

Nursing/Vocational +7821C

(Preparation for LVN - Offered at KC-Longview)

Vocational nursing prepares the graduate to function as a member of the nursing team in performing basic nursing skills independently in non-complex situations and to assist the registered nurse or physician in complex nursing situations. This program is accredited by the Texas Board of Nursing. Graduates are eligible to take the state examination for licensure. The twelve-month program is taught in three semesters for a total of 47 credit hours. New classes start in August and in January. Pretesting for admission occurs monthly; register at www.kilgore.edu/lvn. Check college schedule for optional pre-requisite offerings. A certificate of completion may be awarded upon successful completion of course requirements.

First Semester		
Course		Semester Hours>
VNSG 1204	Foundations of Nursing	2
VNSG 1227	Essentials of Medication Administration	2
VNSG 1260	Clinical-Introductory	2
VNSG 1331	Pharmacology	3
VNSG 1420	Anatomy & Physiology for Allied Health (A&P)	4
VNSG 1502	Applied Nursing Skills I	5
		18
Second Semester		
Course		Semester Hours
VNSG 1115	Disease Control & Prevention	1
VNSG 1163	Clinical-Advanced	1
VNSG 1216	Nutrition	2
VNSG 1219	Leadership & Development	2
VNSG 1226	Gerontology	2
VNSG 1238	Mental Illness	2
VNSG 1362	Clinical-Intermediate	3
VNSG 1429	Medical/Surgical Nursing I	4
		17
Summer Semester		
Course		Semester Hours
VNSG 1334	Pediatric Nursing	3
VNSG 1230	Maternal Neonatal (OB)	2
VNSG 1361	Clinical-Intermediate (Summer)	3
VNSG 1432	Medical Surgical Nursing II	4
		12
		Total Hours 47

Grading Scale:

90-100: A
 80-89: B
 75-79: C
 70-74: D
 0-74: F

+ Course of study identification number.

All first semester courses are pre-requisite to second semester & summer semester courses.
Students must maintain a 2.0 GPA each semester to stay in the Vocational Nursing Program.

Courses cannot be taken more than twice.

*May be taken prior to acceptance into the program.

Capstone experience is the clinical evaluation in a student's final semester.