Pine Technical & Community College

• Associate of Science

The Nursing Mobility program expands upon the foundational knowledge and skills of Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs) who want to pursue an Associate of Science (A.S.) Degree in Nursing. The curriculum prepares nurses to practice professionalism, leadership, clinical reasoning, and adherence to the Nursing Code of Ethics. With an A.S. in Nursing, students are eligible to apply to take the National Council Licensure Exam for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN). This program provides a pathway for students who wish to pursue academic advancement or seek employment in a wide variety of healthcare settings.

Recommended Course Sequence for Completion in 2 Years • FULL-TIME

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General Education Coursework

*BIOL 1250 General Biology	4
*BIOL 1255 Microbiology	
*BIOL 1260 Anatomy and Physiology I	
*BIOL 1270 Anatomy and Physiology II	
*ENGL 1276 College Composition	4
*PHIL 1220 Human Ethics	3
*PSYC 1210 General Psychology	4
*PSYC 1250 Lifespan Development	3
*General Education Electives	1
Total Credits	30

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Application to begin AD core coursework

Students **must apply to become eligible to take AD core coursework at pine.edu/nursing-mobility-as** by the deadline indicated on the PTCC website.

At the time of application students must:

- Have general education coursework completed with a grade of "C" or better, and a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Be currently licensed as a Practical Nurse (LPN)
- Have taken the ATI TEAS exam within the last 18 months with an overall composite score of 68 or higher (PTCC only accepts TEAS scores from in-person proctored exams - no virtual/online testing scores are accepted)
- Attend a PTCC Nursing Programs Information Session. Register at www.pine.edu/visit

Core Coursework

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NURS 2922 Professional Nursing Practicum I	4
NURS 2923 Role Transition: LPN to Professional Nurse	2
NURS 2925 Medical Surgical Professional Nursing I	4
NURS 2926 Psychosocial Nursing for the	
Professional Nurse	2
NURS 2928 Professional Nursing Lab I	2
Total Credits	
Spring Semester	6
NURS 2931 Professional Nursing Leadership	2
and Management	2
NURS 2936 Professional Nursing Practicum II	4
NURS 2945 Medical Surgical Professional Nursing II	3
NURS 2946 Maternal Newborn and Pediatric Nursing	
for the Professional Nurse	3
NURS 2948 Professional Nursing Lab II	2
Total Credits	14
LPN students will be awarded	
advanced standing nursing credits	
TOTAL AS CREDITS	64
Nursing AS Earned!	

*Check with our Transfer Specialist to determine if any knowledge or skills learned outside of the classroom may qualify for Credit for Prior Learning (CPL) college credit.

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Upon Acceptance to Core Coursework

Additional Requirements Upon Acceptance into the Nursing Mobility Core Coursework

All requirements listed below are due 2-3 weeks prior to the start of the semester in which you have been accepted to begin core coursework. See the application timeline for details.

- Proof of valid Practical Nursing (LPN) license
- **Immunizations** (before submitting documents, review them to ensure all required information is included.
 - Measles/Mumps/Rubella
 - Tetanus
 - Diphtheria
 - Pertussis
 - Varicella (Chicken Pox)
 - Influenza
 - Hepatitis B
 - Tuberculosis screening

• Background Study

All students must have a cleared Minnesota background study. A cleared Wisconsin background study may be required.

Current Healthcare Professional CPR

American Heart Association CPR for Healthcare Provider (BLS provider) is the only accepted CPR. Must have hands-on skills test-out.

Note: COVID vaccinations are no longer required for entrance into the AD-Mobility Program at PTCC. However, clinical sites may alter their clinical requirements at any time, and PTCC students would be required to comply at that time.

Attend a Nursing Information Session

Learn what is required for acceptance in the nursing programs. Nursing advisors guide you through the program application process and all the requirements necessary for acceptance.

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