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**Course Information**

Select Appropriate Program Undergraduate Degree Program

Name of New or Existing Program \* BSN: Prelicensure Option

Select Category Degree

Degree Type Baccalaureate

Select Action Revision

**Exact Title and Requirements as they should appear in the catalog. If there is a change, upload current and proposed requirements.**  
See current catalog for format within the respective college (upload a doc/pdf file)

- [NMNEC POS changes annotated.pdf](#)
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- [ChangeoverMatrix.pdf](#)
- [NMNEC POS -catalog.pdf](#)

☐ **Does this change affect other departmental program/branch campuses? If yes, indicate below.**

Reason(s) for Request \* (enter text below or upload a doc/pdf file)  
The College of Nursing will be adopting the New Mexico Nursing Education Consortium (NMNEC) curriculum; while the B.S.N. curriculum is not significantly changed, some courses are being modified or deleted (9 associated Forms A: 238, 332, 351, 352, 390, 453, 419L, 454L, 491) and some are being replaced (8 associated Forms B: 201, 220L, 303, 321L, 322L, 421L, 422L, 423L).

Upload a document that includes justification for the program, impact on long-range planning, detailed budget analysis and faculty workload implications. \*

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## UNM NMNEC BSN Program of Study

	<u>SEMESTER #1</u>	<u>CREDITS</u>	<u>SEMESTER #2</u>	<u>CREDITS</u>
<b>YEAR 1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ENGL 101: Composition I (3)</li> <li>• BIOL 123/124L: Biology for Health Sciences (4)</li> <li>• MATH 120: Intermediate Algebra (3)</li> <li>• PSY 105: General Psychology (3)</li> <li>• Humanities (Core Area 5) (3)</li> </ul>	16  0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ENGL 102: Composition II (3)</li> <li>• CHEM 111L: General Chemistry (4)</li> <li>• NURS 224: Application of Growth and Development to Health Care (3)</li> <li>• NUTR 244: Human Nutrition (3)</li> <li>• STAT 145: Introduction to Statistics (3)</li> </ul>	13  3

**Semester Total: 16**

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	<u>SEMESTER #1</u>	<u>CREDITS</u>	<u>SEMESTER #2</u> Level One Nursing	<u>CREDITS</u>
<b>YEAR 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BIOL 237: Anatomy &amp; Physiology I (3)</li> <li>• Social Science (Core Area 4) (3)</li> <li>• BIOL 239L: Microbiology (4)</li> <li>• NURS 239: Pathophysiology I (3)</li> <li>• Humanities (Core Area 5) (3)</li> </ul>	13  3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NURS 240: Pathophysiology II (3)</li> <li>• BIOL 238: Anatomy &amp; Physiology II (3)</li> <li>• NURS 201: Introduction to Nursing Concepts (3)</li> <li>• NURS 220L: Principles of Nursing Practice (4)</li> <li>• NURS 332: Evidence-Based Practice (3)</li> </ul>	3  13

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	<u>SEMESTER #1</u> Level Two Nursing	<u>CREDITS</u>	<u>SEMESTER #2</u> Level Three Nursing	<u>CREDITS</u>
<b>YEAR 3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foreign Language (Core Area 6) (3)</li> <li>• NURS 238: Nursing Pharmacology (3)</li> <li>• NURS 351: Health &amp; Illness Concepts I (3)</li> <li>• NURS 303: Health Care Participant (3)</li> <li>• NURS 321L: Assessment and Health Promotion (4)</li> </ul>	3  13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fine Arts (Core Area 7) (3)</li> <li>• Nursing Elective (3)**</li> <li>• NURS 352: Health &amp; Illness Concepts II (3)</li> <li>• NURS 390: Professional Nursing Concepts I (3)</li> <li>• NURS 322L: Care of Patients with Chronic Conditions (4)</li> </ul>	3  13

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	<u>SEMESTER #1</u> Level Four Nursing	<u>CREDITS</u>	<u>SEMESTER #2</u> Level Five Nursing	<u>CREDITS</u>
<b>YEAR 4</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Speaking/Writing (Core Area 1) (3)</li> <li>• NURS 453: Health &amp; Illness Concepts III (4)</li> <li>• NURS 421L: Clinical Intensive I (4)</li> <li>• NURS 422L: Clinical Intensive II (4)</li> </ul>	3  12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NURS 454L: Concept Synthesis (3)</li> <li>• NURS 491: Professional Nursing Concepts II (3)</li> <li>• NURS 423L: Clinical Intensive III (4)</li> <li>• NURS 419L: Capstone (4)</li> <li>• Nursing Elective (3)**</li> </ul>	0  17

**Semester Total: 15**

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*Italics indicate courses which can be taken independent of other courses in that level*

\*\*Includes NURS 498, 499 (If eligible and seek departmental honors)

BSN + Pre-Requisite/Core: = 129

- Non-Nursing Courses
- New Nursing Courses
- Modified Nursing Courses
- Unchanged Nursing Courses

# Prelicensure Option Program of Study

“First Year” and “Second Year” course work, which applies only to prelicensure students, should be completed before beginning Level 1. It is strongly recommended that students take Sociology, Anthropology, or Psychology to meet the Social/Behavioral Sciences core requirement.

## Curriculum for Prelicensure Option

### First Year

ENGL 101	Composition I: Exposition	3
ENGL 102	Composition II: Analysis and Argument	3
Soc/Behav Sci	(Core Area 4)	6
Humanities	(Core Area 5)	6
CHEM 111	Elements of General Chemistry	4
BIOL 123/124L	Biology for Health Related Sciences and Non-Majors/Lab	4
MATH 120	CR/NC; (prerequisite for STAT 145) may be waived by Math department	3
STAT 145	Introduction to Statistics	3
Fine Arts	(Core Area 7)	3
		32(35)

### Second Year

BIOL 237	Human Anatomy and Physiology I for the Health Sciences	3
BIOL 238	Human Anatomy and Physiology II for the Health Sciences	3
BIOL 239L	Microbiology for Health Sciences	4
Foreign Language	(Core Area 6)	3
Writing/Speaking	(Core Area 1)	3
NURS 224	Application of Concepts of Human Growth and Development to Health Care Delivery	3
NURS 239	Pathophysiology I	3
NURS 240	Pathophysiology II	3
NURS 238	Pharmacology in Nursing and the Health Professions	3
NUTR 244	Human Nutrition	3
Electives		2
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The four levels of the upper-division nursing curriculum are delivered on a schedule that includes three equal length sessions per year. One level is completed each term, with the four levels completed in 16 months. The curriculum for the upper-division nursing major follows:

Pre-level 1: Basic nursing skills competencies or completion of NURS 223 Introduction to Nursing Skills and Concepts.

**Level 1**

NURS 311L	Nursing Skills and Assessment	5
NURS 312L	Nursing Practicum I	4
NURS 313L	Nursing Practicum II	1
NURS 351	Health & Illness Concepts I	3
NURS 390	Professional Nursing Concepts I	3
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**Level 2**

NURS 314L	Nursing Practicum III	4
NURS 315L	Nursing Practicum IV	3
NURS 331L	Principles and Application, Community Assessment	2
NURS 332	Introduction to Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice	3
NURS 352	Health & Illness Concepts II	3
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**Level 3**

NURS 411L-416L	Clinical Intensive I w/seminar	4
NURS 411L-416L	Clinical Intensive II w/seminar	4
NURS 453	Health & Illness Concepts II	3
NURS 491	Professional Nursing Concepts I	3
	Elective	3
-or-		
NURS 498	Honors Study in Nursing I (if eligible and seek departmental honors)	3
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**Level 4**

NURS 411L-416L	Clinical Intensive III w/seminar	4
NURS 419L	Capstone Clinical	3
NURS 454L	Nursing Synthesis	3
NURS 492	Professional Nursing Concepts III	3
	Elective	2
-or-		
NURS 499	Honors Study in Nursing II (if eligible and seek departmental honors)	3
		15(16)

***The grade of C or better is required in all courses.***

## Current POS

<i>level</i>	<i>courses needed</i>				
Fall 12					
L1 admitted Fall 12	311	312	313	351	390
L3 admitted Spring 12	411-416	453	491		
L4 admitted Fall 11					
Spring 13					
L1 admitted Spring 13	311	312	313	351	390
L2 admitted Fall 12	314	315	331	332	352
L4 admitted Spring 12	411-416	419	454	492	
Summer 13					
L2 admitted Spring 13	314	315	331	332	352
L3 admitted Fall 12	411-416	453	491		
Fall 13					
L3 admitted Spring 13	411-416	453	491		
L4 admitted Fall 12	411-416	419	454	492	
Spring 14					
L4 admitted Spring 13	411-416	419	454	492	
<i>end of current POS</i>					

## NMNEC POS

<i>level</i>	<i>courses needed</i>			
First NMNEC Level 1	201	220L	332	
First NMNEC Level 2	303	321L	351	238
First NMNEC Level 3	352	390	322L	
Summer 14				
First NMNEC Level 4	453	421L	422L	
Fall 14				
First NMNEC Level 5	454L	Su	423L	419L

pre-L1 modified for NMNEC	238
L1 modified for NMNEC	351
L2 modified for NMNEC	352
L3 modified for NMNEC	491
L4 modified for NMNEC	419
current POS only	315
NMNEC only	331

**note** both L2 current POS & L1 NMNEC need 352; will override pre-/co-reqs for NMNEC cohort

## Catalog: Title and Requirements

### Prelicensure Option Program of Study

#### YEAR 1

##### SEMESTER #1

ENGL 101	Composition I	3
BIOL 123/124L	Biology for Health Sciences	4
MATH 120	Intermediate Algebra	3
PSY 105	General Psychology	3
	Humanities (Core Area 5)	3
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##### SEMESTER #2

ENGL 102	Composition II	3
CHEM 111L	General Chemistry	4
NURS 224	Application of Growth and Development to Health Care	3
NUTR 244	Human Nutrition	3
STAT 145	Introduction to Statistics	3
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#### YEAR 2

##### SEMESTER #1

BIOL 237	Anatomy & Physiology I	3
	Social Science (Core Area 4)	3
BIOL 239L	Microbiology	4
NURS 239	Pathophysiology I	3
	Humanities (Core Area 5)	3
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##### SEMESTER #2

###### Level 1 Nursing

NURS 240	Pathophysiology II	3
BIOL 238	Anatomy & Physiology II	3
NURS 201	Introduction to Nursing Concepts	3
NURS 220L	Principles of Nursing Practice	4
NURS 332	Evidence-Based Practice	3
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#### YEAR 3

##### SEMESTER #1

###### Level 2 Nursing

	Foreign Language (Core Area 6)	3
NURS 238	Nursing Pharmacology	3
NURS 351	Health & Illness Concepts I	3
NURS 303	Health Care Participant	3
NURS 321L	Assessment and Health Promotion	4
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##### SEMESTER #2

###### Level 3 Nursing

	Fine Arts (Core Area 7)	3
	Nursing Elective	3
-or-		
NURS 498	Honors Study in Nursing I (if eligible and seek departmental honors)	3
NURS 352	Health & Illness Concepts II	3
NURS 390	Professional Nursing Concepts I	3
NURS 322L	Care of Patients with Chronic Conditions	4
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### YEAR 4

SEMESTER #1	Level 4 Nursing	
	Speaking/Writing (Core Area 1)	3
NURS 453	Health & Illness Concepts III	4
NURS 421L	Clinical Intensive I	4
NURS 422L	Clinical Intensive II	4
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SEMESTER #2	Level 5 Nursing	
NURS 454L	Concept Synthesis	3
NURS 491	Professional Nursing Concepts II	3
NURS 423L	Clinical Intensive III	4
NURS 419L	Capstone	4
	Nursing Elective	3
-or-		
NURS 499	Honors Study in Nursing II (if eligible and seek departmental honors)	3
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#### Impact

The NMNEC curriculum is not significantly different from what is currently offered, and there will be no impact on the College of Nursing planning, budget, or faculty workload.