3301 NORTH MULFORD ROAD (RVC) HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER ROCKFORD, IL 61114

Course Equivalencies for **ROCKFORD UNIVERSITY**

Admissions 815-282-7900

NURSING PREREQUISITES	Minimum Credits	COURSE NUMBER	Credits
Anatomy & Physiology ¹	4	BIOL 209, BIOL 314 and 316, BIOL 315 and 317	4-8
Chemistry	4	CHEM 104, 105, 106, 132, 205, 206	4
Microbiology ¹	4	BIOL 230, 308	4
Nutrition	3	NURS 150	3
Statistics	3	MATH 223, 224	3
Developmental Psychology	3	HDEV 215	3
Total for Nursing Prerequisites	21		21-25
GENERAL EDUCATION CORE ²	Minimum Credits	COURSE NUMBER	Credits
English Composition—1st Sem	3	RHET 101	3
English Composition—2 nd Sem	3	RHET 102	3
Introduction to Sociology	3	SOCI 150	3
Physical/Life Science Elective	3	Any BIOL, CHEM, PHYS not otherwise required	3-4
General Psychology	3	PSYC 100	3
Speech	3	RHET 351	3
Philosophy or Humanities	3	Select from: Any CLAS, ENGL, GNDR, PHIL except PHIL 256, RELG, HIST 206	3
Cultural Diversity	3	Select from: ARTH 245, 246, GNDR 101, 105, HIST 208, 212, 215, INST 101, 115, 250, MUSC 111, 113, POLS 180, 282, PSYC 280, RELG 111, 223	3
Fine Arts	3	Select from: ARTH 130, 210, 235, 236, 237, 245, 246, 247, 248, DANC 101, 201, 232, MUSC 111, 113, 114, 211, 212, POLS 202, THEA 101, 252, 284, 285, 286	3
Social/Behavioral Science	3	Any ECON, HDEV except HDEV 215, HIST, POLS, PSYC, SOC not otherwise required	3
Biology Elective ¹	3	Any transferable BIOL course that completes at least 12 hours of Biology	3-4
Electives		Additional transferable (not vocational) courses or those used	Varies to
	9-10	within the framework of completing an Associate Degree. Medical Terminology, CNA, and Phlebotomy courses are accepted as electives.	equal 64 prerequisite credits
Total for General Education	43		43-50

¹A minimum of 12 credits in biology is required.

²General education core requirements may be met by:

- 1) Completion of each course as specified above.
- 2) Completion of an Associate of Arts (AA), Associate in Science (AS), or Bachelor Degree from an approved, regionally accredited college or university
- A minimum of 64 credits is required before beginning the nursing program.
- A student may apply for admission after completing: 32 prerequisite credits and at least one of the Nursing Sciences (Anatomy and Physiology, Chemistry, or Microbiology)
- A student must earn a minimum 2.50 Cumulative GPA and 2.70 Nursing Science GPA (A & P, Chemistry, and Microbiology) on a 4.0 point scale. Nursing Sciences *must be less than 10 years old*.