

# Nursing

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This program is offered **Online**.

## Program Description

**SJVC's** Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program may be completed in 50 weeks. The program is designed for Registered Nurses having graduated from a board-approved/accredited, associate degree Registered Nursing program who want to advance their career. The Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing affords excellent opportunities for professional growth and development with the necessary education in leadership, education, and research.



## Program Student Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of this program, the successful student will be able to:

1. Demonstrate effective communication and presentation skills for diverse audiences.
2. Critically evaluate information from multiple sources for application in professional settings.
3. Apply current research and data interpretation techniques to identify and evaluate solutions for emergent issues impacting the profession.
4. Demonstrate professional competence when interacting with diverse patients, family, and communities.
5. Utilize leadership skills and knowledge of the healthcare and regulatory systems to advance high quality, safe, professional nursing practice.

**Admission Requirements:** To be considered for admission to the Nursing Program, applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Hold an Associate of Science in Registered Nursing from a board-approved/accredited, associate of science degree registered nursing program from a regionally or nationally accredited institution
- Successful completion of a minimum of 80.0 units of lower-division courses
- Hold a current, unencumbered credential licensure as a Registered Nurse (RN) in California or in the state of current employment

**Graduation Requirements:** Successful completion of the courses listed below with a grade of "C" or higher.

## Credential and Professional Certifications

Graduates earn a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing (BSN).

## Graduate Placement

The following job categories are considered in-field placements for graduates of the Bachelor of Science in Nursing program. Detailed information for each Standard Occupational Code (SOC) can be found at <http://www.onetonline.org/>.

- Registered Nurses (29.1141.00)
- Clinical Research Coordinators (11.9121.01)
- Health Educators (21.1091.00)
- Medical and Health Services Managers (11.9111.00)

**Core Course Requirements**

<b>Course ID</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Credit Units</b>
HC 420	Management Principles for the Healthcare Professional	4.0
HC 430	Establishing Best Practices in Quality Improvement of Healthcare	4.0
HC 440	Research and Evidence-Based Practice in Healthcare	5.0
HC 470	Research Capstone	5.0
RN 405	Community Health Nursing	3.0
RN 412	Health Assessment	3.0
RN 455	Improving Patient Outcomes: Quality, Safety, & Risk Management	4.0
<b>Total</b>		<b>28.0</b>

**General Education Course Requirements**

ENG 321	Writing for Research	4.0
PHIL 300	Critical Thinking for the Health Professional	4.0
STS 301	Introduction to Statistics	4.0

**Total GE** **12.0**

**Transfer Credit** **80.0**

**Program Total** **120.00**