

**NURSING**  
**LVN – ADN Transition Program**  
**Preparation for RN**  
(CIP 51.3801)  
Associate of Applied Science

This twelve-month program provides a transition track into the ADN program. It is designed specifically for applicants who are already licensed vocational nurses (LVN) who wish to make the transition to the ADN program. The graduate of the WCJC LVN-ADN Transition program is prepared to meet the differentiated essential competencies (DECs) at the associate degree level as defined by the Texas Board of Nursing in four major roles: member of the profession, provider of patient-centered care, patient safety advocate, and member of the health care team. General education courses as well as nursing courses are included in the curriculum and are transferable to many four-year colleges that offer baccalaureate degrees in nursing.

Upon successful completion of the program, graduates are qualified to take the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN). The program is approved by the Texas Board of Nursing (BON).

**Prerequisite Courses** – Coursework must be completed prior to applying to the program.

Texas Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN) approved credit

- BIOL 2401      Anatomy & Physiology I
- BIOL 2402      Anatomy & Physiology II
- BIOL 2420      Microbiology
- ENGL 1301      Composition I
- PSYC 2301      General Psychology
- PSYC 2314      Life Span Growth & Development

Humanities/Fine Arts from the AAS General Education Course List

<b>Semester I</b>		<b>Semester III</b>	
RNSG 1118	Transition to Professional Nursing Competencies	RNSG 2539	Health Care Concepts IV
RNSG 1128	Introduction to Health Care Concepts	RNSG 2138	Professional Nursing Concepts IV (Capstone Course)
RNSG 1324	Concept-Based Transition to Professional Nursing Practice	RNSG 2360	Clinical – Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse
RNSG 1162	Clinical – Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse		<b>Total Semester Hours – 60</b>
<b>Semester II</b>			
RNSG 1538	Health Care Concepts III		
RNSG 1137	Professional Nursing Concepts III		
RNSG 2363	Clinical – Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse		