



## LPN Step-In Program Plan of Study

LPN Step-In degree: For a licensed practical nurse, or LPN, who wishes to become a registered nurse, or RN.

The LPN Step-In program is a three-semester Associate of Science degree and is delivered via a hybrid model. Course work is online and asynchronous, so it can be completed any time of day or night – whenever your schedule allows. However, labs and clinicals take place **on campus and in-person** at either Northwest Technical College or one of our local clinical sites, approximately 3-4 consecutive days once per month for the duration of the program.

## LPN Step-In Program Prerequisites

- ☐ BIOL 2221: Microbiology
- ☐ BIOL 2252: Anatomy & Physiology I
- ☐ BIOL 2254: Anatomy & Physiology II
- ☐ CHEM 1100: Intro to Chemistry
- ☐ ENGL 1111: College Writing I
- ☐ MATH 1110: College Algebra, or  
MATH 1930: Intro to Mathematical Sciences
- ☐ PSYC 2201: Developmental Psychology
- ☐ Current LPN license

Once students have completed **or are in progress** with remaining prerequisite courses, they can fill out the [LPN Step-In program application](#). Students will be informed of their admission status within 30 days of submitting the program application.

Learn more about the LPN Step-In program admissions process [here](#) or call our Nursing Admissions team at (218) 333-6600.

See the next page for the full course plan!



### SPRING: First semester

Course	Title	Credits
ADNG 1150	Nursing I	4
ADNG 1300	Transition to Professional Nursing	4 (2 lec/ 2 lab)
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>8</b>

***\*If needed\**** HLTH 1410: First Aid/CPR (1 credit), or American Heart Association Basic Life Support (BLS), Provider certification, or Red Cross BLS Healthcare Provider certification.

### FALL: Second semester

Course	Title	Credits
BIOL 2256	Advanced Physiology	2
	*General Education course	3
ADNG 2050	Advanced Skills	2 (1 lec / 1 lab)
ADNG 2100	Clinical II	4
ADNG 2150	Nursing II	4
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>15</b>

### Spring: Third semester

Course	Title	Credits
PHIL 1201 or PHIL 2210	Ethics or Bioethical Issues in Society	3
ADNG 2200	Clinical III	4
ADNG 2250	Leadership	2
ADNG 2350	Maternal Newborn Nursing	2
ADNG 2400	Psychosocial Nursing	2
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>13</b>