



CAREERS IN NURSING

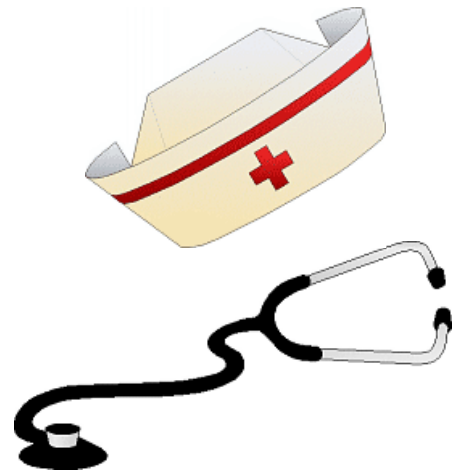
LVN to RN Program 2009

The L.A. Health Care Workforce Development Program is offering nursing programs for County of Los Angeles Department of Health Services (DHS) employees interested in becoming a Registered Nurse (RN). The Interest Form on the back will be used to determine your qualifications in entering one of the nursing programs listed below:

- LVN-RN – A one year program to become a Registered Nurse (RN). An Associate Degree in Nursing is received upon completion of the program. Program applicants are required to pass a College Entrance Exam and must also have completed a number of required pre-requisites (see list on back).
- LVN-RN 30 Unit Option – A one year program for LVN's to become RN's which require the following pre-requisites: Physiology and Microbiology only. This Program does not require applicants to pass the College Entrance Exam. A Certificate is received upon completion of the program (not an Associate Degree in Nursing). Individuals completing this program in RN Education are typically limited to practicing in the State of California.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

- Eligible candidates **must be** full-time, permanent employees of DHS for at least six months. Full-time permanent position must be working as an LVN.
- Your item must be represented by SEIU Local 721;
- The RN classification must be promotional from your current job classification;
- HCWDP will cover the costs of tuition (not covered by the college tuition assistance program), books and supplies;**
- Some classes may require the use of your own time;
- You will need to sign an authorization form releasing information to HCWDP from the college on your attendance and performance;
- You will need to sign a Participant Agreement to work in an acute care setting providing direct patient care for at least two years with DHS following receipt of your RN license;
- There may be additional requirements in connection with the application and selection processes.



Training Opportunity

LVN - RN Interest Application

You must fill in all the areas on this form for your application to be processed.

L.A. Health Care Workforce Development Program
 500 South Virgil Avenue, Suite 200
 Los Angeles, CA 90020
 Tel: (213) 639-2220 Fax: (213) 380-4142

Please **PRINT** all information and mail or fax application (see above).

Last Name: First Name: Employee #:

Home Address:

City: Zip Code:

Home Phone #: Work Phone #: Fax#:

Facility Name: Work Area / Unit:

Work Hours (Start & End Time): Item#: Position/Classification Title:

Date of Hire: Permanent Temporary Email Address:

Supervisor Name: Supervisor Phone #: Supervisor Fax #:

Highest level of education completed: High School Diploma GED AA BS/BA MS

I'm interested in: LVN-RN LVN-RN 30 Unit Option

RN preparation with the L.A. County of Nursing and Allied Health requires a cumulative G.P.A. of 2.5 for the following pre-requisite classes:

Class	Units Needed	Classes Taken <i>All classes must have a "C" grade or better</i>	Name of School
Anatomy (with Lab)*	4 units	Year _____ Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Physiology (with Lab)*	4 units	Year _____ Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Microbiology (with Lab)*	4 units	Year _____ Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
English (College Reading & Comp.)	3 units	Year _____ Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Humanities (Art, literature, or language)	3 units	Year _____ Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Psychology – Growth & Dev / Life Span	3 units	Year _____ Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Political Science (U.S. History)	3 units	Year _____ Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Sociology (Intro.)	3 units	Year _____ Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Speech (Public Speaking)	3 units	Year _____ Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
P.E. Activity Class	1 unit	Year _____ Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	

- *Science course must be completed within 5 years of admission to the RN program.
- It is recommended that nursing students take Algebra to be successful in the nursing program.
- Other college nursing programs may require additional pre-requisite classes such as Algebra, Chemistry, General Psychology and Nutrition.

Note: For the LVN-RN 30 Unit Option Program, only Physiology and Microbiology are required.

Foreign transcripts must be evaluated by an accredited institution

Please attach a copy of: Unofficial Transcripts (official copies will be requested at a later date)

Signature: _____ Date: _____