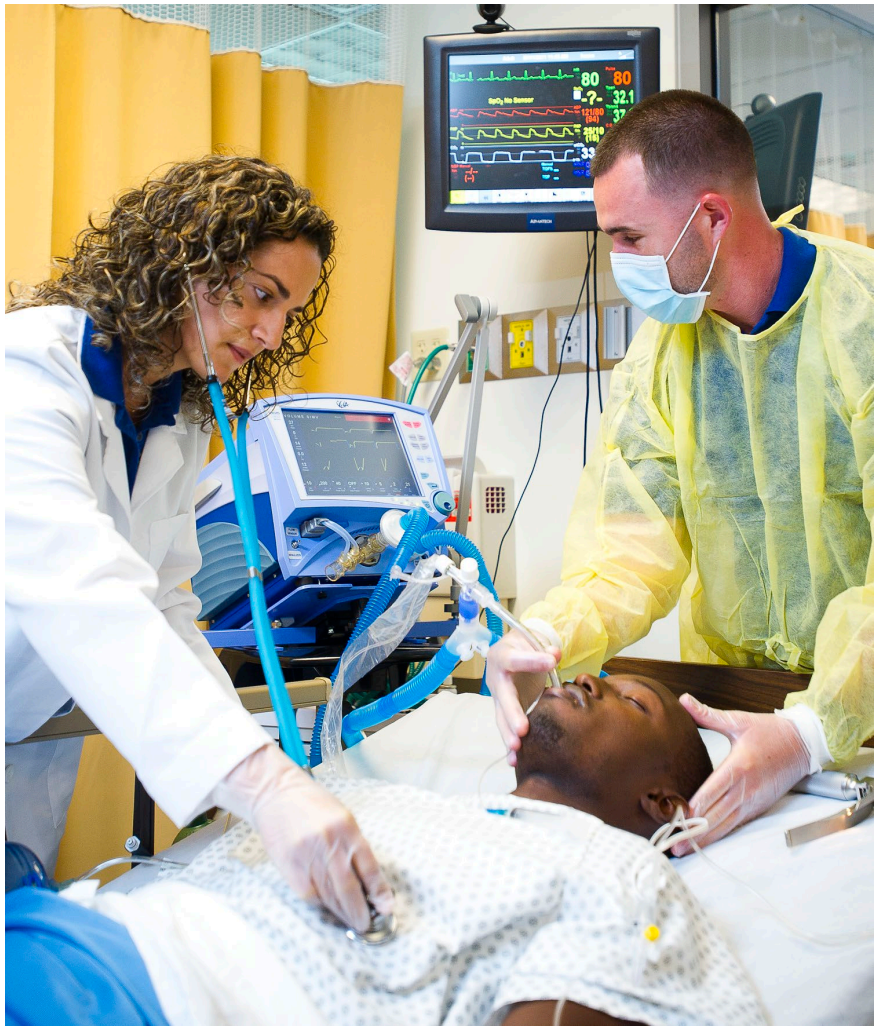


Nursing Information Session

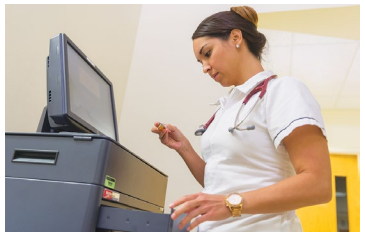
Please sign in at

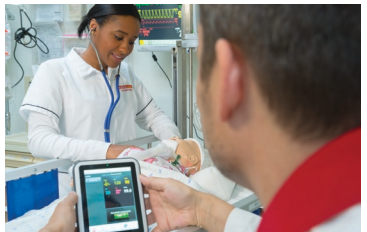
Nursing Information Session

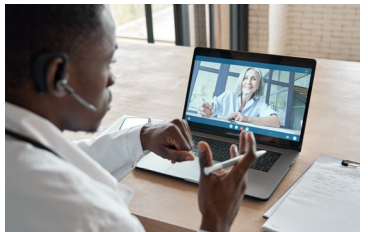
Overview

- Degrees Offered at Valencia College
- Nursing Programs and Admission Requirements
- Enrollment and Application Process
- Life in the Nursing Program
- Cost of Programs
- Student Resources
- Questions

Interactive Lab Tour: Osceola Campus 360 | West Campus 360



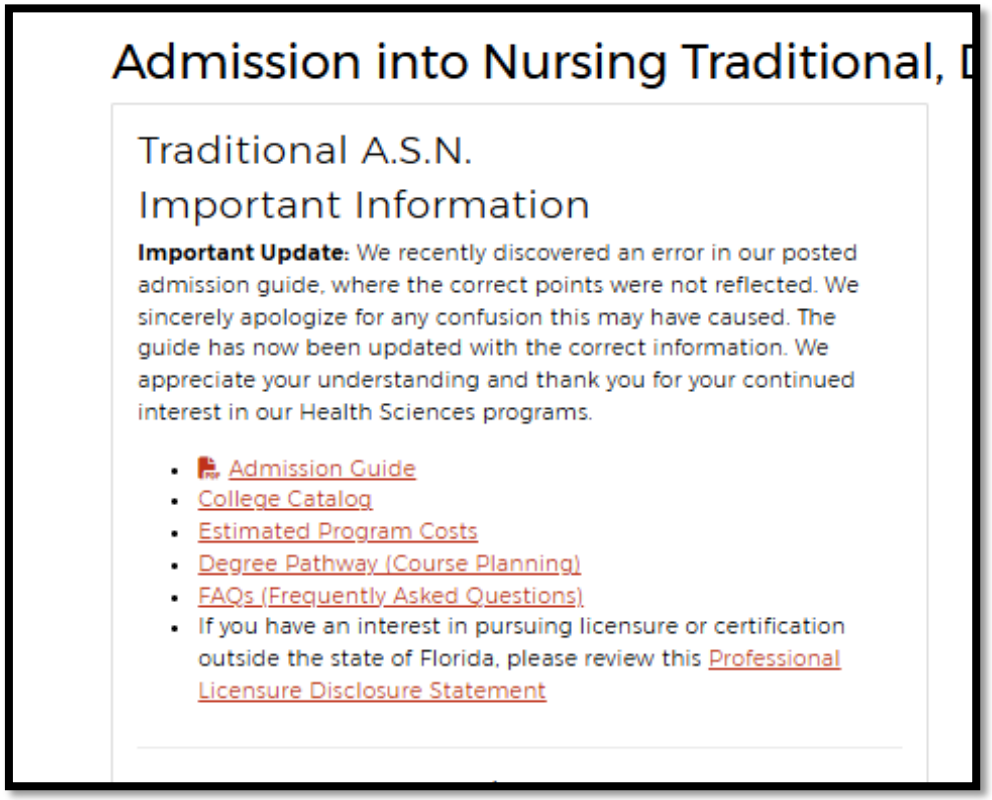




Nursing Website

What you will find:

- Program Overview
- Program Requirements
- Program Changes/Updates
- FAQs
- Admission Guides
- Information Session Dates
- Estimated Program Costs
- Application Information



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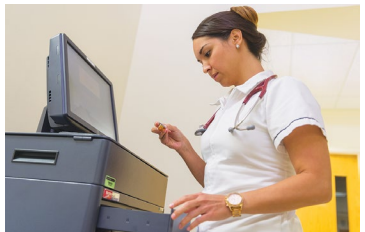
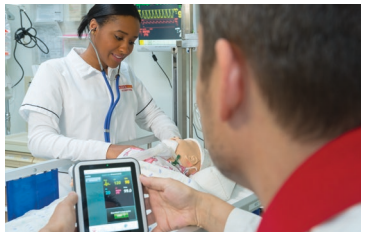
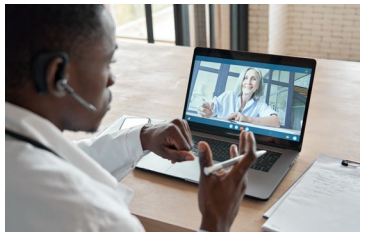
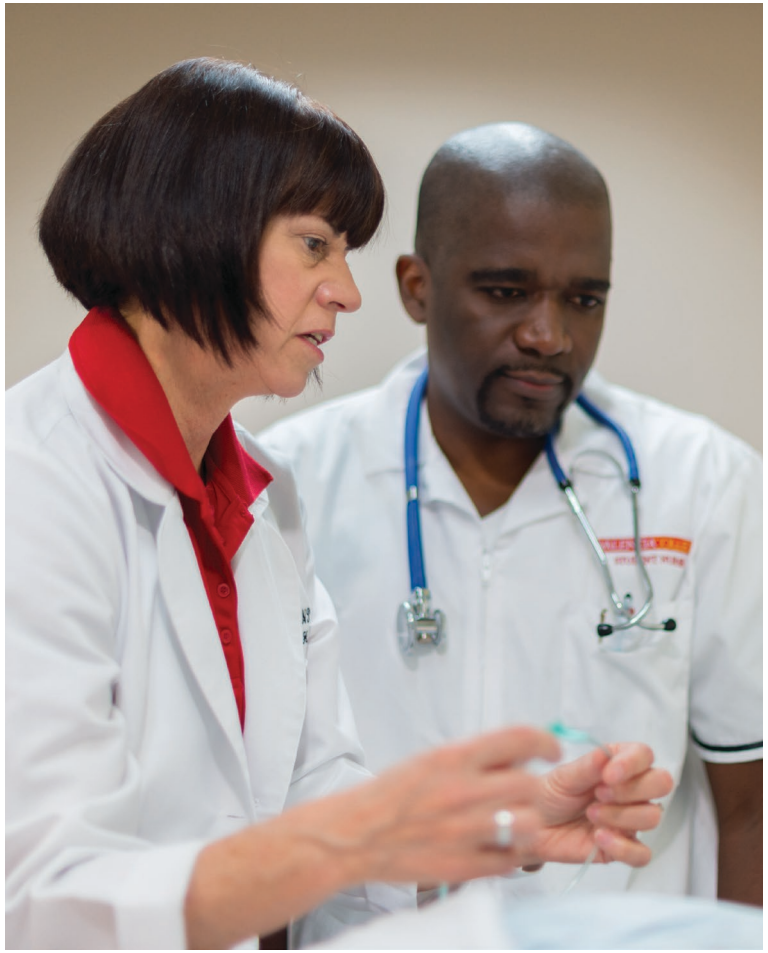



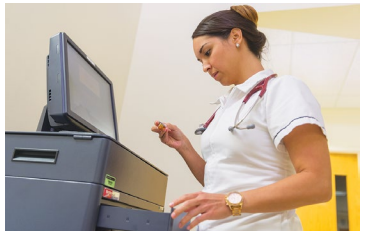
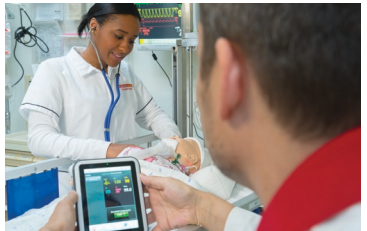


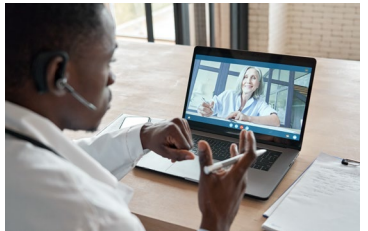
Who is a Pending Nursing student?

Pending Nursing Major
When applying to Valencia College, a student's primary or secondary major is declared as "Pending Nursing.“

Limited Access Nursing Programs
You are considered a Nursing student only after applying and being accepted into the program. If accepted, your major will change to "Nursing."

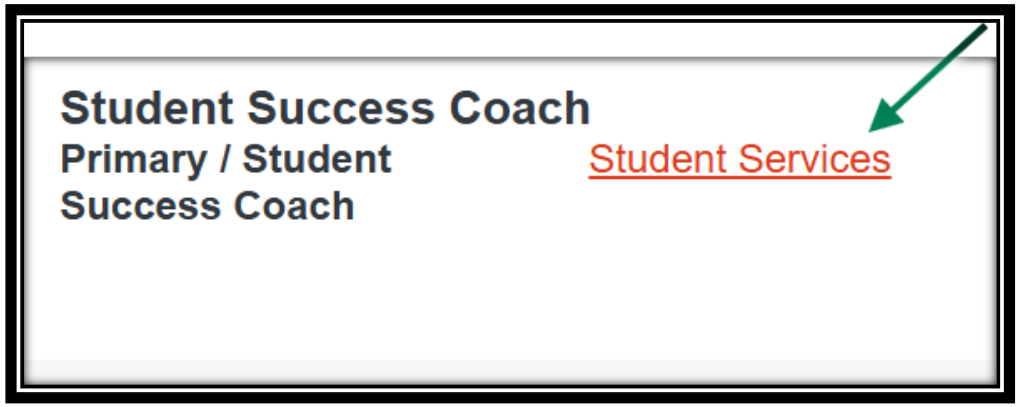


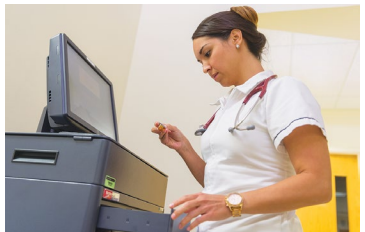
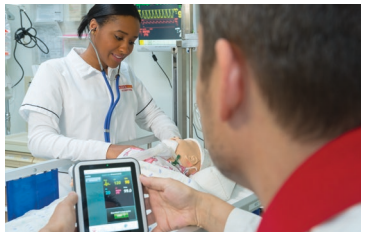


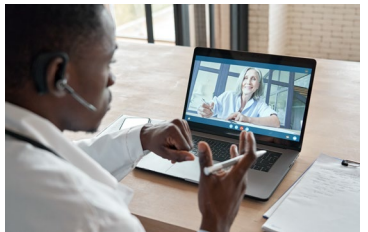
Identify Your Assigned Student Success Coach:

1. Login to MyVC
2. Select Student Profile



Meet early with a Health Sciences Success Coach to plan your semester before the application deadline



Degrees Offered at Valencia College

Types of Nursing Education & Degrees

Associate in Arts (A.A.)

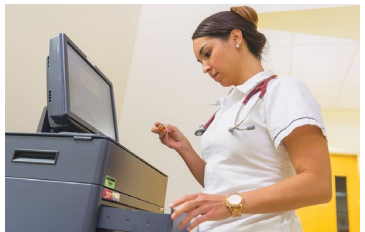
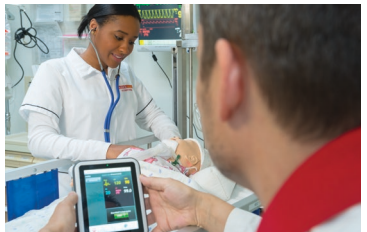
Two-year degree from state and community colleges, designed for students aiming to transfer to a University Traditional BSN program.

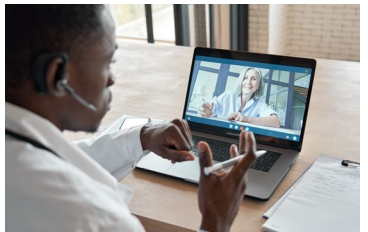
Associate of Science in Nursing (A.S.N.)

Two-year degree from state and community colleges, designed for immediate workforce entry and potential BSN completion.

Bachelor of Science in Nursing, RN to BSN

Offered at state colleges and universities, this program allows current nurses to further their education and enhance career advancement opportunities.



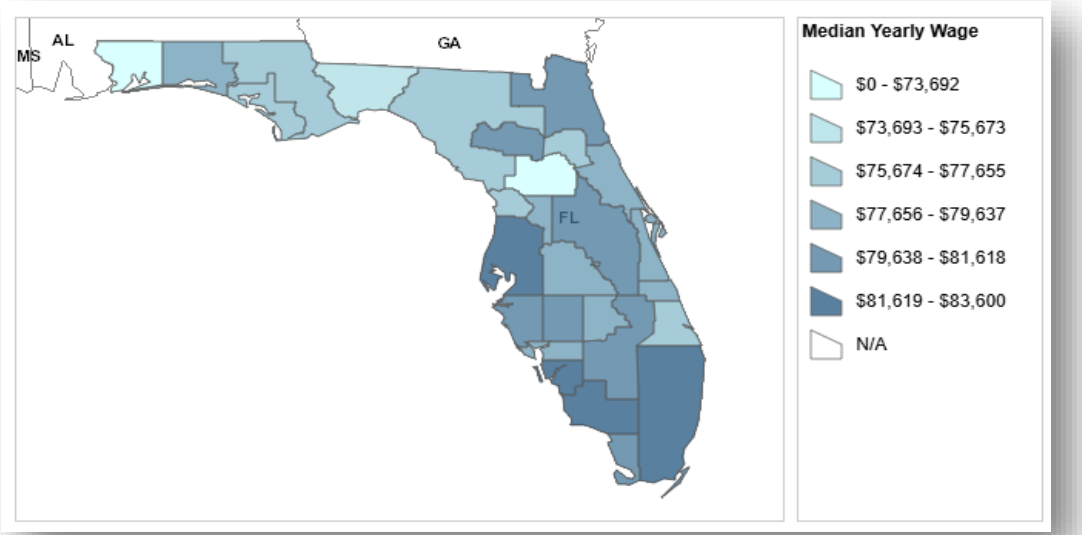
Regional Job Placement

According to BLS.gov | *$93,600 May 2024 median annual wage

*$66,030 ---------- $135,320

Lowest to highest percentage earnings

Openings are regional vacancies due to growth and turnover in this career.



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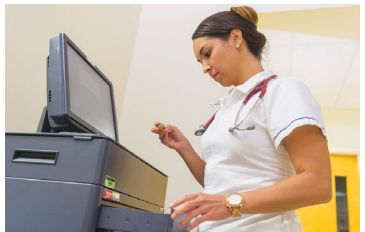
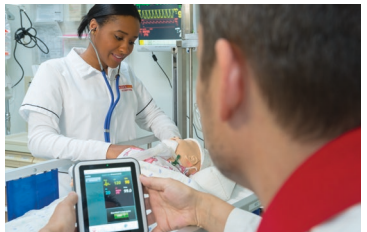
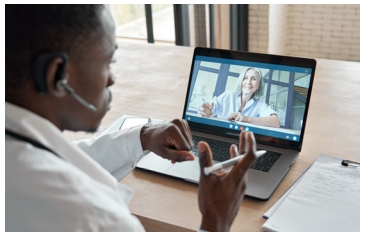



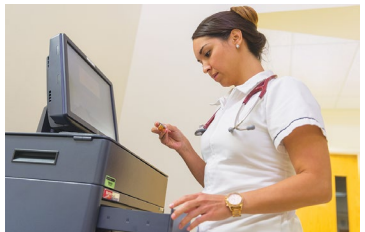
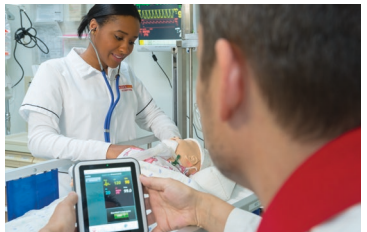


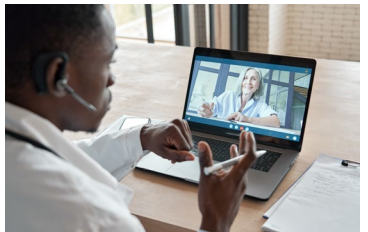
Required Admission Courses

Nursing Program Admission Courses

School of Health Sciences
Nursing

Course	Title	Credit
BSC 2085C	HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I	4.0 Credits
BSC 2086C	HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY II	4.0 Credits
MCB 2010C *	MICROBIOLOGY	4.0 Credits
PSY 2012 or DEP 2004*	GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY or DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY*(currently PSY 2012 is a pre-req)	3.0 Credits
POS 2041, AMH 2010, or AMH 2020	U.S. GOVERNMENT or U.S. HISTORY (Civic Literacy Grad. Req.)	3.0 Credits
ENC 1101	FRESHMAN COMPOSITION I	3.0 Credits
CORE MATH	MGF 1130 -or- Any CORE Gen. Ed. Math Requirement	3.0 Credits
CORE HUMANITIES	CORE Humanities	3.0 Credits
HUN 1201 or HUN 2202 *	THE SCIENCE OF NUTRITION OR ESSENTIALS OF NUTRITION WITH DIET THERAPY	3.0 Credits
*Grade of C or higher in BSC 1010C or BSC 2085C is a required prerequisite for MCB2010C and HUN2202		

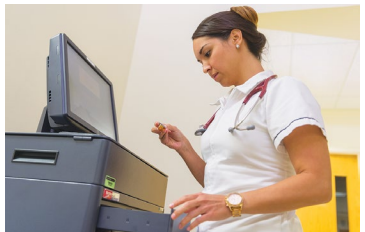
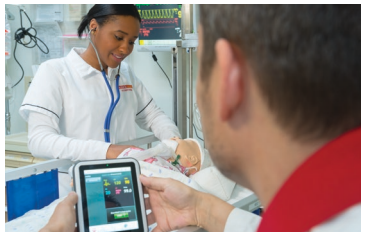



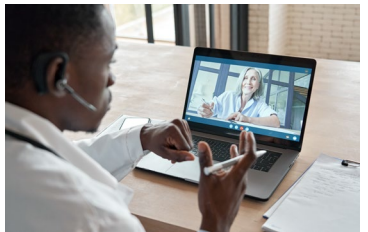


Humanities and Math CORE course options:

CORE HUMANITIES		CORE MATH	
ARH 1000	ART APPRECIATION	MAC 1105	COLLEGE ALGEBRA*
HUM 1020	INTRODUCTION TO HUMANITIES	MGF 1130	MATHEMATICAL THINKING *
LIT 1000	INTRODUCTION TO LITERATURE	MAC 2311	CALCULUS WITH ANALYTIC GEOMETRY I *
MUL 1010	MUSIC APPRECIATION *	STA 2023	STATISTICAL METHODS *
PHI 2010	PHILOSOPHY	OTHER OPTIONS:	
THE 1000	INTRODUCTION TO THEATER	MAC 1114	COLLEGE TRIGONOMETRY*
		MAC 1140	PRECALCULUS ALGEBRA*
		MAC 2312	CALCULUS WITH ANALYTIC GEOMETRY II*
		MAC 2233	CALCULUS FOR BUSINESS AND SOCIAL SCIENCE*

* Course has a prerequisite

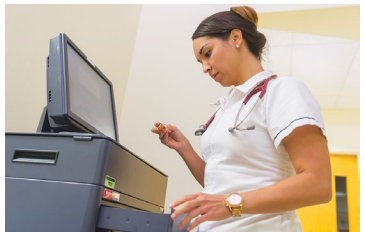
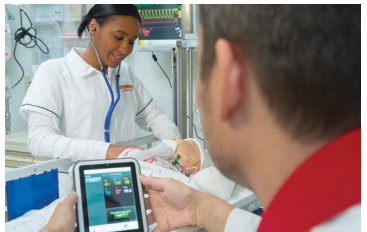



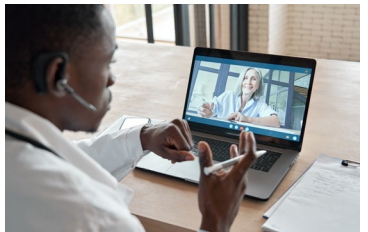


Nursing Programs & Admission Requirements

Nursing Programs

Programs	Application Time Frames			Number of Semesters	Number of Students
	Fall	Spring	Summer		
Traditional Day - West (ASN)	May 1 – 15	Sept. 1 - 15	Jan. 1 – 15	4	72
Traditional Day - Osceola (ASN)	May 1 – 15	Sept. 1 - 15	Jan. 1 – 15	4	36
Concurrent (Valencia ASN Traditional & UCF BSN)	May 1 – 15	Sept. 1 - 15		6	15 (10 WC, 5 OC)
Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)	August 1st	April 1st	Dec. 1st	Variable (3-10)	All qualified applicants admitted



Associate in Nursing (ASN)
Traditional Track

Nursing, Traditional Track

This program prepares students for nursing careers and eligibility to take the NCLEX-RN exam. Graduates may also pursue a B.S.N. through an R.N. to B.S.N. program.

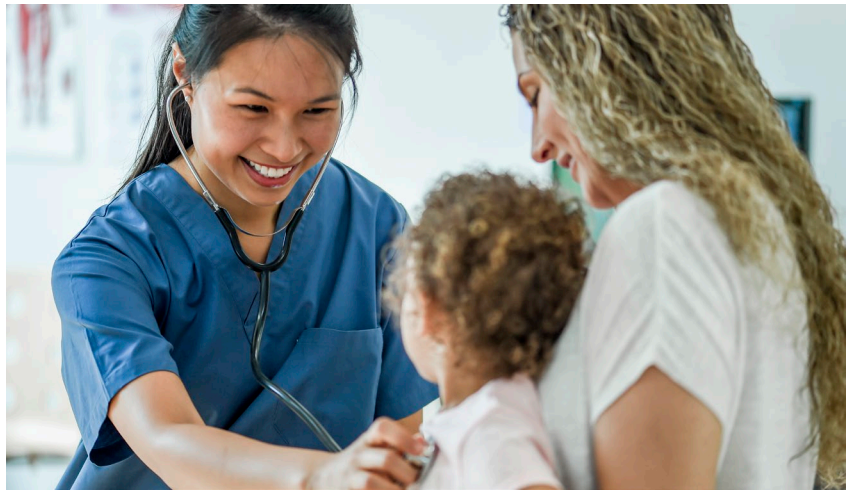
Program Locations:

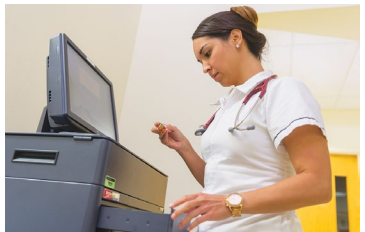
West Campus & Osceola Campus

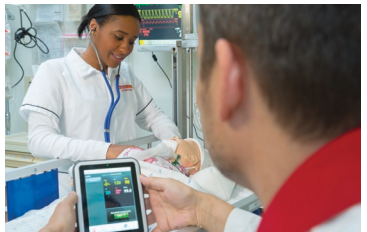
Admission Selection:

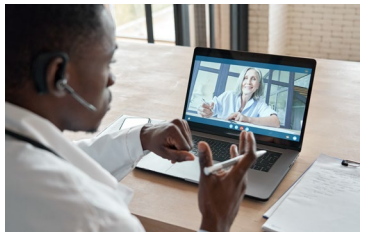
Selection is competitive and point-based. Reapplication is required for future semesters.

International Students are only eligible for the Traditional Track









Nursing, Traditional

School of Health Sciences
Nursing

Academic Requirements

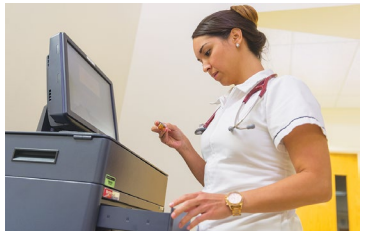
- ❑ Overall GPA: 3.0
- ❑ Institutional / Valencia GPA: 2.0
- ❑ Academic Standing: Must be in *Good Academic Standing*

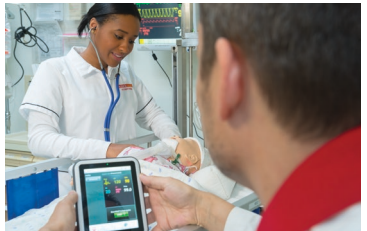
Prerequisite Course GPA

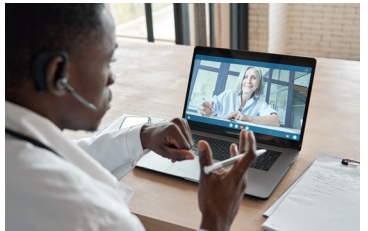
- ❑ Minimum GPA of 3.0

ATI TEAS Exam

- ❑ Minimum Composite Score: 65%
- ❑ Preparation Material







Nursing, Traditional

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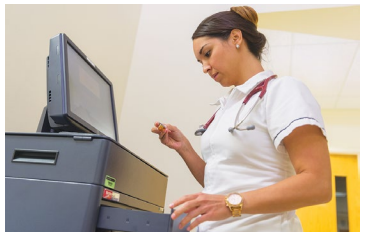
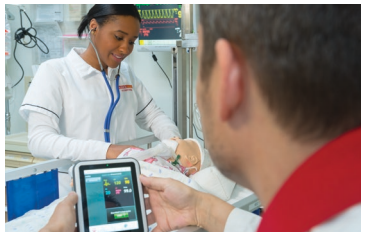
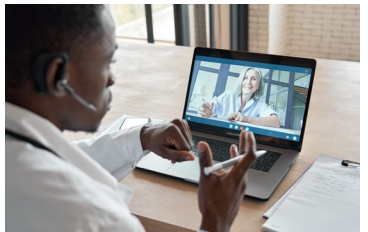
BSC 2086C	Human Anatomy & Physiology II
MCB 2010C	Microbiology
ENC 1101	Freshman Composition
PSY 2012 or DEP 2004	General Psychology or Developmental Psychology
CORE Humanities	Core Humanities
CORE College Math	MGF 1130 or other Core General Education Math
POS 2041 or AMH 2010 or AMH 2020	U.S. Government or U.S. History to/from 1877
HUN 1201 or HUN 2202	The Science of Nutrition or Nutrition with Diet Therapy



Nursing, Traditional

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BSC 2086C	Human Anatomy & Physiology II	4	A = 10 | B = 8 | C = 6
MCB 2010C	Microbiology	4	A = 10 | B = 8 | C = 6
ENC 1101	Freshman Composition	3	A = 3 | B = 2 | C = 1
PSY 2012 or DEP 2004	General Psychology or Developmental Psychology	3	A = 3 | B = 2 | C = 1
CORE Humanities	Core Humanities	3	A = 3 | B = 2 | C = 1
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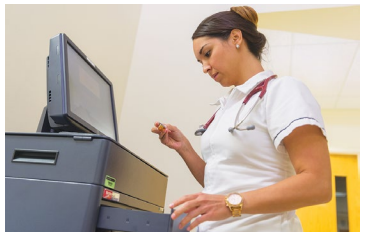
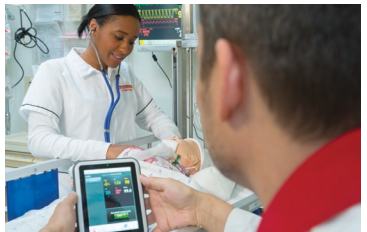
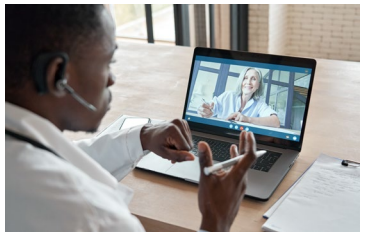
HUN 1201 or HUN 2202	The Science of Nutrition or Nutrition with Diet Therapy	3	A = 3 | B = 2 | C = 1



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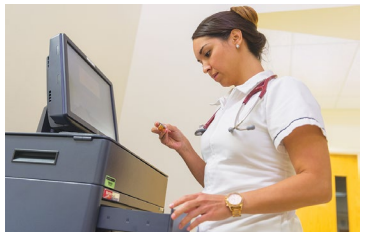
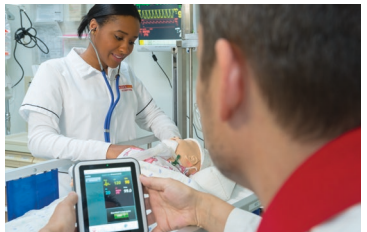
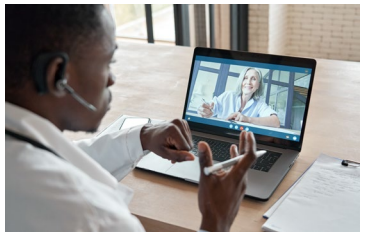
Additional Admission Points Awarded		Additional Points
Florida Civic Literacy Exam (FCLE)	Passing Score: 60%	1
BSC 1010C*	General Biology I	A = 3 | B = 2 | C = 1
HUN 2015*	Diet Therapy	1
ATI TEAS Composite Score		**Additional Points**
80 – 100		15
70 – 79		10
65 – 69		0
	Traditional Track Total Possible Points:	**68**

* No longer a required course (points earned if completed before Fall 2025 – Effective until Summer 2026)

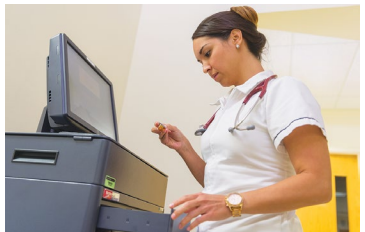
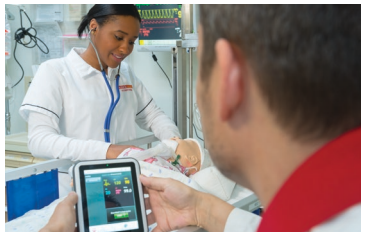



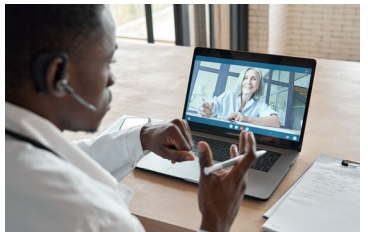


Nursing, Traditional
Admission Data

Terms	Average ATI TEAS of Accepted Students	Avg. GPA of Accepted Students	Number of Applicants	Average Points of Accepted Students
Fall 2024	79	3.4	309	78 of 85
Spring 2025	79	3.4	277	67 of 79
Summer 2025	78	3.45	237	65 of 79
Fall 2025*	84	3.71	443	64 of 68*

*New admission points system (Fall 2025-Summer 2026)



Valencia College
Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)

The RN to BSN Program provides an opportunity for individuals who hold an A.S. degree in Nursing from an accredited institution to further their education and increase their potential for career advancement.

Program Location:

Online, asynchronous courses, except for the experiential learning component during NUR 3634C Community & Public Health Nursing and NUR 4945C Nursing Capstone courses

Course Information:

1. General Education
2. Nursing Foundation
3. Bachelor Nursing Core
4. State Mandated Graduation Exit Requirements

Length of Program:

• Self-paced	• varies based on credits upon entering program
• Range: One year completion (If *general education* courses completed) - or - (1) course per term	

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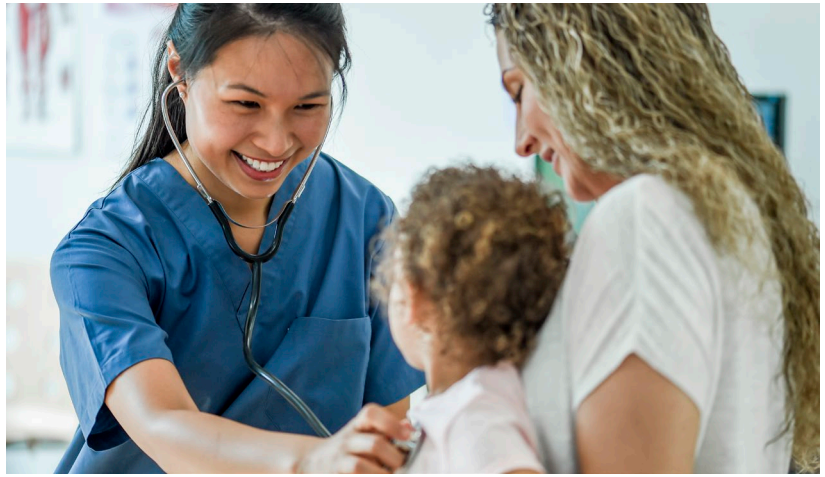
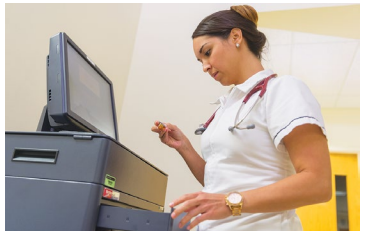
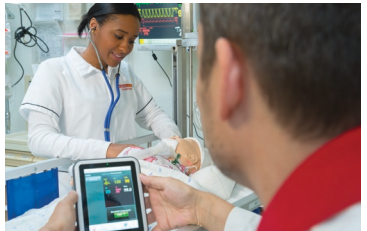
RN to BSN,
Admission Requirements

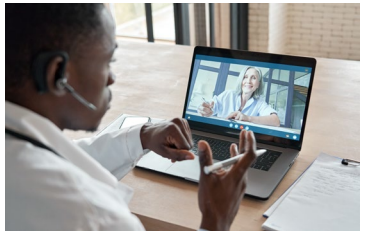
- ✓ Completion of Associate Degree in Nursing from regionally or nationally accredited institution
- ✓ Minimum 2.0 overall GPA
- ✓ Clear/active, unrestricted, unencumbered Florida RN license -or- are eligible to take the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) and earn RN license within the first term
- ✓ U.S. Citizen, Permanent Resident, or non-immigrant category other than F or J visa categories (*international students are ineligible)

Note: Admission is non-competitive









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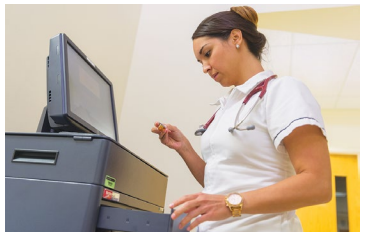
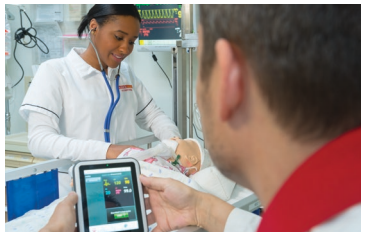
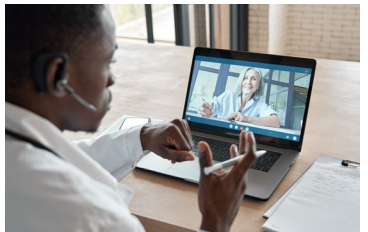
RN to BSN, Priority Application Deadlines

The priority deadline ensures that students have sufficient time to submit their documentation and complete the enrollment process.

Program	Priority Application Time Frames			# of Terms to Completion	# of Students Admitted
RN to BSN	Summer	Fall	Spring		
Priority Deadline	April 1st	August 1st	December 1st	Varies per student and required courses	All eligible students
Classes Begin	Second 8-weeks 06/08/2025	First 8 –weeks 08/18/2025 Second 8-weeks 10/10/2025	First 8 –weeks 01/12/2026 Second 8-weeks 03/05/2026		

Note: Students may apply at anytime. The application is available year-round.



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RN to BSN, General Education Requirements

Admission Eligibility:

Completion of general education courses is not required for admission into the RN to BSN program

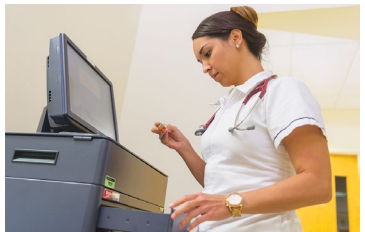
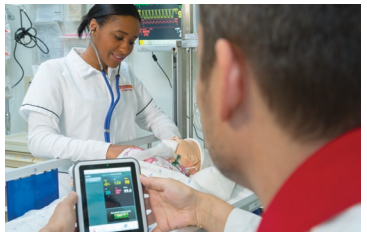
RN to BSN Graduation Requirement:

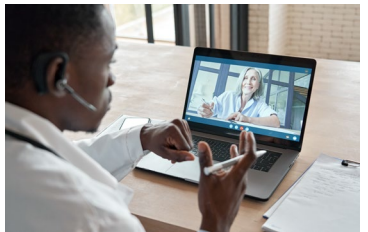
Completion of all general education courses is required for graduation

Students with an Associate of Arts (AA) or Bachelor's degree:

Fulfilled all general education requirements, except for STA 2023 Statistical Methods, unless it's previously completed as part of an AA or a bachelor's degree program.

General Education Courses		
ENC 1102	Freshman Composition II	3 credits
SPC 1608 or SPC 1017	Fundamentals of Speech or Interpersonal Communication	3 credits
STA 2023	Statistical Methods	3 credits
(3) General Education Student Choice	Select (3) courses from General Education Student Choice	9 credits
Total General Education Course Credits		18 credits



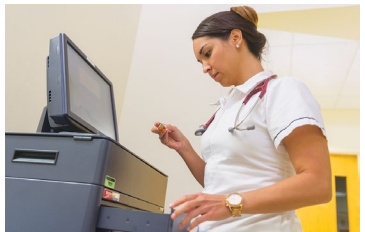
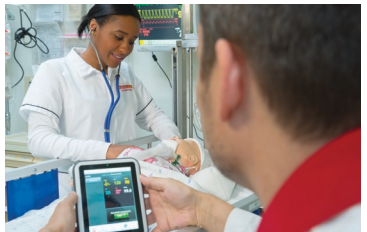
RN to BSN, Nursing Foundation Requirements

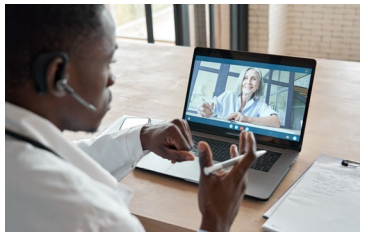
Nursing Foundation Options

- ❑ Completing the foundation courses required for admission into the ASN program
- ❑ Award of Credit Process (completed by RN to BSN Student Success Coach)

*Exception: must complete Florida state mandated graduation requirement: POS 2041, AMH 2010 -or- AMH 2020

BSC 2085C	Anatomy & Physiology I	4 credits
BSC 2086C	Anatomy & Physiology II	4 credits
MCB 2010C	Microbiology	4 credits
ENC 1101	Freshman Composition I	3 credits
PSY 2012 or DEP 2004	General Psychology or Developmental Psychology	3 credits
HUN 2202 or HUN 1201	Essentials of Nutrition w/ Diet Therapy or The Science of Nutrition	3 credits
Humanities	Core Humanities Course	3 credits
MGF 1130 or higher math	Mathematical Thinking (Or Higher)	3 credits
*POS 2041, AMH 2010 or AMH 2020	U.S. Government; United States History to 1877; or U.S. History 1877 to Present	3 credits
Total Nursing Foundation Credits		30 Credits



RN to BSN, Core Courses

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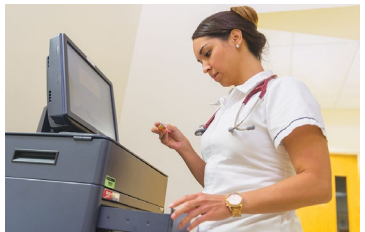
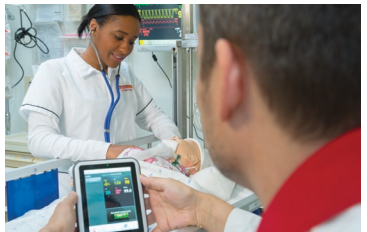
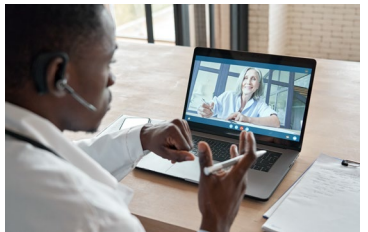
- Bachelor level nursing courses
- **RN to BSN program admission is required to access these courses**
- Online Asynchronous courses

Course	Title	Credits
NUR 3825	Professions of Role Transformation	3
NUR 3125	Pathophysiology for Nursing Practice	3
NUR 3667	Diversity and Global Trends in Nursing	3
NUR 4837	Health Care Policy and Economics In Nursing	3
NUR 3169	Evidence and Research in Nursing Practice	3
NUR 4829	Leadership and Management in Nursing	3
NUR 3634C	Community and Public Health Nursing	4
NUR 4945C	Nursing Capstone	2
1st BSN elective	Select from restricted BSN elective list	3
2nd BSN elective	Select from restricted BSN elective list	3
Total BSN Core Credits		30



RN to BSN, BSN Core Electives

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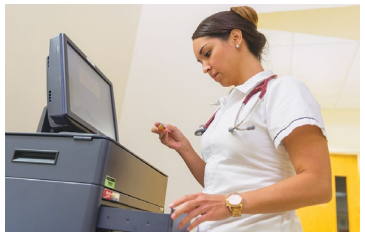
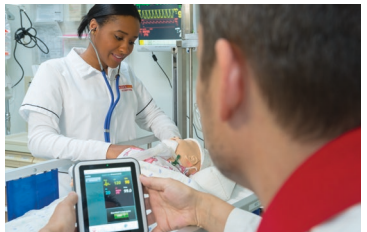
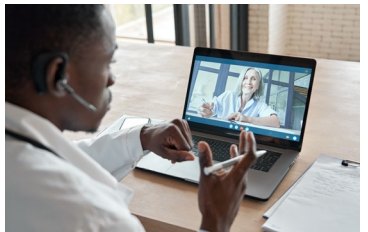
BSN Electives	
NUR 3870	Informatics in Healthcare Nursing
NUR 3145	Pharmacology
NUR 3678	Nursing Care of Vulnerable Populations
NUR 4286	Gerontological Nursing
NUR 4257	Critical Care Nursing
NUR 4296	Emergency Preparedness And Disaster Nursing
NUR 3069	Advanced Health Assessment



RN to BSN,

State Mandated Graduation Exit Requirements:

Florida Civic Literacy Requirement

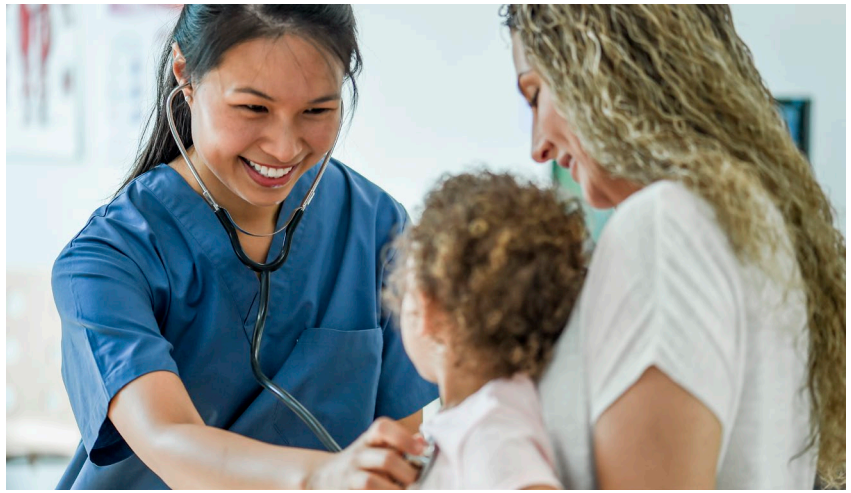
Students must fulfill one of the following:

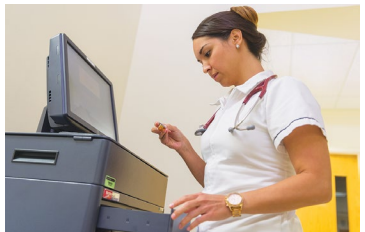
- ❑ Option 1: Complete a Civic Literacy Course and pass the Florida Civic Literacy Exam (FCLE)

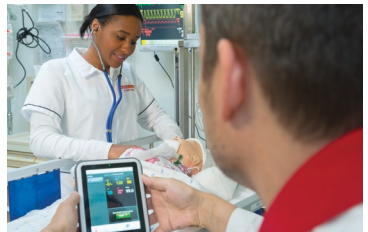
- ❑ Option 2: Pass the CLEP American Government Exam

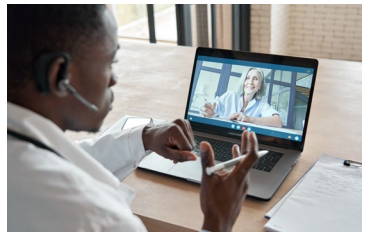
Foreign Language Requirement

Students must demonstrate proficiency in a foreign language, typically through coursework or exam credit.









Valencia College & UCF
Concurrent Track
ASN/BSN

VC/UCF Concurrent Track

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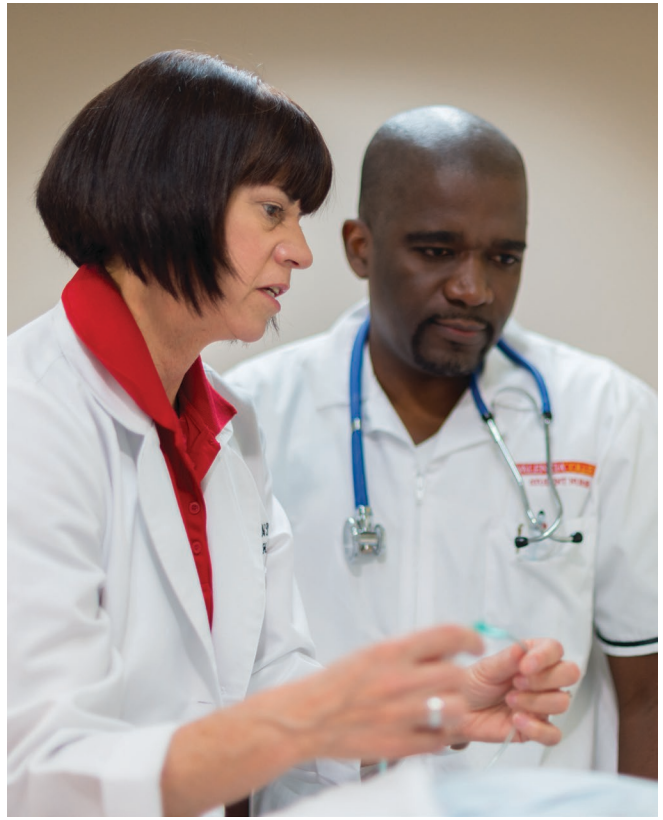


This unique dual enrollment opportunity allows students to pursue an Associate of Science in Nursing (ASN) from Valencia College and a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) from the University of Central Florida (UCF) simultaneously.

Program Type:
Traditional ASN program (Concurrent students are part of the Traditional Nursing track)

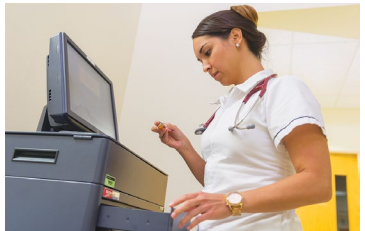
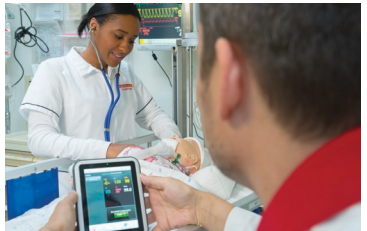
Locations: West Campus or Osceola Campus (preference not guaranteed)

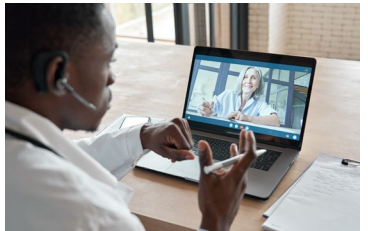
Admission Requirements: Must meet criteria for both Valencia and UCF

Selection Process: Competitive, based on a point system (used by UCF); no rolling admissions—students must reapply if not selected

Start Requirement: Completion of an A.A. degree

UCF Resources:
UCF College of Nursing website | UCF Advising Appointment



VC/UCF Concurrent Track

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Academic Requirements

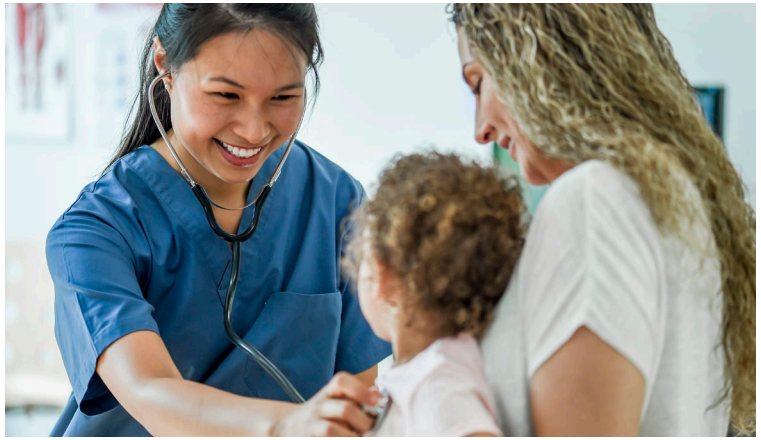
- ❑ Overall GPA: 3.0
- ❑ Institutional / Valencia GPA: 2.0
- ❑ Academic Standing: Must be in *Good Academic Standing*

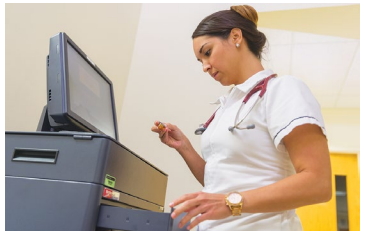
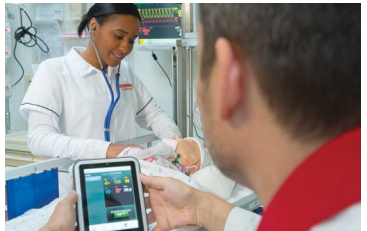
Prerequisite Course GPA

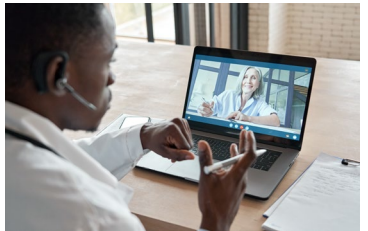
- ❑ Minimum GPA of 3.0 across the admission courses

ATI TEAS Exam

- ❑ Minimum Composite Score: 78% | ATI TEAS Exam Preparation Material





Valencia/UCF Concurrent Track

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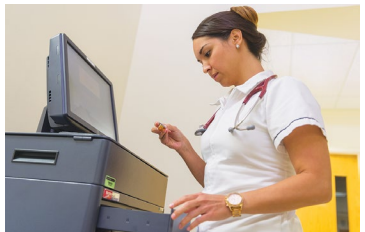
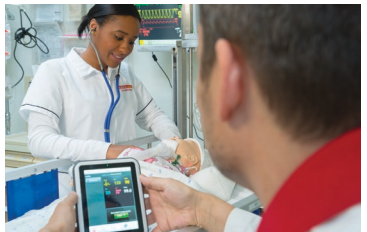
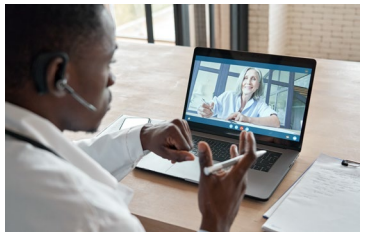
Admission Courses

Minimum GPA of 3.0 across the admission courses

Course Code	Course Title
BSC 2085C	Human Anatomy & Physiology I
BSC 2086C	Human Anatomy & Physiology II
MCB 2010C	Microbiology
ENC 1101	Freshman Composition
PSY 2012 or DEP 2004	General Psychology or Developmental Psychology
CORE Humanities	Core Humanities
CORE College Math	MGF 1130 or other Core General Education Math
POS 2041 or AMH 2010 or AMH 2020	U.S. Government or U.S. History to/from 1877
HUN 1201 or HUN 2202	The Science of Nutrition or Nutrition with Diet Therapy



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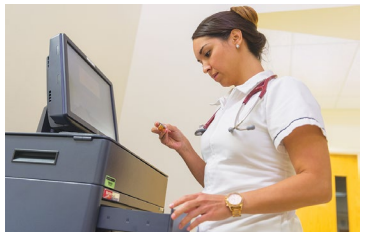
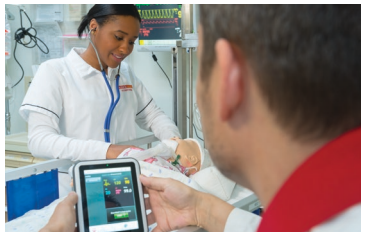
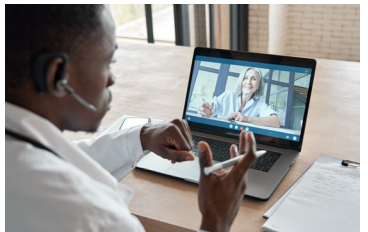
Additional UCF Requirements

Course Code	Course Title
STA 2023 or STA 2014	Statistical Methods (offered at Valencia and UCF) or Principles of Statistics (offered at UCF)
DEP 2004	Developmental Psychology
Life Science Elective	CHM 1032 or approved BSC, BCH, PHY, CHM, or PCB course from a Florida public institution



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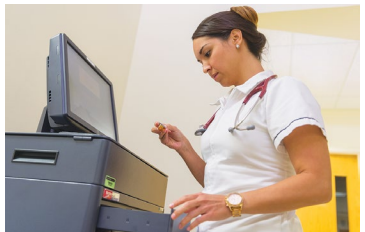
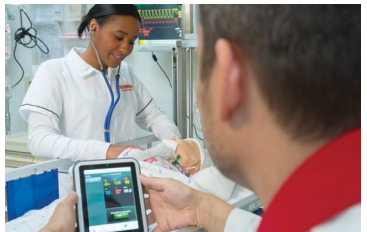
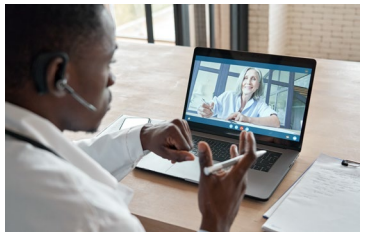
Admission Data

Terms	Average ATI TEAS of Accepted Students	Avg. GPA of Accepted Students	Number of Applicants	Average Points of Accepted Students
Fall 2025 *New admission points system	86.6	3.63	118	60.6

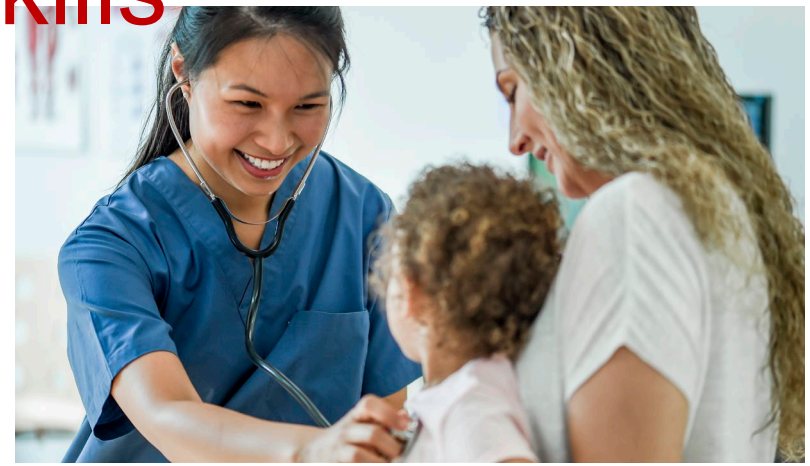
** The admission data varies each semester and is not a direct indicator of future application cycles**



ATI TEAS EXAM

TEAS: Test of Essential Academic Skills

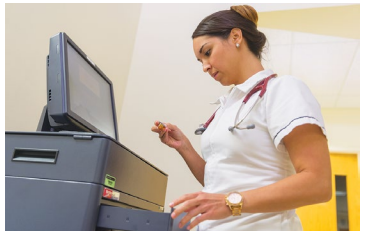
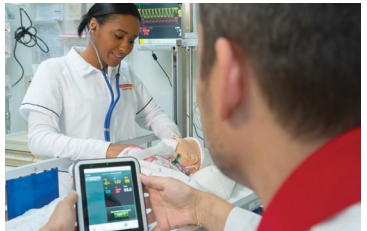


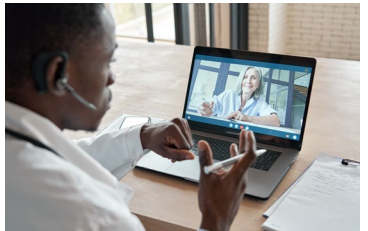
General Info:

- ❑ Validity: Scores valid for 2 years
- ❑ Format: Computer-based, 209 minutes
- ❑ Attempts: Max 3 per 12 months (across all institutions)
- ❑ Retake Policy: 30-day wait between attempts (Valencia-specific)

Note: TEAS website states 14 days, but Valencia requires 30 days.

- ❑ Cost:
  - Valencia students: $65
  - Non-Valencia students: $85



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TEAS: Test of Essential Academic Skills

Exam Breakdown

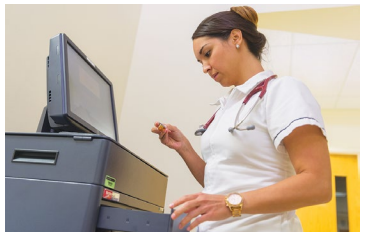
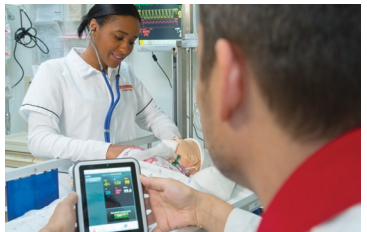
Subject	Reading	Mathematics	Science	English & Language Usage
Questions	45	38	50	37

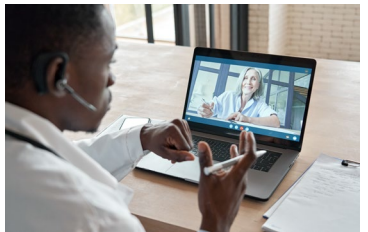
Before the Exam

- ❑ Submit the ATI Score Matching Request Form

Study Resources

- ❑ ATI TEAS Review Sessions *(Valencia students only)*
- ❑ ATI TEAS Website
- ❑ Campus Libraries
- ❑ Assessment Services – TEAS Info
- ❑ FAQs
- ❑ Mometrix Study Guide Book



Enrollment & Application Process

Valencia Enrollment Steps

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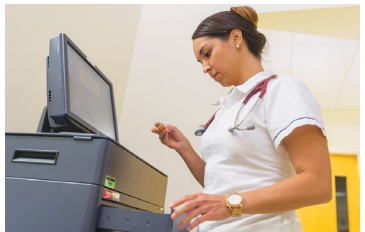
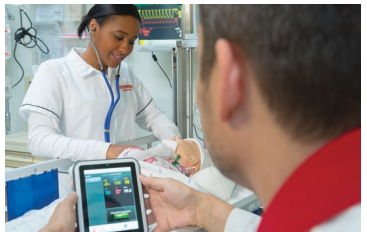
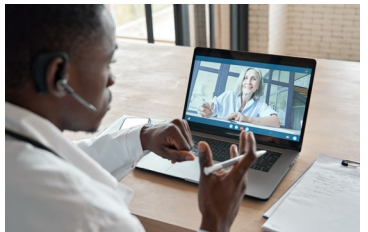
1. Apply for Admission at: ValenciaCollege.edu/Apply

   New Students: Complete FTIC or Transfer Application *FL Shines Transient does not cover admission

   BSN Applicants: Complete the Bachelor Degree Application
2. If seeking Florida Residency for Tuition Purposes, submit a Florida Residency Form
3. If seeking Financial Assistance, apply at: FAFSA | Valencia.org
4. Submit All Official Transcripts & Test Scores Electronically or via mail (Submit 2 months in advance)*
   - ❑ High School | Technical School | College Transcripts
   - ❑ AP/IB/CLEP Scores
   - ❑ ATI TEAS Score AND Complete an ATI Score Matching Request Form
5. Complete New Student Orientation: Part 1 (online) & Part 2 (in-person)

*Nursing application will be incomplete and deemed ineligible if you are missing transcripts/grades



Coursework Verification

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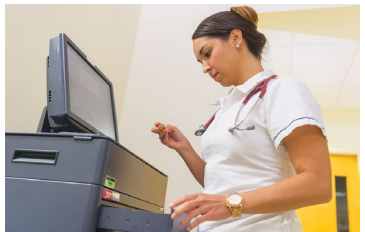
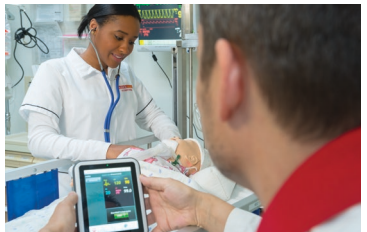
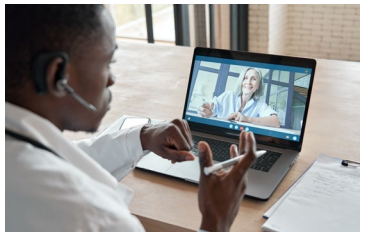
Degree Audit	Generate a “Nursing Admissions Check” via MyVC 1. Login MyVC > Student Profile > Degree Audit 2. Use What-if Analysis > Nursing Admissions Check
Transfer Courses (Not Valencia-Equivalent)	Appeal non-equivalent transfer courses (XFER 1000) using the Transfer Coursework Reevaluation Request Form. ✓ Meet with a Student Success Coach before submitting.
GPA Requirement	Minimum 3.0 GPA in both Nursing admission and overall coursework.
Grade Forgiveness	Replace a D/F grade with a C or higher in the same/equivalent course. ✗ Cannot repeat if you earned A, B, or C previously.



Submit Nursing Application

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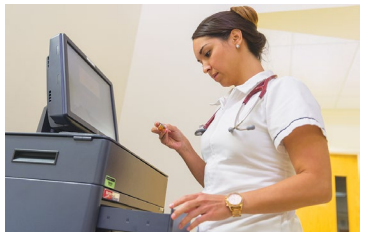
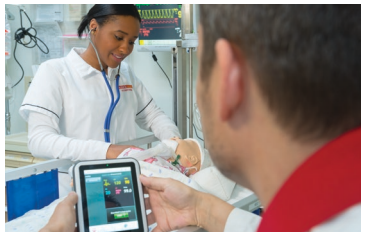
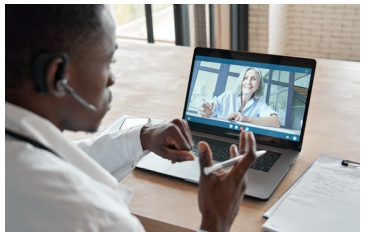
Program	How to Apply	Admission Decision Notification
A.S. Traditional Track	Visit Traditional Nursing website → under the Application Information section	📬 Check **MyVC email** approximately **4–6 weeks** after the deadline. ✅ If accepted, you must **confirm your seat via MyVC email** by the stated deadline to secure your spot.
Concurrent Track (Valencia ASN to UCF BSN)	1. Apply to Valencia College Admission 2. Visit to Valencia Nursing website 3. Apply to UCF Admission 4. Visit UCF Nursing website	
Valencia RN to BSN	Submit Valencia College Admission ❑ Select ***Bachelor of Science → B.S. Nursing***	📬 Check **MyVC email** approximately **7 – 10 business days** for welcome email and next steps

Questions? Email: **HealthScienceApplications@valenciacollege.edu**



Clinical Compliance
Immunization & TB Testing

1. COVID-19 vaccination or State of FL exemption

2. Hepatitis B vaccinate*

3. Influenza (Flu) vaccine or waiver

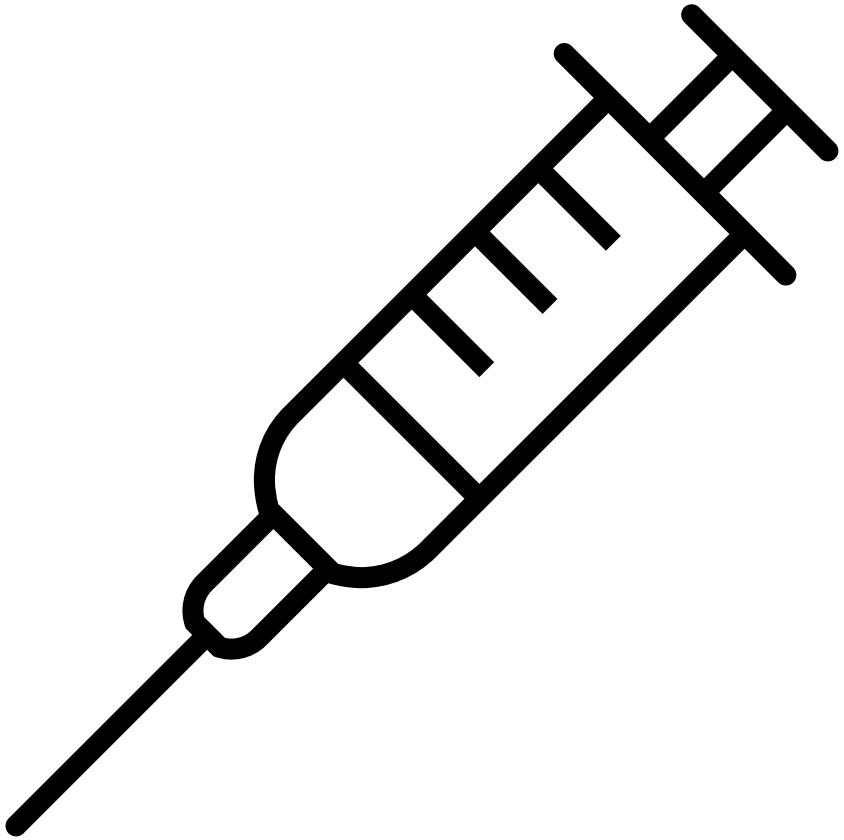
4. MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella)*

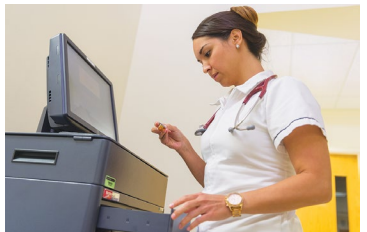
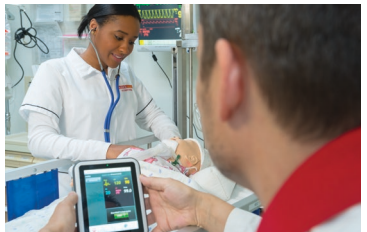
5. TB (Tuberculosis) Test

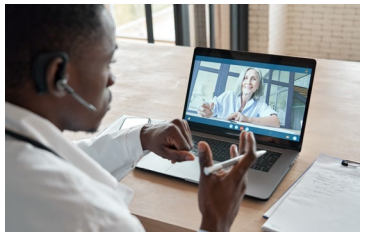
6. Tdap (Tetanus, Diptheria, Pertussis)*

7. Varicella (Chicken Pox)*

* Could be met with HS Transcripts vaccination records.



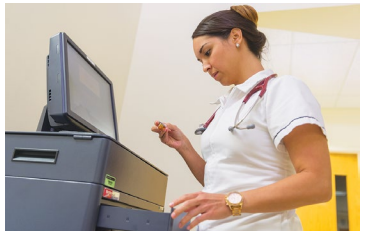


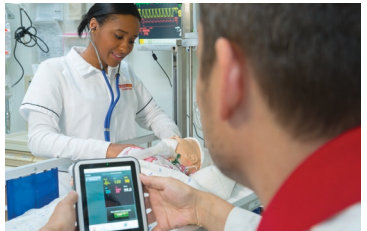
Life in the A.S Nursing Program:

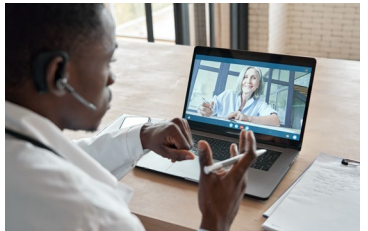
Student Expectation

Follow CDC guidelines on universal precautions:

- ❑ Includes use of personal protective equipment (PPE):
  - ✓ Masks
  - ✓ Gloves
  - ✓ Protective eyewear
- ❑ Peer-to-peer examinations may be required in lab settings



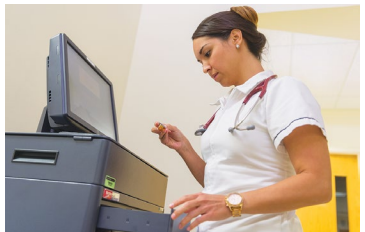


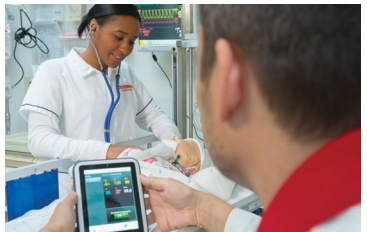


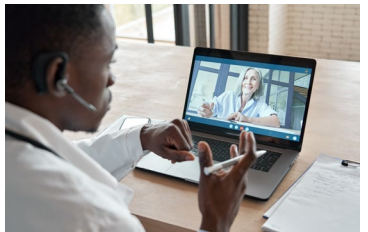
Life in the A.S Nursing Program:

Clinical Experiences

- 12-hour shifts in local healthcare facilities
- Evenings and weekends
- Students must provide their own transportation
- Possible exposure to bloodborne pathogens (e.g., blood, saliva)







Clinical Sites

Advent Health

- Altamonte Springs
- Downtown
- Celebration

VA Medical Center

- Lake Nona

Orlando Health

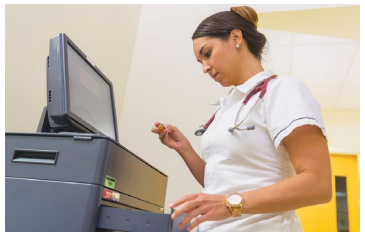
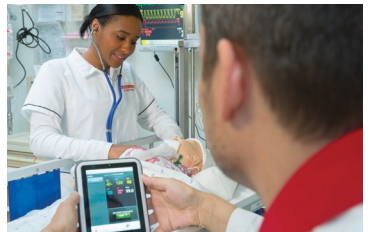
- Winnie Palmer
- Arnold Palmer

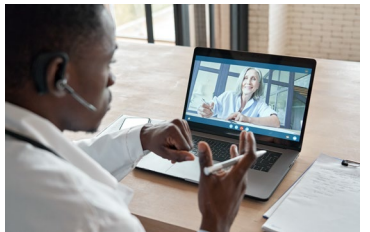
Nemours

- Lake Nona

Types of Experiences

- ✓ Pediatric
- ✓ Maternal/Infant
- ✓ Long Term Care
- ✓ Mental Health
- ✓ Adult Care – Acute & Critical
- ✓ Operating Room - *strictly to observe*



Cost of Programs & Financial Aid Opportunities

Estimated Cost

Catalog Fee Schedule

Program	**Estimated Program Cost**	**Additional Costs**
Traditional – All Tracks (ASN)	$10,922.32*	$535.00
Concurrent (Valencia ASN to UCF BSN)	VC $10,922.32* UCF $6,580.68* $17,503	$535.00
BSN	$3,365.70* (30 credits)	Books – approximately $100 per class
***In-State Tuition Rates**		

Financial Aid Opportunities

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Scholarships:

- Valencia Foundation: Valencia.org
- Valencia Scholarship Bulletin
- National Student Nurse Association

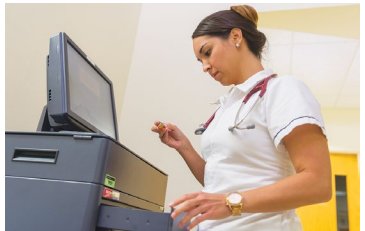
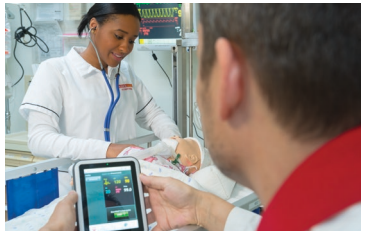
Federal Funding:

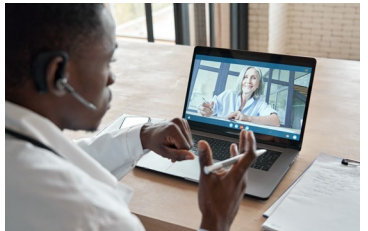
- Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Grants, Loans, Work Study

State Funding:

- Florida Department of Education: Grants & Scholarships

Financial aid may cover prerequisite courses that are compliant with an AA degree and courses required after acceptance into Nursing program.



Student Resources

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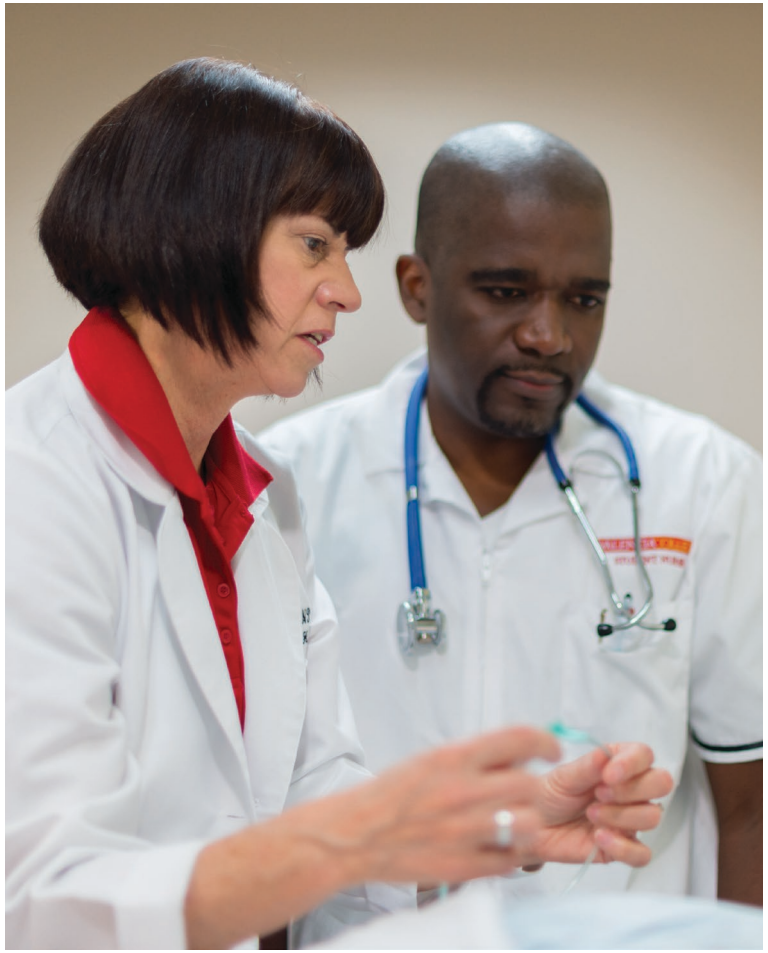
Virtual and On-Campus Services

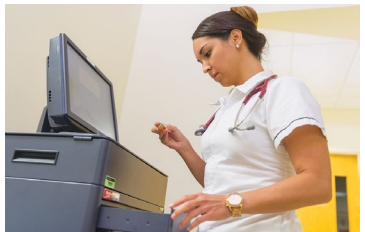
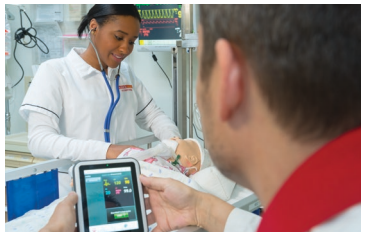


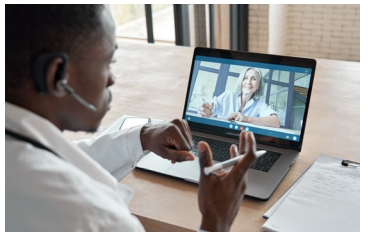
Prospective (New) Students:

1. Complete the Admission Steps
2. Visit First Stop for enrollment information

Current Valencia Students:

- ❑ Visit Advising Services to meet with a Student Success Coach for course selection and academic questions



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