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EL PASO COMMUNITY COLLEGE
COUNSELING DEGREE PLAN
2012-2013

VOCATIONAL NURSING
Certificate of Completion
MAJOR CODE: 17343

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Student Name _____ Social Security #/ID# _____ FA Student _____ VA Student _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Counselor Name _____ Counselor Signature _____

EPC COURSE RUBRIC/TCC Number	REQUIRED COURSES TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	SEMESTER COURSE COMPLETED	GRADE	COMMENTS (Show origin of any transfer credit or remedial/prerequisite designations or substitution/waiver)
PREREQUISITE SEMESTER					
RNSG 1301	Pharmacology	3			
VNSG 1405 <u>OR</u> BIOL 2401	Health Science <u>OR</u> Anatomy and Physiology I	4			
VNSG 1420 <u>OR</u> BIOL 2402	Anatomy and Physiology for Allied Health <u>OR</u> Anatomy and Physiology II	4			
MATH 1314 <u>OR</u> MATH 1324 <u>OR</u> Higher MATH Core <u>OR</u> VNSG 1391	Precalculus I College Algebra and Geometry <u>OR</u> Introductory Mathematics for Business and Social Science <u>OR</u> Higher Mathematics Core Course <u>OR</u> Special Topics in Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training Math for Articulating High School Students	3-4			

NOTE: Students must have a "C" in BIOL 2401 and BIOL 2402 to take RNSG 1301. Pharmacology is a mandatory and ranking course. Transfer students-Biology courses must include lecture and a laboratory that total 4 credits.

FIRST SEMESTER					
VNSG 1160	Clinical-Licensed Practical/Vocational Nursing Training	1			
VNSG 1227 <u>OR</u> RNSG 1208	Essentials of Medication Administration <u>OR</u> Dosage Calculations for Nursing	2			
VNSG 1236 <u>OR</u> PSYC 2301	Mental Health <u>OR</u> Introduction to Psychology	2-3			
VNSG 1260 <u>OR</u> RNSG 1260	Clinical-Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN) Training I <u>OR</u> Clinical-Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	2			
VNSG 1323 RNSG 1413	Basic Nursing Skills <u>OR</u> Foundations for Nursing Practice	3-4			
VNSG 1402	Applied Nursing Skills I	4			

EXIT CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION: Fundamentals of Vocational Nursing Total 28-31

Major Code: 17173

NOTE: STUDENTS SHOULD SUBMIT A GRADUATION APPLICATION TO RECEIVE THE CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION FOR FUNDAMENTALS OF VOCATIONAL NURSING

Students who successfully complete VNSG 1323-VNSG 1160 and VNSG 1402-VNSG 1260 (or RNSG 1413 and RNSG 1260) with a "C" or better may apply for a Nurse Aide Certificate of Completion and are eligible to become a Certified Nursing Assistant.

Please note: Only the high school students pursuing the Vocational Nursing program will not have to have Pharmacology and Math as pre-requisite for the first semester. VNSG 1227, VNSG 1323, VNSG 1402 may run concurrently and can be co-requisites

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SECOND SEMESTER					
VNSG 1133 <u>OR</u> PSYC 2314	Growth and Development <u>OR</u> Human Growth and Development	1-3			
VNSG 1166 <u>AND</u> VNSG 1163 <u>AND</u> VNSG 1261 <u>OR</u> RNSG 1261 <u>AND</u> RNSG 2260	Practicum (or Field Experience)-Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training <u>AND</u> Clinical–Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training <u>AND</u> Clinical–Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training <u>OR</u> Clinical-Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse II <u>AND</u> Clinical-Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse V	4			
VNSG 2413 <u>AND</u> VNSG 2214 <u>OR</u> RNSG 1441 <u>AND</u> RNSG 2213	Applied Nursing Skills II <u>AND</u> Applied Nursing Skills III <u>OR</u> Common Concepts of Adult Health <u>AND</u> Mental Health Nursing	6			
SUMMER SESSION					
VNSG 1119	Leadership and Professional Development	1			
VNSG 1234 <u>OR</u> RNSG 2201	Pediatrics <u>OR</u> Care of Children and Families	2			
VNSG 1230 <u>OR</u> RNSG 2308	Maternal-Neonatal Nursing <u>OR</u> Maternal/Newborn Nursing and Women’s Health	2-3			
VNSG 1262 <u>OR</u> RNSG 2262	Clinical–Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training <u>OR</u> Clinical-Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse III	2			
VNSG 1263 <u>OR</u> RNSG 2263	Clinical–Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training <u>OR</u> Clinical-Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse VI	2			
ELECTIVE	Elective	3-4			
Total Credit Hours		51-58			

ELECTIVES: BIOL 2420, ENGL 2322, ENGL 2323, ENGL 2332, ENGL 2333, ENGL 2342, ENGL 2343, PHIL 1301, PHIL 2306.

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Students are advised to refer to the course descriptions for all courses identified in the degree plan to ensure they have completed the appropriate prerequisites.