## **NURSING ADN PROGRAM**

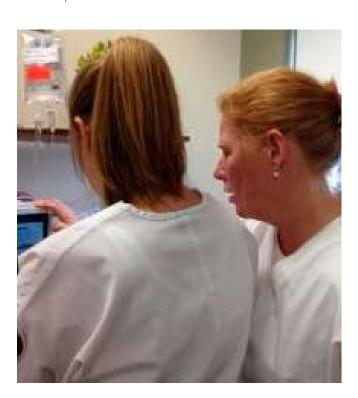
# ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE PROGRAM

Nursing is the largest health care profession in the United States, providing limitless and rewarding career opportunities for men and women. The Associate Degree in Nursing at KVCC prepares students to care for individuals and families, helping them attain, maintain, or recover optimal health and functioning.

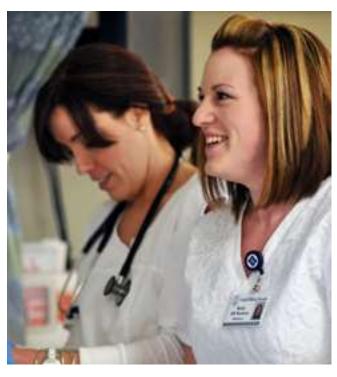
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"I have wanted to be a nurse for most of my life. KVCC has made that possibility a reality for me. It was the hardest thing I have ever done, but the things that are most important in life are the hardest to earn."



Become a registered nurse and make a difference



### What Nursing graduates do:

- Provide direct care
- Perform physical examinations
- Take health histories
- Do diagnostic testing/analyze results
- Use monitoring equipment
- Administer treatment/medications
- Provide emotional support to patients

## **Career Opportunities:**

- Hospitals
- Medical offices
- Maternity and pediatric settings
- Rehabilitation/long-term care centers
- Critical care units
- Dialysis facilities
- Cancer centers
- Surgical centers
- Mental health units
- Home health agencies

For further questions about this program, please contact:

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### Associate in Science Degree

Prerequisites*			Third Semester		
First Semester		BIO219	Microbiology	4	
BIO213	Anatomy and Physiology I*	4	PSY215	Developmental Psychology	3
ENG101	College Composition*	3	NUR224	Nursing Across the Lifespan II	9
MAT111	Quantitative Methods	3	Fourth Semester		
NUR119	Transition to ADSN Education	1	COM104	Introduction to Communication	3
NUR118	Foundations of Nursing	8	NUR227	Nursing Across the Lifespan III	7
Second Semester		NUR229	Transition into Nursing Practice	2	
BIO214	4 Anatomy and Physiology II	4		for the ADN	
PSY101	Introduction to Psychology	3	SOC101	Introduction to Sociology	3
NUR122	Nursing Across the Lifespan I	9		Humanities Elective	3
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			NUR126	LPN Transition to the ADN Role**	1

<sup>\*</sup> These three (3) college level courses are required within the Nursing Program curriculum and are also a piece of the admission process for entry into the program.

#### **CRITERIA FOR GRADUATION**

To graduate, students must achieve a minimum grade of "C" in all courses (a final GPA of 2.0 or higher) and a "satisfactory" rating in the clinical portion of each nursing course. Students are graded "satisfactory" or "unsatisfactory" in the clinical component of nursing courses.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Required of all licensed practical nurses and must be taken concurrently with NUR122 in Second Semester of the curriculum.