

Pellissippi State Technical Community College/Lincoln Memorial University Cooperative Nursing Program

Pellissippi State Technical Community College (PSTCC) and Lincoln Memorial University (LMU) have developed a cooperative agreement to offer LMU's Associate of Science degree in Nursing (ASN) and the Bachelor's of Science Degree in Nursing (BSN) to the students in the Knoxville, Maryville and Alcoa area. LMU provides the nursing courses at St. Mary's Medical Center – 3rd floor and at the Alcoa City Center.

ASN Program

Purpose

The ASN Program provides a broad, educational program with the following purposes:

- To prepare a technical nurse who can care for individuals with common, recurrent, predictable health problems,
- To prepare graduates to write the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN), and
- To provide a base for continued education in nursing.

ASN Course Requirements

	BIOL 2010	Human Anatomy & Physiology I	4 hours
	BIOL 2020	Human Anatomy & Physiology II	4 hours
	BIOL 2130	Microbiology (formerly BIOL 2230)	4 hours
	ENGL 1010	English Composition I	3 hours
PSTCC	* ENGL 1020	English Composition II	3 hours
Courses	MATH	Any college math course	3 hours
	OST 1211	Word/Excel/PowerPoint	3 hours
	PSY 2400	Human Development through the Lifespan (or PSY 2100)	3 hours
	SPH 2100	Public Speaking (or any speech course)	3 hours

***NOTE.** The following courses may be substituted for ENGL 1020 for the ASN: ART 1720, 1730, MUS 1030, THEA 1030, HIST 1110 or 1120. ENGL 1020 is required for students who plan to complete their BSN. Students planning to complete the BSN should not take MUS 1030 or THEA 1030.

	INFL 100	Information Literacy	1 hour
	LNCN 100	Lincoln's Life	1 hour
	NURS 115	Foundations of Nursing	6 hours
	NURS 125	Humans as Adaptive Systems/Physiologic Mode	6 hours
	NURS 126	Humans as Adaptive Systems/Psychosocial Mode	6 hours
LMU	NURS 241	Promotion of Adaptation in Adults I	7 hours
Courses	NURS 242	Promotion of Adaptation in Adults II	6 hours
	NURS 245	Promotion of Adaptation in Children	3 hours
	NURS 246	Promotion of Adaptation in Childbearing Families	4 hours
	NURS 290	Nursing Seminar	1 hour

Students should begin by registering for general education courses at Pellissippi State. Developmental studies courses may be necessary to remove high school deficiencies or low placement test scores. For information contact:

Pellissippi State Technical Community College
Office of Admissions
PO Box 22990

Knoxville, TN 37933-0990
1-800-548-6925 (TN only) or 1-865-694-6570

Admission to LMU's nursing program is competitive. Factors considered in the admission process include high school grade point average, cumulative college grade point average, ACT/SAT scores, GPA in required general studies courses, recommendations, score on standardized pre-admission test, number of repeat courses and withdrawals, and grade improvement over time. Students must also meet required technical standards for nursing students.

For additional information or to request an application visit LMU's website at www.lmunet.edu or contact:

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6965 Cumberland Gap Parkway
Harrogate, TN 37752
1-800-325-0900, ext. 6280
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The Associate of Science in Nursing (ASN) and the registered nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) are accredited by the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission (NCNAC), 61 Broadway, New York, NY 10006 212-363-5555, ext. 153.

Graduates of the ASN program are eligible to apply to take the NCLEX-RN and apply for license through the board of nursing in the state in which they plan to practice. The board of nursing has the right to deny licensure to practice nursing to individuals guilty of fraud, individuals who have committed a felony or misdemeanor, individuals addicted to drugs or alcohol, or individuals guilty of unprofessional conduct or incompetence. Nursing students may be required to pass a criminal background check before beginning clinicals. Questions regarding eligibility to take the licensure examination should be directed to the board of nursing in the state in which the student plans to apply for licensure.

RN to BSN Program

Purpose

1. To prepare a baccalaureate nurse, a generalist who cares for individuals, families and community groups at any point on the wellness/illness continuum.
2. To provide an opportunity for career mobility for associate and diploma educated RN's.

Note: Students who complete the ASN at LMU should take the following additional requirements for the BSN program. Students who complete the ASN at another college must complete all degree requirements for a bachelor's degree at LMU. Evidence of active Registered Nurse licensure is required.

BSN Course requirements (from RN)

	Mathematics	Three additional hours MATH 1530 is recommended	3 hours
	Chemistry	CHEM 1010 or CHEM 1110	4 hours
	*ENGL 1020	English Composition II	3 hours
	*HIST 1110, 1120 or 1010, 1020	World Civilization I, II or Western Civilization I, II	6 hours
PSTCC	*ART 1720, 1730	Western Art I, II	6 hours
Courses	PHIL 2010	Survey of World Religions	3 hours
	PHIL 2450	Medical Ethics	3 hours

Literature	ENGL 2110, 2120, 2210, 2220, 2310, or 2320	3 hours	
Social Science	ECON, GEOG or POL	3 hours	
*If not completed for the ASN			
Elective	300/400 Level	1 hours	
LNCN 300	American Citizenship & Civic Life	1 hour	
NURS 300	Transition to Professional Nursing	2 hours	
NURS 310	Pharmacology to Promote Adaptation	3 hours	
NURS 330	Health Assessment of Humans as Adapt. Systems	3 hours	
NURS 350	Pathophysiology of Ineffective Human Responses	3 hours	
LMU	NURS 390	Promotion of Adaptation in the Elderly	2 hours
Courses	NURS 430	Nursing Research	3 hours
	NURS 440	Promotion of Adapt. in Groups, Communities & Society	6 hours
	NURS 450	Professional Roles in Promotion of Adaptation	5 hours
	NURS 490	Senior Nursing Seminar	1 hour

Note: Students who complete the BSN completion program do not have to take another licensure exam.