

**Change of Program or Certificate Proposal**

**Note required information:** Program or certificate changes require a change to the catalog page. All change of program or certificate proposals must include the new catalog page, with all proposed changes, at the end of this document. All changes that affect the courses, words, numbers, symbols, program description, admissions requirements, and graduation requirements must be documented. Note before completing this proposal that all new courses and current prerequisite, co-requisite, core, or elective courses changes must have already been reviewed (or submitted for the same meeting) by the Curriculum Committee and approved by the Provost. The Track Changes feature in Word must be used to illustrate all changes to the catalog page.

<b>School or Division</b>	School of Health Professions
<b>Program or Certificate</b>	ASN
<b>Proposed by (faculty only)</b>	June Davis
<b>Presenter (faculty only)</b>	June Davis
Note that the presenter (faculty) listed above must be present at the Curriculum Committee meeting or the proposal will be returned to the School or Division and be resubmitted for a later date.	
<b>Submission date</b>	10/12/2020

**Section I, Important Dates and Endorsements Required**

**NOTE:** Course and Program changes must be submitted by the dates listed on the published Curriculum Committee Calendar. Exceptions to the published submission deadlines must receive prior approval from the Provost' Office.

<b>Term in which approved action will take place</b>	Fall 2021
<b>Provide an explanation below for the requested exception to the effective date.</b>	
N/A	

<b>List all faculty endorsements below. (Note that proposals will be returned to the School or Division if faculty endorsements are not provided).</b>
Dr Angela Vitale, Prof Judith Sweeney, Prof June Davis Supported by the vast majority of the faculty

**Section II, Proposed Changes**

<b>Do any of the changes affect the AA focus? (If so, a Change of Program proposal is also needed.)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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Have the deans of the General Studies been contacted/consulted?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you attached an updated catalog page?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Change of School, Division, or Department	N/A
Change to program or certificate name	N/A
<b>List below, any changes to the program or certificate prerequisites. Include course titles and credits if applicable.</b>	
<p>In current catalog, 3 courses are listed under Admissions Requirements. That section has been completely reworked to include 3 admissions cohorts.</p> <p><b>Program Pre-requisites</b></p> <p><b>From:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BSC 1085C (or BSC 1093C) Anatomy &amp; Physiology I (4 credits)</li> <li>• BSC 1086C (or BSC 1094C) Anatomy &amp; Physiology II (4 credits)</li> <li>• STA 2023 Statistical Methods I (3 credits)</li> </ul> <p><b>To:</b></p> <p><b>For High School Applicants: No prerequisite courses required.</b></p> <p><b>For Current College Students:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HUN 1201 - Human Nutrition with a C or better.</li> <li>• ENC 1101 - Composition I with a C or better.</li> <li>• DEP 2004 - Lifespan Development with a C or better.</li> <li>• BSC 1085C - Anatomy and Physiology I with a C or better.</li> </ul> <p><b>For LPN Applicants:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HUN 1201 - Human Nutrition with a C or better.</li> <li>• ENC 1101 - Composition I with a C or better.</li> <li>• DEP 2004 - Lifespan Development with a C or better.</li> <li>• BSC 1085C - Anatomy and Physiology I with a C or better.</li> <li>• BSC 1086C - Anatomy and Physiology II with a C or better.</li> </ul>	
<b>List below, any changes to the General Education requirements. Include course titles and credits if applicable.</b>	

**Only CHANGES listed below. Keep all other courses as is.**

**FROM:**

**General Education Requirements:**

- Humanities - (Core recommended for the RN to BSN Degree) **3 credits**
- STA 2023 - Statistical Methods I **3 credits**
- BSC 1085C - Anatomy and Physiology I **4 credits** or BSC 1093C - Anatomy and Physiology I **4 credits**

**Program Specific Coursework: 14 credits require)**

- BSC 1086C - Anatomy and Physiology II **4 credits** or BSC 1094C - Anatomy and Physiology II **4 credits**

**TO:**

**General Education Requirements:**

- Any General Education Humanities **3 credits**
- Any General Education Mathematics (STA 2023 Statistical Methods required for entry into the RN to BSN Program) **3 credits**
- BSC 1085C - Anatomy and Physiology I **4 credits**

**Program Specific Coursework: 14 credits required**

- BSC 1086C - Anatomy and Physiology II **4 credits**

**List below, any changes to the program or certificate Core requirements. Include course titles and credits if applicable.**

**REMOVING EXISTING NURSING CORE COURSES (to be discontinued once teach out is complete)**

NUR 1020 Health and Wellness Across the Lifespan – 6 credits

NUR 1020L Health and Wellness Across the Lifespan Clinical - 3 credits

NUR 1025L Health and Wellness Across the Lifespan Practicum – 1 credit

NUR 1034 Health to Illness Across the Lifespan – 5 credits

NUR 1034L Health to Illness Across the Lifespan Clinical – 3 credits

NUR 1214L Health to Illness Across the Lifespan Practicum – 1 credit

NUR 2035 Health Alterations Across the Lifespan – 5 credits

NUR 2035L Health Alterations Across the Lifespan Clinical – 3 credits

NUR 2424 Maternal Nursing Concepts – 1 credit

NUR 2244 Families in Crisis: Complex Health Problems – 5 credits

NUR 2244L Families in Crisis: Complex Health Problems Clinical - 3 credits

NUR 2941L Clinical Preceptorship - 2 credits

**REPLACING WITH/ADDING NEW POPULATION BASED C COURSES**

NUR 1020C Fundamentals of Nursing I (5 credits)

NUR 1050C Fundamentals of Nursing II (5 credits)

NUR 2211C Adult Health Nursing I (5 credits)

NUR 2213C Adult Health Nursing II (5 credits)

NUR 2420C Maternal Nursing (4 credits)

NUR 1511C Mental Health Nursing (4 credits)

NUR 1068C Health Assessment (4 credits)

NUR 2310C Pediatric Nursing (4 credits)

NUR 2942L Clinical Preceptorship (2 credits)

**KEEP PHARMACOLOGY COURSES (NO CHANGE)**

NUR 2092 Introduction to Pharmacological Nursing (2 credits)

NUR 2144 Pharmacological Nursing (2 credits)

**List below, any changes to the program or certificate Elective requirements. Include course titles and credits if applicable.**

N/A there are no elective requirements in the ASN degree

**List below, any other changes to the program or certificate requirements.**

No additional requirements changed. However, AS Nursing Pathway course lists adjusted to reflect new course numbers above. This section should now read:

**AS Nursing Pathway**

ENC 1101, DEP 2004, BSC 1085C, HUN 1201

**Nursing 1** - [NUR 1020C](#), [NUR 1068C](#), , [NUR 2092](#), BSC 1086C

**Nursing 2** - [NUR 1050C](#), [NUR 1511C](#), [NUR 2144](#), PSY 2012 or SYG 1000

**Nursing 3** - [NUR 2211C](#), [NUR 2420C](#), MCB 2010C, Any General Education Mathematics **3 credits** (STA 2023 Statistical Methods required for entry into the RN to BSN program)

**Nursing 4** - [NUR 2213C](#), [NUR 2310C](#), [NUR 2942L](#), any General Education Humanities **3 credits**

<b>Change to program length (credits or clock hours to complete)</b>	N/A
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**Include complete new catalog page as an attachment. Proposals without the new catalog page will not be reviewed by the committee.**

### **Section III, Justification for proposal**

**Include state frameworks, accrediting or professional organization recommendations or requirements, workforce data, and/or crosswalks.**

**Provide justification (below) for each change on this proposed curriculum action.**

The current curriculum was adopted in Fall 2016 and is not demonstrating the outcomes that were expected. Presently we are Concept-based which should have required the Department of Nursing to invest in faculty that had specific specializations on each team to educate those topics that are pertinent to their specialty. The curriculum was assigned to the faculty with very little input from them and required those with specialties in certain areas to teach content that they were unfamiliar with (ex. An adult health nurse teaching Pediatric content). The proposed curriculum will return the department to a population-based curriculum that will allow the Associate Dean to work with the faculty to teach to their expertise. The richness of this change should demonstrate an increase in faculty and student satisfaction, and most importantly an increase in the NCLEX-RN pass rates that have decreased under the current curriculum.

The statewide articulation of Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) credits will be adjusted accordingly, waiving 10 Program Specific credits if a current LPN license has been issued within three (3) years prior to their enrollment in the Nursing program. Our 11 articulations credits will include the following courses: NUR 1020C (5 credits), NUR 1068C Health Assessment (4 credits), NUR 2092 Intro to Pharmacological Nursing (2 credits).

Current curriculum does not provide students credit for full time student status, resulting in students taking up to 4 years to earn an associate degree. The changes of the curriculum provides students with credit for full time student status, decreasing the amount of time that a student is taking to earn an Associate Degree in Nursing.

NOTE: Additional changes made on Catalog page to ACEN address (updated), Admission Application Requirements (remove unnecessary/confusing words), Admission Process (remove approximate numbers of qualified applicants to be selected, as this may vary). These changes were discussed in meetings with Nursing department and approved by the program Chair, Associate Dean of Nursing, and Vice Provost for Workforce Programs.

## Statewide Career Pathways Agreement

<b>Career Certificate Program Name:</b>	Practical Nursing
<b>10-digit CIP Number:</b>	0351390101
<b>Program Number:</b>	H170607
<b>Program Length:</b>	1350 clock hours

### Articulates to Associate in Science (AS)/Associate in Applied Science (AAS) Degree

<b>AS/AAS Program Name:</b>	Nursing R.N.
<b>10-digit CIP Number:</b>	1351380100
<b>Program Length:</b>	72 credit hours
<b>College Credit:</b>	This statewide career pathways agreement guarantees the minimum award of 10_ course credits toward the AS/AAS degree named herein. This agreement does not preclude the awarding of additional credits by any Florida College System institution through local articulation agreements or other articulated mechanisms.

#### **Validation Mechanism:**

To be awarded the college credit guaranteed by this agreement, the student must present an original career certificate of completion or an official transcript that delineates program completion.

#### **Admission Requirements:**

Students entering the AS/AAS degree program in Nursing R.N. must meet the admissions requirements of the college and the program to which they are applying, as well as the common placement testing requirements outlined in section 1008.30, Florida Statutes (F.S.), and Rule 6A-10.0315(2), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C).

#### **Applicability:**

Students must enroll at a Florida College System institution in the AS/AAS program specified herein within three years of completion of the Career Certificate program in order to redeem the college credit. Students who enroll after three years may be eligible for the awarding of credits on a course-by-course basis at the discretion of the postsecondary institution.

<b>Effective Date of Articulation Coordinating Committee approval</b>	<b>Agreement Expiration Date*</b>
<b>February 14, 2020</b>	<b>December 31, 2023</b>

\*This agreement shall expire on the date specified herein, unless otherwise renewed by the ACC.