



**Northwood**  
Technical College

**JouRNey to RN**

**Part Time | Associate Degree Nursing**  
2022-2023

<b>Pre-Admission</b>	
Nursing Assistant	Chemistry
<b>Semester One</b>	<b>Semester Two</b>
10-543-101 Nursing Fundamentals (2 credits) <sup>^</sup>	10-543-102 Basic Nursing Skills (3 credits) <sup>^^</sup>
10-543-103 Nursing Pharmacology (2 credits) <sup>^</sup>	110-543-104 Intro to Clinical Care Practice (2 credits) <sup>#</sup>
10-806-177 General Anatomy & Phys. (4 credits) <sup>*</sup>	10-806-179 Advanced Anatomy & Phys. (4 credits) <sup>*</sup>
10-809-188 Developmental Psychology (3 credits) <sup>*</sup>	10-801-136 English Comp. (3 credits) <sup>*</sup>
Total Credits: 11	Total Credits: 12
<b>Semester Three</b>	<b>Semester Four</b>
10-543-106 Health Promotion (3 credits) <sup>^</sup>	10-543-105 Health Alterations (3 credits) <sup>^</sup>
10-543-107 Clinical Care Across Lifespan (2 credits) <sup>^^#</sup>	10-543-108 Intro Clinical Care Mgmt (2 credits) <sup>^^#</sup>
10-806-197 Microbiology (4 credits) <sup>*</sup>	10-801-196 Oral Interpersonal Communication <sup>*</sup> OR 10-801-198 Speech (3 credits) <sup>*</sup>
Total Credits: 9	Total Credits: 8

*After successful completion of the fourth semester, students are eligible to take the NCLEX-PN for licensure as a Practical Nurse in Wisconsin.*

Semester Five	Semester Six
10-543-109 Complex Health Alterations 1 (3 credits) <sup>^</sup>	10-543-111 Intermediate Clinical Practice (3 credits)#
10-543-110 Nursing Mental Health & Community Concepts (2 credits) <sup>^</sup>	10-543-112 Advanced Nursing Skills (1 credit) <sup>^^</sup>
10-809-198 Intro to Psychology (3 credits) <sup>*</sup>	10-809-196 Intro to Sociology (3 credits) <sup>*</sup>
Total Credits: 8	Total Credits: 7
Semester Seven	Semester Eight
10-543-113 Complex Health Alterations 2 (3 credits) <sup>^</sup>	10-543-114 Mgmt & Prof. Capstone (2 credits) <sup>^</sup>
Electives (5 credits) <sup>*</sup>	10-543-115 Advanced Clinical Practice (3 credits)#
	10-543-116 Nursing Clinical Transition <sup>^^</sup> #
Total Credits: 8	Total Credits: 7

## Key

- All courses noted with an asterisks <sup>\*</sup> symbol are general studies courses and are offered in a variety of formats. They could be fully online, in-person or a combination of both. These classes are suggested to be completed prior to program start.
- <sup>^</sup> Courses are theory courses that are offered online. Exams will be Online Live on Thursday's from 6–8 p.m.
- <sup>^^</sup> Courses are theory courses that have an in-person lab component. In-person labs for part-time ADN students will be held at the Shell Lake Health Education Center.
- # Courses are clinical courses. Students will be placed in a day or evening clinical at a north or south campus location. Clinical courses may be six to eight hour shifts. Clinicals may start as early as 6 a.m. for a day shift and 2 p.m. for an evening shift. Clinical courses also require simulation, which will be in person at the Shell Lake Health Education Center beginning Fall 2022.

## **Nursing Clinical Information**

### **Semester Two | Long-Term Care Facility**

This clinical will be eight-weeks long and held on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Clinical will be in the evening.

### **Semester Three | OB, Community**

This clinical will be the 2nd eight weeks and held on Thursday and Friday. Clinical will be in the evening.

### **Semester Four | Med/Surg**

This clinical will be the 2nd eight weeks and held on Tuesday and Wednesday. Clinical will be in the evening.

### **Semester Six | Med/Surg | Psych**

Eight weeks of Med/Surg, four weeks of psych and four weeks off. This clinical will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday. Clinical will be in the evening.

### **Semester Seven | Med/Surg | Simulations**

Eight weeks of Med/Surg and Simulations. All students go to Med/Surg the 2nd eight weeks of the semester. It will be held on Thursday and Friday. Clinical will be in the evening. Simulations will occur after completion of Med/Surg and will be determined by the clinical instructor.

### **Semester Eight | Clinical**

Four-week clinical: 90-hour preceptor-led clinical that will be held at a variety of sites. Students will be asked which sites they may be interested in completing this clinical. For this clinical, students will complete their hours during the hours the nurse preceptor is assigned. This could be days, evenings, nights or weekend hours and can be eight to 12-hour shifts.

## **Grade Requirements**

All courses in the ADN program (course nursing, science, general studies, prerequisites and electives) must be completed with a grade point average of 2.0 or better, including 10806177 General Anatomy & Physiology and 10806179 Advanced Anatomy & Physiology.

## **Financial Aid Information**

Students who complete all general education courses prior to starting the ADN Part-Time program will have difficulties with financial aid. Financial aid requires that students enroll in at least six credits. If you have completed or will complete all general education courses prior to starting, please make sure to meet with your advisor to discuss your options.