

# CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES

## ADN-BSN COLLABORATIVE PROGRAM

### ROADMAP



**PASADENA CITY COLLEGE**  
 School of Nursing  
<https://pasadena.edu/academics/divisions/health-sciences/>



**CAL STATE LA**  
 Patricia A. Chin 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)		
ANAT 25*	General Human Anatomy (B2/B3)	4			
ENGL 1A*	Reading and Composition (A2)	4			
MATH 131	Intermediate Algebra	4			
PSYCH 1*	Introductory Psychology (D9)	3			
Spring		Units: 15	Summer Session (if available)		Units: 6
PHYSO 1*	Human Physiology (B2/B3)	4	SOCIO 1*	Introductory Sociology (D0)	3
CHEM 2A*	Chemistry - General, Organic, and Biochemistry (B1/B3)	4	NURTI 11*	Human Nutrition (E)	3
ENGL 1B	Reading and Composition (C2 & prerequisite for ENGL 1C)	4			
SPEECH 1* or SPEECH 10	Fundamentals of Speech or Interpersonal Communication (A1)	3			

Fall		Units: 12	Winter Session (if available)		
MICRO 2*	Microbiology (B2/B3)	4			
PSYCH 24*	Lifespan Developmental Psychology (D9)	3			
ENGL 1C*	Critical Thinking & Argument (A3)	4			
PE Activity (PEACT)	(2 unit PCC graduation requirement for ADN)	1			
Spring		Units: 11	Summer Session (if available)		Units: 6
STAT 50*	Elementary Statistics (B4)	4	Elective Area C1	Arts (C1)	3
POLSC 1	Introduction to American Government (CSU U.S. Constitution & D8)	3	HIST 7A, 7B, 25A, 25B, 29A (CSU U.S. History & D6)		3
Elective Area C1 or C2	Arts or Humanities (C1 or C2)	3	29B, 31, or 41		
PE Activity (PEACT)	(2 unit PCC graduation requirement for ADN)	1			

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

Total Associate Degree, General Education, and ADN Prerequisite units: 65

\*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: 11 / (12)	Winter Session (if available)		
NURS 50	Foundational Nursing Care	4			
NURS 50L	Foundational Nursing Care - Clinical	4			
NURS 50S	Foundational Nursing - Seminar	1			
NURS 137	Pharmacology: Drugs and Solutions	1			
NURS 138	Pharmacology: Dprocess and Problems	1			
NURS 200	Nursing Laboratory (elective)	1			
Spring - ADN Semester 2		Units: 9 / (10)	Summer 1 - Cal State LA Semester		Units: 6
NURS 51	Beginning Nursing	3	NURS 3500	Pathophysiology for Nursing Practice	3
NURS 51L	Beginning Nursing - Clinical	5	NURS 3720	Health Assessment and Promotion Across the Life Span	2
NURS 51S	Beginning Nursing - Seminar	1	NURS 3730	Health Assessment and Promotion Across the Life Span Lab	1
NURS 200	Nursing Laboratory (elective)	1			

Fall - ADN Semester 3		Units: 9 / (10)	Winter Session (if available)		
NURS 52	Intermediate Nursing Care	3			
NURS 52L	Intermediate Nursing Care - Clinical	5			
NURS 52S	Intermediate Nursing Care - Seminar	1			
NURS 200	Nursing Laboratory (elective)	1			
Spring - ADN Semester 4		Units: 9 / (10)	Summer 2 - Cal State LA Semester		Units: 6
NURS 53	Advanced Medical-Surgical Nursing	3	NURS 3480	Development for Professional Practice	3
NURS 53L	Advanced Medical-Surgical Nursing - Clinical	5	NURS 3490	Development for Professional Practice Lab	1
NURS 53S	Advanced Nursing - Seminar	1	NURS 3900	Nursing Informatics and Information Literacy and Competency	2
NURS 200	Nursing Laboratory (elective)	1			

Total ADN (Lower Division Nursing Major) units: 38 / (42)

**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

- Civic Learning/Community Engagemt Requirement (6 semester units). One (cl) course must be completed at the upper division general education level.
- Diversity Requirement (6 semester units). Students must complete one race/ethnicity (re) course and one diversity (d) course or another race/ethnicity (re) course.
- Writing Intensive Requirement (6 semester units). Students must complete two writing intensive (wi) course, with at least one in their major.

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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 pre-licensure 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