



DIVISION OF HEALTH SCIENCE & NURSING
**LICENSED VOCATIONAL NON-DEGREE-30 UNIT
 OPTION (OPTION #2) LVN to RN**

This one-year program is for the applicant with a valid California Vocational Nurse license. The Vocational Nurse who completes thirty additional units beyond the LVN curriculum qualifies to take the licensing examination as a Registered Nurse. **This option does not lead to an Associate Nursing Degree.**

The program is designed to prepare students for employment as a Registered Nurse, providing direct care to patients. The student should be aware that they may not change their status as a 30 unit option RN with the Board of Registered Nursing at any time after licensure. Individuals who become licensed as Registered Nurses using this option may not be eligible for licensure in states other than California or any advanced degrees. The program is accredited by the California Board of Registered Nursing.

Prerequisites/Corequisites	Units	N	IP	C
* BIOL 226 Human Physiology**	4			
* BIOL 222 Microbiology **	5			
** CHEM 110 is a prerequisite to BIOL 222 and BIOL 226. CHEM 110 meets the AS degree requirement for a Natural Science with a Lab.				
ADN 075 LVN Transition into the Associate Degree Nursing Program - By Permission of the program after admission – Offered Spring Session only HS 045 Math for Health Professionals (optional elective for 1 unit)	2.5			

Courses required after program admission-by permit only

2 nd Year Fall Semester	Units	N	IP	C
ADN 250 Advanced Pharmacology	1			
ADN 251/L Medical Surgical Nursing II/Lab	4.5			
ADN 252/L Psychiatric/Mental Health Nursing/Lab	3.5			

2 nd Year Spring Semester	Units	N	IP	C
ADN 253/L Medical Surgical Nursing III/Lab	5			
ADN 254/L Leadership and Management in Nursing/Lab	4			

TOTAL UNITS				29.5
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**The Board of Registered Nursing (BRN) requires these courses be completed to be eligible to take the RN licensing examination. All of these courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or better*