4.0	
• CIS 101 Introduction to Computers	3.0	
• AP I Anatomy & Physiology I	7.0	
18 CREDIT HOURS		
Quarter Term 2	CREDITS	ACHIEVEMENTS & NEXT ACTIONS
• MAT 201 Math for the Healthcare Professional	4.0	
• PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology	4.0	
• AP II Anatomy & Physiology II	7.0	
15 CREDIT HOURS		
Quarter Term 3	Credits	ACHIEVEMENTS & NEXT ACTIONS
• NUR 101 Fundamentals of Nursing	13.0	
• NUR 102 Nutrition	2.0	
15 CREDIT HOURS		
Quarter Term 4	CREDIT HOURS	ACHIEVEMENTS & NEXT ACTIONS
• NUR 201 Medical Surgical Nursing I	12.0	Pass the Content Mastery Exam
• NUR 202 Pharmacology I	4.0	Pharmacology is a requirement for Medical Surgical I Clinical Rotation
16 CREDIT HOURS		
Quarter Term 5	CREDITS	ACHIEVEMENTS & NEXT ACTIONS
• NUR 301 Medical Surgical Nursing II	12.0	Pharmacology is a requirement for Medical Surgical I Clinical Rotation
• NUR 302 Pharmacology II	4.0	Pass the Content Mastery Exam
16 CREDIT HOURS		
Quarter Term 6	CREDITS	ACHIEVEMENTS & NEXT ACTIONS
• NUR 401 Mental Health Nursing	5.0	Pass the Content Mastery Exam
• NUR 402 Maternal Newborn	5.0	
• NUR 403 Child Nursing	5.0	
15 CREDIT HOURS		
Quarter Term 7	CREDITS	ACHIEVEMENTS & NEXT ACTIONS
• NUR 501 Transition to Nursing	12.0	Pass the Content Mastery Exam
12 CREDIT HOURS		

Students are required to adhere to the School's NCLEX-PN requirements prior to eligibility to sit for the exam.