



Wayne  
County  
Community  
College  
District

## PAY

The median annual wage for registered nurses was \$70,000 in May 2017.

## JOB OUTLOOK

Employment of registered nurses is projected to grow 15 percent from 2016 to 2026, much faster than the average for all occupations. Growth will occur for a number of reasons, including an increased emphasis on preventative care; growing rates of chronic conditions, such as diabetes and obesity; and demand for healthcare services from the baby boomer population, as they live longer and more active lives.

*Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Outlook Handbook, April 2018, Registered Nurses, on the Internet at <http://www.bls.gov/ooh/healthcare/registered-nurses.htm>*

*WCCCD Nursing Program is fully approved by the Michigan Board of Nursing (MBON)*



# Nursing

## ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The Nursing program at WCCCD offers an Associate of Applied Science degree in Nursing. Graduates of the Nursing program are eligible to take the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN). Program requirements include specific courses in the nursing major and general education. The Nursing program is designed to prepare graduates to provide nursing care as staff nurses in a variety of health care settings.

WCCCD also offers a Care Coordination and Transition Management Short-Term Certificate. This program will provide the professional registered nurse with the knowledge, core competencies, skills and concepts required to successfully take the Care Coordination and Transition Management Certification Exam.



## WHAT DO REGISTERED NURSES (RN) DO?

Registered nurses (RNs) provide and coordinate patient care, educate patients and the public about various health conditions, and provide advice and emotional support to patients and their family members.

## WHERE DO THEY WORK?

Registered nurses work in hospitals, physicians' offices, home healthcare services, and nursing care facilities. They also work in correctional facilities, schools, summer camps, and with the military.

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## Recommended Sequence of Courses

### Nursing: Associate of Applied Science Degree

| CR. No.                             | COURSE TITLE                                 | CREDITS    |
|-------------------------------------|--|------------|
| <b>PREREQUISITE COURSES</b>         |  |            |
| ENG 119                             | English I . . . . .                          | .3         |
| BIO 155                             | Introduction to Biology . . . . .            | .4         |
| *BIO 240                            | Human Anatomy and<br>Physiology I . . . . .  | .4         |
| BIO 250                             | Human Anatomy and<br>Physiology II . . . . . | .4         |
| *BIO 295                            | Microbiology . . . . .                       | .4         |
| PSY 101                             | Introductory Psychology . . . . .            | .3         |
| <b>PREREQUISITE TOTAL . . . . .</b> |  | <b>.22</b> |

\*BIO 155 is a prerequisite to BIO 240 and BIO 295

| CR. No.                                  | COURSE TITLE                  | CREDITS |
|--|-------------------------------|---------|
| <b><u>SEMESTER 1 FIRST 7.5 WEEKS</u></b> |                               |         |
| NUR 110                                  | Nursing Foundations . . . . . | .4      |
| NUR 118                                  | Physical Assessment . . . . . | .2      |

**SEMESTER 1 SECOND 7.5 WEEKS**

|                                 |                                      |            |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------|
| NUR 112                         | Medical Surgical Nursing I . . . . . | .4         |
| NUR 119                         | Pharmacology . . . . .               | .2         |
| <b>SEMESTER TOTAL . . . . .</b> |                                      | <b>.12</b> |

**SEMESTER 2**

|                                 |                                       |            |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------|
| DT 130                          | Introduction to Nutrition . . . . .   | .3         |
| NUR 114                         | Obstetric Nursing . . . . .           | .3         |
| NUR 116                         | Medical Surgical Nursing II . . . . . | .4         |
| <b>SEMESTER TOTAL . . . . .</b> |                                       | <b>.10</b> |

**SEMESTER 3**

|                                 |  |            |
|---------------------------------|--|------------|
| SOC 100                         | Introduction to Sociology . . . . .    | .3         |
| NUR 210                         | Psychiatric Nursing . . . . .          | .3         |
| NUR 212                         | Medical Surgical Nursing III . . . . . | .4         |
| <b>SEMESTER TOTAL . . . . .</b> |  | <b>.10</b> |

**SEMESTER 4**

|                                       |   |            |
|---------------------------------------|---|------------|
| NUR 214                               | Pediatric Nursing . . . . .                             | .3         |
| NUR 216                               | Medical Surgical Nursing IV . . . . .                   | .4         |
| NUR 218                               | Nursing Issues, Transitions and<br>Leadership . . . . . | .2         |
| <b>SEMESTER TOTAL . . . . .</b>       |   | <b>.9</b>  |
| <b>A.A.S. PROGRAM TOTAL . . . . .</b> |   | <b>.63</b> |

Note: • Program total hours include prerequisites and corequisites.

• Program totals do not include District remedial courses.

• Students must also complete College Degree Requirements in order to be eligible for graduation:

- Complete at least 60 credit hours

- A minimum of 15 credit hours of program requirements at WCCCD

- PS 101 American Government (3 credit hours)

- ENG 120 II (3 credit hours)

- Have a minimum grade point average of 2.0 upon completion

• Students interested in transferring to a 4-year institution are encouraged to take the following courses

- BIO 252 Pathophysiology (4 credit hours)

- PSY 200 Lifespan Development (3 credit hours)

Students should see an advisor for additional information.

### Nursing: Care Coordination and Transition Management Short-Term Certificate

| CR. No.                  | COURSE TITLE   | CREDITS |
|--------------------------|--|---------|
| <b><u>SEMESTER 1</u></b> |  |         |
| NUR 219                  | Care Transitions and Transition<br>Management Theory . . . . . | .10     |

**SEMESTER 2**

|         |                              |     |
|---------|------------------------------|-----|
| NUR 220 | Clinical Practicum . . . . . | .10 |
|---------|------------------------------|-----|

**CERTIFICATE TOTAL . . . . .** .20

Note: Certificate total hours may not include prerequisites.

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