

## LPN TO RN Accelerated Bridge Track

72 Credit Hours

The LPN to RN Accelerated Bridge Track is a one year/three semester program leading to an Associate in Science in Registered Nursing for individuals that already have certification and licensure as a practical nurse (LPN).

This is a limited access program. Applications are accepted March 1-June 1 each year.

Training can be completed in a year and a half (prerequisites included).

**CLASS TIMES:** Classes meet two days a week with variable clinical hours.

**CERTIFICATION:** Successful completion of the LPN to RN Acceletrated Bridge Track prepares graduates to take the National Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN). Achievement of a passing score on this exam and licensure by the Florida State Board of Nursing enables the graduate to seek employment as a Registered Nurse in the state of Florida.

# PROGRAM INFORMATION

## **ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS**

- 1. Be in good academic standing if previously or currently enrolled at NFC
- 2. Basic computer skills
- Current unencumbered LPN license
- 4. Documentation from employer of one year of full-time work experience as an LPN at a licensed healthcare facility by completion of program.
- 5. Satisfactory completion of placement test, college preparatory work, and pre-requisite courses
- 6. Completion of approved IV Therapy Course
- 7. Completion of HESI Admission Test
- B. Security background screening, drug screen
- 9. Mandatory orientation session

\*See NFC college catalog for complete requirements.

### **PROGRAM COST**

Total cost is approximately \$6,609.

**INCLUDES:** tuition, supplies, uniforms, program patches, clinical name badge, books, testing package, state board application fee, and NCLEX testing fee.

\*NOTE: Requirements and costs may change. Check with program advisor for most current information.

## HOW TO APPLY

- SCHEDULE APPOINTMENT WITH ADVISOR Shante Fagin (Advising, Bldg. 2); 850.973.1662 or fagins@nfc.edu
- 2 COMPLETE NFC ADMISSION APPLICATION Pay non-refundable \$20 application fee.
- 3 SUBMIT OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS
  Official transcripts from high school/GED and all previous/current colleges.
- 4 COMPLETE ASSESSMENT TESTS
  Complete HESI Admission Assessment
  (approx. \$54) by deadline. Schedule
  testing with NFC Testing Center,
  850.973.9451 or testing@nfc.edu.
- 5 COMPLETE LPN TO RN BRIDGE APPLICATION
  Complete online LPN to RN Bridge program application by designated deadline.
- 6 IF ACCEPTED INTO PROGRAM Completion of background screening (\$60), drug screening (\$45), immunizations and physical information will be required and should be submitted to Tara Mesnard (mesnardt@nfc.edu or 850.973.1626) before program orientation.

Prior to admission in NFC Allied Health Programs, the student must have completed an FDLE, Level II security background investigation. The cost of the security background investigation is the responsibility of the student.

Reference: Pursuant to Section 456,0635 Florida Statutes

NEW CLASS BEGINS IN AUGUST

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#### **GENERAL ED REQUIREMENTS ENC 1101** Freshman English I 3 hours **DEP 2004 Human Development** 3 hours BSC 2085C Human Anatomy & Physiology I 4 hours BSC 2086C Human Anatomy & Physiology II 4 hours MCB 2010C Microbiology I 4 hours HUN 2201 **Fundamentals Human Nutrition** 3 hours STA 2023 **Introductory College Statistics** 3 hours **Humanities** 3 hours ARH 2000, HUM 1020, LIT 1000 or PHI 2010 Any one General Humanities Core Course Civic Literacy AMH 2020 -or- POS 2041 3 hours **30 CREDIT HOURS** \* Successful course completion is required within seven (7) years from the anticipated program admission date. If more than seven (7) years has elapsed since a successful course completion the course must be retaken and the student must demonstrate successful course completion prior to admission into the ADN program. ACCELERATED BRIDGE TRACK **PREREQUISITES** 24 hours LPN EXPERIENCE 10 hours 15 hours SEMESTER 1 NUR 1004C LPN to RN Bridge 1 12 hours HUN 2201 -or- NUR 1180 Nutrition 3 hours **SEMESTER 2** 15 hours LPN to RN Bridge II 12 hours NUR 1007C AMH 2020 -or- POS 2041 Civic Literacy 3 hours 8 hours SEMESTER 3 NUR 2036C LPN to RN Bridge III 8 hours TOTAL: 72 CREDIT HOURS This is a limited access program. See NFC Catalog or NFC advisor for complete program and admission information. "w"OUR NURSING GRADUATES ARE LEADERS IN HEALTHCARE, AND THEY IMPACT LIVES LOCALLY AND BEYOND." ~ JAMES D. HOLLAND, ASSOCIATE DEAN FOR NURSING AND ALLIED HEALTH

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North Florida College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award associate and baccalaureate degrees.. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia, 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of North Florida College. SACSCOC website: www.sacscoc.org.

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**Associate in Science Degree**