

Licensed Practical Nursing Certificate Program

FALL 2021-SPRING 2022

REMEDIAL SEQUENCE (if required)

ESL 1 (8) ▶▶ ESL 2 (6) ▶▶ ESL 3 (6) ▶▶ ENG 9 (4)

ENG 1¹ (4) ▶▶ ENG 2¹ (4)

RDL 1¹ (4) ▶▶ RDL 2¹ (6)

MTH 1 (4)² ▶▶ MTH 5² (6)

CHM 2 (4)

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS*

GPA ≥ 2.0

¹ENG 1/ENG 2 & RDL 1/RDL 2 are no longer available. Students with ENG/RDL remedial needs will now enroll in corequisite courses ENG 100 (English Proficiency Index < 50), or ENG 110 (EPI 50-64).

²MTH 1/MTH 5 are no longer available. Students with a Math Proficiency Index of 40-59 can enroll in a MTH 5 workshop. Students with 39 or lower MPI are strongly encouraged to enroll in Math Start/CUNY Start.

³One or more sections of this course/requirement are typically offered that have **zero textbook costs**. Search for the course attribute "OER" (Open Educational Resource) to find the zero-textbook-cost section

⁴To be eligible for PHM 10, the student must be exempt from MTH 5 **OR** has a grade of "C" or better, or a grade of "P" in MTH 5 or equivalent.

Pre-Clinical Sequence

Credits

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ENG 100 ¹ OR ENG 110 ¹ OR ENG 111 | English Composition I: Integrated Reading and Writing ¹ OR Fundamentals of Writing and Rhetoric ¹ OR Writing and Rhetoric | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BIO 23 ³ | Human Anatomy & Physiology I ³ | 4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PSY 11 | Introduction to Psychology | 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PHM 10 ⁴ | Pharmacology Computations ⁴ | 2 |
| Subtotal: | | 12 |

First Semester (Spring)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> BIO 24 | Human Anatomy and Physiology II | 4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PNR 101 | Fundamental Concepts of Practical Nursing | 6 |
| Subtotal: | | 10 |

Second Semester (Fall)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> PNR 201 | Concepts of Family-Centered Care for the Practical Nurse | 7 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PNR 301 | Concepts of Adult Health for the Practical Nurse I | 7 |
| Subtotal: | | 14 |

Third Semester (Spring)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> PNR 401 | Concepts of Adult Health for the Practical Nurse II | 7 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PNR 501 | Transition to Practical Nursing Practice | 2 |
| Subtotal: | | 9 |

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| TOTAL : | | 45 |
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SUMMARY OF LPN PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Progression Requirements:

To be eligible for progression into practical nurse coursework (PNR designated courses), students must meet the following criteria:

- A cumulative GPA of 2.7 must be obtained, with minimum grades in specified preclinical courses as follows. A minimum grade of “C” or better is required in ENG 110 or 111, PSY 11, and PHM 10. If a student has earned a passing grade of “C-”, “D+”, “D”, “D-” or a failing grade of “F” or “WU” in ENG 110 or 111, or PSY 11, the student will not be eligible to progress in the Licensed Practical Nursing Program (LPNP) even if she/he retakes the course. PHM 10 may be repeated once to achieve a grade of C or better. Additionally, a “C+” or better is required in BIO 23. BIO 23 may be repeated once to achieve a grade of “C+” or better. This policy also applies to students who transfer into BCC’s LPNP from other institutions.
- A minimum score of 41.3% (“Basic level”) will be required on each of the four sections of the TEAS V exam (English, Reading, Science, and Math), as well as an overall score of at 50%. The TEAS Examination may be repeated only once.
- Transfer students from other institutions must be in good academic standing at their previous institution, in addition to meeting all other BCC LPN progression requirements. Students who are on academic probation, have failed out of a nursing program, or have been dismissed (ethical, integrity or safety issues) from any nursing program at a previous school are not eligible for the BCC Licensed Practical Nurse program.
- In the case in which the number of qualified LPN students exceeds the number of available LPN clinical placements, the LPN program will prioritize clinical placements for students with the highest cumulative college GPA.

Additional Clinical Phase Requirements:

Please note the following minimum acceptable grades and time limitations:

- While in the clinical phase of the program, students must maintain a grade of “C+” in each PNR course and earn a minimum of C in BIO 24.
- An LPN student who earns a grade of “C” or lower on PNR 101 may not repeat the course. An LPN student with a grade of “C” or lower on a PNR course other than PNR 101 may repeat the course one time to achieve a C+ or better. (This may occur for only two PNR courses.)
- An LPN student with a grade of “C-” or lower on BIO 24 may repeat the course one time to achieve a C or better.
- All PNR courses required for graduation must be taken within three years from the date the student began PNR 101.