## MANE Curriculum Plan At Ridgewater College

### Credits in AD Degree: 35 nursing; 40 pre-requisites/general education = 75 total
### Credits after licensure eligibility: 30 nursing; 15 general education (10 credits minimum must be upper division/300 or 400 level courses)
### Total Program Credits: 65 nursing; 55 pre-requisites/general education = 120 total
### 16 clinical credits currently, national average is 13-14 credits.

**Pre-requisite and Co-requisite Coursework**
- Co-requisite courses are highlighted in purple and red.
- All nursing courses in each semester must be successfully completed to progress to the next semester.
- General education courses may be taken earlier but not later than the identified semester.

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| 1    | • English 1210 (MnTC Goal 1)  
• Chemistry 1010 (MnTC Goal 3,10)  
• Psychology 1310 (MnTC Goal 5, 7)  
• General Education - Sociology/Anthropology (MnTC Goal 5) | 3 4 4 3 | 14 | • General Education - elective  
• Biology 2100 (MnTC Goal 3)  
• Psychology 2630 (MnTC Goal 5,9)  
• CMST (MnTC Goal 1)  
• English 1220 (MnTC Goal 1) | 2 4 3 3 3 | 15 |
| 2    | • NURS 2700: Health Promotion and the Role of the Professional Nurse  
• NURS 2750: Nutrition and the Role of the Professional Nurse  
• Biology 2110 (MnTC Goal 3) | 9 N 2 N 4 | 11 N 4 | • NURS 2820: Pharmacology and the Role of the Professional Nurse  
• NURS 2850: Applied Pathophysiology for Nursing I  
• NURS 2800: Chronic & Palliative Care  
• Biology 2150 (MnTC Goal 3) | 3 N 2 N 7 N 4 | 12N 4 |
| 3    | • NURS 2900: Acute & Complex Care  
• NURS 2920: Applied Pathophysiology for Nursing II  
• NURS 2950: Nursing Leadership I  
• Phil 1020 (MnTC Goal 6, 9)  
**BENCHMARK – eligible for NCLEX-RN/ licensure** | 7 N 2 N 3 N 3 | 12N 3 | • NURS 406 Nursing Care of the Family  
• NURS 444 Evidence-Based Nursing Practice  
• General Education – Statistics *(can be lower division)*  
• MnTC Goal area Upper division General Education Writing course – Writ 331 Writing in your Major or equivalent (this has to be taken at Metro) | 4 N 3 N 4 4 | 7N 8 |
| 4    | • NURS 459 Population Based Care  
• NURS 464 Nursing Leadership II  
• NURS 446 Nursing Informatics  
• General Education – upper division liberal arts elective | 7 N 4 N 2 N 3 | 13N 3 | • NURS 490 Integrative Seminar & Practicum  
• NURS 485 Global Health Perspectives for Nursing or HSCI309 Global Health Issues (Metro State only)  
• General Education – upper division liberal arts elective | 7 N 3 N 4 4 | 10N 4 |

**Reference:** [http://www.mntransfer.org/students/plan/s_mntc.php](http://www.mntransfer.org/students/plan/s_mntc.php)

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