

**CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES**  
**ADN-BSN COLLABORATIVE PROGRAM**  
**ROADMAP**



**CYPRESS COLLEGE**  
 School of Nursing  
<http://www.cypresscollege.edu/academics/academicPrograms/>

**CAL STATE LA**  
 School of Nursing  
<http://www.calstatela.edu/hhs/nursing>

**Years 1-2: Associate Degree, General Education, and ADN Prerequisite Courses**

Fall		Units: 15	Winter Session (if available)		Units: 0
<b>BIOL 231C*</b>	General Human Anatomy (B2/B3)	4			
<b>ENGL 100C*</b>	College Writing (A2)	4			
MATH 040C	Intermediate Algebra	4			
PSY 101C*	Introduction to Psychology (D9)	3			
Spring		Units: 14	Summer Session (if available)		Units: 9
<b>BIOL 241C*</b>	General Human Physiology (B2/B3)	4	<b>CHEM 101C*</b>	Chemistry for Health Science Majors I (B1/B3)	5
<b>BIOL 220C*</b>	Medical Microbiology (B2/B3)	4	<b>MATH 120C*</b>	Introduction to Probability and Statistics (B4)	4
<b>COMM 100C*</b>	Human Communication (A1)	3			
<b>ENGL 103C* or ENGL 104C*</b>	Critical Reasoning and Writing or Critical Analysis and Literature (A3)	3			

Fall		Units: 12	Winter Session (if available)		Units: 0
POSC 101C or POSC 101C	U.S. Government or Gender and American Politics (D8 & CSU U.S. Constitution)	3			
PSY 139C*	Developmental Psychology (D9)	3			
HRC 100C*	Nutrition (E)	3			
GE Certification Area C1	Arts (C1)	3			
Spring		Units: 12	Summer Session (if available)		Units: 0
GE Certification Area C2	Humanities (C2)	3			
GE Certification Area C1 or C2	Arts or Humanities (C1 or C2)	3			
SOC 101C*	Introduction to Sociology (D0)	3			
GE Certification American History	American History (D6 & CSU American History)	3			

**Bolded courses are required prerequisites for ADN program**

Total Associate Degree, General Education, and ADN Prerequisite units: 62

\*Courses are required prerequisites for BSN program

**Transferrable General Education-Breadth units: 39**

Parenthese ( ) indicate CSU General Education Breadth Certification areas

**Years 3-4: ADN Nursing Courses**

Fall - ADN Semester 1		Units: 9	Winter Session (if available)		Units: 0
NURS 191C	Pharmacology in Nursing I	1			
NURS 192C	Fundamentals of Nursing	4.5			
NURS 193C	Introduction to Medical-Surgical/Gero Nursing	3.5			
Spring - ADN Semester 2		Units: 9.5	Summer 1 - Cal State LA Semester		Units: 6
NURS 195C	Pharmacology in Nursing II	1	NURS 3500	Pathophysiology for Nursing Practice	3
NURS 196C	Medical-Surgical Nursing I	5	NURS 3720	Health Assessment and Promotion Across the Life Span	2
NURS 197C	Maternal/Newborn Nursing	3.5	NURS 3730	Health Assessment and Promotion Across the Life Span Lab	1

Fall - ADN Semester 3		Units: 12.5	Winter Session (if available)		Units: 0
NURS 291C	Pharmacology in Nursing III	1			
NURS 292C	Medical-Surgical Nursing II	5			
NURS 293C	Mental Health Nursing	3.5			
NURS 294C	Geriatric Nursing	3			
Spring - ADN Semester 4		Units: 9	Summer 2 - Cal State LA Semester		Units: 6
NURS 295C	Pharmacology in Nursing IV	0.5	NURS 3480	Development for Professional Practice	3
NURS 296C	Child/Family Nursing	3.5	NURS 3490	Development for Professional Practice Lab	1
NURS 297C	Medical-Surgical Nursing III	5	NURS 3900	Nursing Informatics and Information Literacy and Competency	2

Total ADN (Lower Division Nursing Major) units: 40

**Transferrable ADN (Lower Division Nursing Major) units: 31**

— Pass NCLEX —

— GPA ≥ 3.0 —

— Formal Cal State LA Matriculation —

**Year 5: Cal State LA BSN Courses**

Fall - Cal State LA Semester		Units: 12	Winter Session		Units: 0
NURS 4600	Nursing Leadership and Care Management	3			
NURS 4610	Nursing Leadership and Care Management Clinical Lab	3			
NURS 4900 (wi)	Introduction to Nursing Research	3			
BIOL 3084**	Biology of Human Aging	3			
Spring - Cal State LA Semester		Units: 12	Summer Session		Units: 0
NURS 4700	Community/Public Health Nursing	3			
NURS 4710	Community/Public Health Nursing Clinical Lab	3			
PAS/WGSS 3715** (cl)(re)	Rethinking the 'Welfare Queen': Race, Gender, and Poverty in the US	3			
PHIL 3330 (wi)(cl)(d)	Engaged Philosophy: An Intersectional Approach	3			

\*\*Students with a previous bachelor's degree may not need to take these courses

**Total BSN (Upper Division Nursing Major) units: 27**

**Total Upper Division General Education (UDGE) units: 9**

(wi) Writing Intensive course

(cl) Civic Learning course

(re) Race/Ethnicity course

(d) Diversity course

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**Cal State LA ADN-BSN Collaborative Program Unit Summary**

Transferrable General Education-Breadth Units <sup>1</sup> : (Lower division general education coursework from community college)	39
Transferrable ADN Units <sup>1</sup> : (Lower division nursing major coursework from community college)	31
Cal State LA BSN Units:	27
Cal State LA Upper Division General Education Units:	9
Lower Division Units Awarded for NCLEX-RN <sup>2</sup> :	10
Upper Division Units Awarded for NCLEX-RN <sup>2</sup> :	4
<b>Total Baccalaureate Degree Units:</b>	<b>120</b>

<b>Cal State LA University Unit Requirements</b>	
General Education Units in Residence	9
Units in the Major in Residence	12
Upper Division Units in Residence	24
Units in Residence	30
Upper Division Units	40
Overall Units	120

<b>Program Dates and Deadlines</b>	
Apply through Community College	Fall (ADN Semester 1)
Apply through CSU Mentor	Spring (ADN Semester 4)
CSU GE Breadth Certification	Prior to Cal State LA Summer 2
Pass NCLEX	Prior to Cal State LA Fall
Cal State LA Matriculation	Cal State LA Fall

<sup>1</sup>" California Community Colleges and other authorized certifying institutions can certify up to 39 semester units of General Education-Breadth (GE-Breadth)...for transfer students to fulfill lower-division general education requirements for any CSU campus prior to transfer...Students may be permitted to transfer no more than 70 semester units to a CSU campus from an institution which does not offer bachelor's degrees or their equivalents, for example, community colleges."  
 2017-2018 California State University, Los Angeles College Catalog; Admissions, Transfer Policies of CSU Campuses

<sup>2</sup> 5. As the California Board of Registered Nursing requires 36 units of the art and science of nursing in pre-licensure programs in preparation for the standardized external National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX), in accordance with the stipulations of this policy a CSU campus may award academic credits using the NCLEX examination to demonstrate prior learning of the pre-licensure art and science of nursing required by the Board of Registered Nursing (Title 5 section 40408).  
 5.1 If a student has passed the NCLEX examination, a CSU campus may apply toward the baccalaureate nursing degree one unit of academic credit for every unit of the required prelicensure community college nursing course credits that were not transferred to the CSU baccalaureate program, with a maximum of 30 semester units to be awarded through the NCLEX provision."  
 CSU Chancellor's Executive Order 1084, Section 5 & Subsection 5.1