



Military Personnel Advanced Placement Policy

Definition	Individuals who have held Military Occupations may qualify for undergraduate credit. Veterans will be eligible for the ABSN plan of study.
Scope	Outline credit for military education and experience towards undergraduate courses and intended plan of study
Responsible Division	California State University San Marcos, School of Nursing

Policy

In accordance with CSU, Chancellor Executive Order 1084, CSUSM Undergraduate Student policies, the California Board of Registered Nursing (BRN), SB 466 and SB 1348, American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN/CACN) and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE), credit for military education and experience towards undergraduate courses is available.

Applicants must meet all general entrance requirements of the Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing (ABSN) Program, including completion of science prerequisite courses, general education courses for the Nursing Major and the Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS).

Procedure

1. Applicants applying for transfer credit must submit the following materials verifying education and experience to Extended Learning
 - a. Transcripts from appropriate education program(s), demonstrating satisfactory completion of coursework and clinical experience
 - b. Documentation of experience to include DD214 and history of work assignments.
2. The Registrar will complete an evaluation using the American Council on Education (ACE) Military Guide and award credit for General Education Courses
3. Students will be placed in the ABSN program and maintain the cohort sequence plan of study

<u>Version</u>	<u>Revision Date</u>	<u>Details of Revision</u>	<u>Policy Approval</u>
<u>2</u>	<u>3/5/2024</u>	<u>Major Wording Change – remove procedure for course challenge</u> <u>Specify Documentation of Experience DD214</u>	<u>10/2/2024</u>



Veteran ABSN PLAN OF STUDY

This Plan of Study is for Veterans with credit for prior learning seeking the Bachelor of Science (BSN) degree. All nursing courses use the prefix "NURS"; it is abbreviated as "N" in this document. This sample curriculum plan is for information only.

Green Font: Prerequisites for Nursing Courses. Community College Transfer Credits allowed Yellow: CLEP Equivalents Available.

Semester 1			Semester 2			Semester 3 (If needed; can be taken 201 any semester)		
BIOL 175	Anatomy & Physiology I <i>PCC: BIOL 210 & 211 BUT HAVE Pre-requisites</i>	4	BIOL 176	Anatomy & Physiology II <i>PCC: BIOL 210 & 211 BUT HAVE Pre-requisites</i>	4	C3	Arts and /or Humanities Language course	3
CHEM 105	Integrated Chemistry	4	BIOL 160	Microbiology PCC Fundamentals of Micro BIOL 212	4	Area F	Any Ethnic Studies	3
CHEM 105L	Chemistry Lab	1	Any A3	Critical Thinking	3	BIOL 323	The Physiology of Nutrition and Disease	3
GEO 102	Oral Communication	3	PSYC 100	Intro to Psychology	3	PCSI 100	US Government & Policies (CC Transfer Credits OK) <i>PCC: PSYC 100</i>	3
GEW 101B	Writing as Rhetorical Act (Written Communication) <i>PCC: English Composition ENG 100</i>	3	MATH 200	Statistics (has to be this, not algebra)	3	C1	Arts (CC Transfer Credits OK)	3
Total		15	Total		17	Dh	US History	3
						C2	Humanities	3
						Total		21
Semester 3 (NURS 1)			Semester 4 (NURS 2)			Semester 5 (NURS 3)		
N300	Fundamentals of Nursing Communication and Skills	4	N316A	Pathophysiology and Pharmacology I	2	N332	Nursing Care of the Childrearing Family	2
N301	Practicum: Fundamentals of Nursing	2	N322	Nursing Care of Adults in the Acute Care Setting I	4	N333	Practicum: Nursing Care of the Childrearing Family	2
N314	Health Assessment, Teaching, and Health Promotion	3	N323	Practicum: Nursing Care of Adults in the Acute Care Setting I	3	N480	Family Nursing: Theory & Practice	2
N315	Practicum: Health Assessment and Teaching	2	N360	Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing	2	N330	Nursing Care of the Childbearing Family	2
N352	Nursing Research	3	N361	Practicum: Psychiatric-Mental Health Nursing	2	N331	Practicum: Nursing Care of the Childbearing Family	2

N304	Introduction to Professionalism in Nursing	2				PHIL 345	Bioethics and Medical Ethics	3
	Total	16		Total	13		Total	13
Semester 6 (NURS 4)			Semester 7 (NURS 5)					
N316B	Pathophysiology and Pharmacology II	2	N440	Community Health Nursing	4		Cumulative Total 120 Units	
N324	Nursing Care of Adults in the Acute Care Setting II	4	N445	Practicum: Community Health Nursing	3			
N325	Practicum: Nursing Care of Adults in the Acute Care Setting II	3	N490	Transition to Nursing Practice Seminar	1			
N450	Nursing Leadership and Professional Issues	2	N491	Transition to Nursing Practice Internship	2			
N451	Practicum: Nursing Leadership and Management	1	ANT 301	Culture / Medicine Healers & Practices	3			
	Total	12		Total	13			