



Merced Community College **STEP ONE: (36 units)** **CSU Stanislaus**
REQUIRED PREREQUISTE COURSES FOR APPLICATION TO MERCED ADN PROGRAM

Prerequisites:

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| • Human Anatomy BIOL 16..... 4 units | • Meets CSU B.1 GE requirement |
| • Introductory Chemistry CHEM 2A..... 4 units | • Meets CSU B.2 GE requirement |
| • Microbiology BIOL 20..... 4 units | |
| • Principles of Physiology BIOL 18..... 4units | • Meets CSU A.2 GE requirement |
| • Composition and Reading I ENGL 01A
.....3 units | |

Required Non-Nursing Courses:

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| • Cultural Anthropology ANTH 02.....3 units | • Meets CSU D.2b GE requirement |
| OR Intro to Sociology SOC 01.....(3 units) | • Meets CSU D.2a GE requirement |
| • Fundamentals of Speech COMM 01...3 units | • Meets CSU A.1 GE requirement |
| OR Interpersonal Communication COMM
05.....(3 units) | • Meets CSU A.1 GE requirement |
| • Adv. Medical - Surgical Nursing REGN 34
.....3 units | • Meets CSU E.1 GE requirement |
| • US History and US Constitution HIST 17A | • Meets CSU D.1a GE requirement |
| OR Essentials of American Political System
POSC 01.....3 units | • Meets CSU D.1b GE requirement |
| • Humanities – Any Humanities AS Breadth
Area C course.....3 units | • Meets CSU C.1 GE requirement |
| • Physical Education – Any Physical
Education activity course.....2 units | • Meets CSU E.2 GE requirement |

Merced Community College **STEP TWO:** **CSU Stanislaus**
**REQUIRED COURSES FOR CSU STANISLAUS ADN-BSN PROGRAMS & GENERAL EDUCATION
 GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

Prerequisites:

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| • Oral Communication/Speech.. 3 units | • Meets CSU A.1 GE requirement |
| • Written Composition..... 3 units | • Meets CSU A.2 GE requirement |
| • Critical Thinking/Logic..... 3 units | • Meets CSU A.3 GE requirement |
| • Statistics..... 3 units | • Meets CSU B.3 GE requirement |
| • Chemistry..... 3 units | • Meets CSU B.1 GE requirement |
| • Microbiology.....4 units | • Meets CSU B.2 GE requirement |
| • Anatomy.....4 units | |
| • Physiology.....4 units | |

Students seeking to enter the RN-BSN program must have the following:

- A current license as a Registered Nurse in California.
- Completed 60 semester units of baccalaureate-level transferable college credit.
- Completed an AD in nursing with a minimum of 30 semester units of nursing coursework, with a grade of C or better in each course.



- Completed at least half of the University’s General Education breadth requirements, including (The Golden Four) college-level English Composition, Statistics, Communication/Speech, and Critical Thinking, with a grade of C or better.
- Complete an acceptable college-level statistics course of at least 3 semester units with a grade of C or better.
- Gained admission to the University with an overall grade point average of 2.75 or better.
- Gained admission to the School of Nursing. Program admission is contingent upon meeting minimum requirements and passing a physical exam, drug screening and a background check.

University Requirements:

- Complete University General Education requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree, (51 units minimum including transferable General Education units.)
- Completed ADN major with 26 or 27 upper-division units.
- Complete 9 upper-division units to meet the upper-division General Education requirements.
- All prerequisite courses to enter the Nursing program must be completed with a “C” or better.

Additional requirements for CSU-GE’s that can be taken at Merced:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area A: ENGL 13 OR, ENGL 13H OR, PHIL 13 OR, PHIL 13H OR, PHIL 10 OR, PHIL 12 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meets CSU A.3 GE requirement |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area B: Chemistry 2A OR, 2B OR, 4A OR, 4B OR, 12A OR, 12 B | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meets CSU B.1 GE requirement |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area B: Math 10 Statistics.....4 units | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meets CSU B.3 GE requirement • Math - C or D prerequisite |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area C:6 additional units | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 units in C.1 AND C.2 categories. The transfer requirement in this category is a total of 9 units. Three units from C.1, 3 units from C.2, and 3 additional units from C. 3 OR another C.1 or C.2. |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area D:.....6 additional units • HIST 17 B, and Psych 01 OR 01AH | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • D. 1b American Government and Institutions • D. 2b Introduction to Psychology |

STEP THREE: (41 units)
REQUIRED COURSES FOR MERCED COMMUNITY COLLEGE ADN DEGREE

First Semester:

- REGN 15 Foundations in Nursing9 units
- REGN 18 Pharmacology in Nursing Practice3 units

Second Semester:

- REGN 24 Acute Medical/Surgical and Nursing of the Childbearing Family 10 units



<p>Third Semester:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> REGN 34 Advanced Medical/Surgical Nursing and Pediatric Nursing 10 units 	<p>Fourth Semester:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> REGN 44 Acute Medical/Surgical Nursing and Mental Health Nursing 9 units
<p>NOTE: Only 70 Community College units can be transferred from any California Community College to any California State University. Additional CSU credit may be awarded for demonstrated learning, as operationalized by passing the NCLEX-RN examination.</p>	

STEP FOUR:

Apply to CSU Stanislaus:
<http://www.cusmentor.edu> *See website for deadline dates

Apply to the School of Nursing:
<http://www.csustan.edu/Nursing/documents/RNtoBSNSupplementalApplication.pdf> *Accepted from February 1st through February 28th

- Send completed application with a copy of your current RN license. If you still need to take boards at the time of application, please note that on the application and send a copy of your license when you receive it.
- Send one (1) set of official transcripts from each previously attended college or university to the School of Nursing. *This is in addition* to the set of transcripts that must be sent to Enrollment Services when you applied to the university.
- Send a clinical letter. This is a letter validating clinical competence, and is required of all applicants unless you have completed your associate degree in nursing within the last year.

Application period: February 1st through February 28th
 RN to BSN students are **admitted to the Fall semester only**. Students wanting to begin coursework in the spring are encouraged to take any required general education courses.

STEP FIVE: (26 – 27 units)
REQUIRED COURSES FOR THE CSU STANISLAUS ADN TO BSN DEGREE

Full time: (3 semesters)	Part time: (5 semesters)
<p>1st semester: (Fall)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transcultural Nursing..... 3 units Pathophysiology..... 3 units Intro to Nursing Research..... 3 units 	<p>1st semester:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pathophysiology..... 3 units Intro to Nursing Research..... 3 units
<p>2nd semester: (Spring)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Professional Nursing..... 3 units Leadership & Management*.....3 units Health Assessment..... 3 units 	<p>2nd semester:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health Assessment..... 3 units Professional Nursing..... 3 units
<p>3rd semester: (Fall)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Health..... 3 units Community Health Clinical**... 3 units Seminar ***..... 2 units Adv. Clinical Practicum..... 3 units 	<p>3rd semester:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transcultural Nursing..... 3 units Leadership & Management.....3 units
	<p>4th semester:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Health..... 3 units



- Community Health Clinical..... 3 units

5th semester:

- Seminar*** 2 units
- Adv. Clinical Practicum..... 3 units

- * WP Course– Completion of the Writing Proficiency Screening Test (WPST) is a prerequisite for enrollment in the Leadership & Management Writing Proficiency course.
- ** Clinical course – 8 hour lab, daytime only. Students register for location. Location preference is not guaranteed.
- *** Students who are working in clinical practice at the time of taking NURS4240 may choose either NURS4240 or NURS4210. **Students not working in clinical practice must enroll in NURS4210.**

Validation of Equivalent Course Work:

- In addition to the 26 or 27 units in the nursing major, the School of Nursing allows up to 15 upper division units of validated credit for equivalent nursing course work completed in preparation for nursing licensure.
- Validation of these units will be credited by challenge upon successful completion of:
 - NURS 3200 Professional Nursing ADN-BSN
 - NURS 4000 Health Assessment
 - NURS 3600 Transcultural Nursing Care

Note: See School of Nursing for validation process.

SUBJECT TO CHANGE: Please check the Website of Merced Community College www.mccd.edu and Stanislaus www.csustan.edu for current updates.