

**Saddleback College**  
**Division of Health Sciences and Human Services and Emeritus Institute**  
**NURSING PROGRAM TRANSFER STUDENT NURSING PROGRAM CURRICULUM**

**PREREQUISITE COURSES**

Course ID	Title	Units
BIO 11	Human Anatomy	4
BIO 15	General Microbiology	5
BIO 12	Human Physiology**	4
N162	Successful Transition to Professional Nursing	1.5
ENG 1A	English 1A*	4
<b>Total Units</b>		<b>18.5</b>

**\*\*Human Physiology must have been completed within the last 7 years.**

**\* Freshman Composition 3 unit equivalent course will be accepted**

**REQUIRED CORE COURSES**

Sem	Course ID	Title	Units
<b>I</b>	• N 160	Pharmacology	2.50
	• N165 (GERO 101)	Lifecycle I: Fundamentals of Aging	1.50
	• N 170	<i>Nursing Process</i>	7.75
	• N 171	<i>Mental Health Nursing</i>	<u>3.00</u>
			14.75
<b>II</b>	• PSYC 1	Introduction to Psychology	3.00
	• N 161	Lifecycle II: Growth & Development	1.50
	• N 172	<i>Medical-Surgical Nursing</i>	<u>8.75</u> 13.25
<b>III</b>	• N 173	<i>Nursing Care of Children &amp; Families</i>	3.50
	• N 174	<i>Women's Health Nursing</i>	<u>3.50</u> 7.00
<b>IV</b>	• SP 1(or) SP 5	Communication Fundamentals (or) Interpersonal Communication	3.00
	• N 176	<i>Advanced Nursing</i>	<u>8.00</u> 11.00
		<b>Total Units</b>	<b>46.00</b>

**RECOMMENDED COURSES**

Course ID	Title
N 263	Skills Lab-Basic
FN 161	Nutrition for Health Occupations
FN 50	Fundamentals of Nutrition
HSC 102	Comprehensive Health Assessment
HSC 228	Calculations for Medication Administration
N 245	IV Therapy Techniques for Nurses
Psych 7	Developmental Psychology of Childhood and Adolescence
HSC 217	Cardiac Dysrhythmias
HSC 226	Advanced Cardiac Life Support

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**

American Institutions	3	units
Fine Arts and Humanities (1 course each from Group A and Group B) (Culture in the U.S. requirement should be chosen from one of these two courses)	6	units
Life Skills	Waived	
Survey and Assessment of Fitness (KNES 107)	<u>1</u>	units
	<b>Total</b>	<b>10 units</b>
Demonstration of Mathematics and Reading Competency required as listed in the College Catalog. Information Competency for Nursing is met with N176. Effective Fall 2009, one Math class beyond Beginning Algebra (Math 251) will be required unless Math 251 was completed summer 2009 or earlier.		

**NOTE: N 160, N 161, N170-N176, and N165 (GERO 101), PSYCH and Speech must be completed with a minimum grade of "C" or better prior to or concurrent with the semester for which they are listed.**

**Note: Applicable courses that were previously required, when taken prior to August 2007, will be grandfathered into the program.**