NURSING - ASSOCIATE DEGREE WITH A PRACTICAL NURSING EXIT POINT

Program Number: 10-543-1
Associate of Applied Science Degree
Campus: Beaver Dam, Fond du Lac, West Bend
This program is eligible for financial aid (http://www.morainepark.edu/financial-aid/)
Full-Time Enrollment Only

Pursue your passion for helping people and health care—become an LPN or RN with an associate degree in Nursing from Moraine Park Technical College.

About the Program
Moraine Park's Nursing—Associate Degree with a Practical Nursing Exit Point program prepares graduates for careers as licensed practical nurses (LPN) or registered nurses (RN) through hands-on classroom instruction, laboratory practice and clinical nursing experiences.

The MPTC Nursing program is designed so students can complete the first two semesters, take the Practical Nursing National Council Licensure Examination, and seek employment as LPNs. Students can also complete the full four semesters, earn an associate degree in Nursing (ADN), take the National Council Licensure Exam for Registered Nurses and apply for employment as RNs.

The program is accredited by:
Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing, Inc. (ACEN)
3390 Peachtree Rd. NE, Suite 1400
Atlanta, GA 30326
404-975-5000  http://www.acenursing.org/

and

Wisconsin Board of Nursing
608-267-2357

Moraine Park Technical College Nursing Program Results

2019 NCLEX Pass Rates
• Passing Mean: 95%
• National Passing Mean: 88%

What You’ll Learn
Moraine Park's Nursing program prepares students for entry-level careers in the health care industry, giving you knowledge and skills to provide patient-centered care with integrity, use social, mathematical, physical sciences, pharmacology and pathophysiology in clinical decision making, use new technology to manage data and improve patient care, and more.

Transfer Opportunities
Earn credits at MPTC and transfer to a four-year college to earn your bachelor’s degree.

Visit the Transfer Opportunities (https://www.morainepark.edu/academics/transfer-information/transfer-to-a-four-year-college/) page for more information on credit transfer agreements between Moraine Park and four-year colleges, both public and private.

Additional Information
State Licensure Disclosure: Moraine Park’s Nursing program prepares students to obtain the required licensure to be employed/practice in the state of Wisconsin. The College does not guarantee its curriculum matches the requirements for preparation, examinations, or licensure for other states. Visit the Accreditation (http://www.morainepark.edu/about-mptc/accreditation/#accreditation) page for more details about accreditation and licensure.

An exit assessment is a graduation requirement for Practical Nursing Exit. Clinical evaluations are an exit assessment graduation requirement for the Associate Degree Nursing program.

Practical Nursing Exit must complete all courses in Semesters 1 and 2.

Nursing - Associate Degree with a Practical Nursing Exit Point Job Placement Rate
This is the number of students that gain employment in the Nursing - Associate Degree with a Practical Nursing Exit Point program within six months of graduation as published in the Graduation Follow-up Report (http://www.morainepark.edu/about-mptc/college-data-demographics/graduate-data/). The College annually conducts a survey with graduates six months after they graduate.

Admission Process
Standard Admissions (https://www.morainepark.edu/admissions/new-student/how-to-apply-for-admissions/) steps details

This program also requires:
• Health Requirements
• Criminal Background Check

Petition Process (http://www.morainepark.edu/academics/program-information/nursing-petition-process/) Details: Students are provisionally accepted to the Nursing Program in “pre-core” status. When program ready, students go through the petition process.

Credit for Prior Learning
Earn college credit outside the classroom through Moraine Park’s Credit for Prior Learning (CPL) opportunities. Credit opportunities are available for:
• Previous college coursework from prior institutions
• Military training and experience
• Passing of MPTC or national exams
• Skills or knowledge developed on the job or through other life experiences

Visit MPTC’s Credit for Prior Learning (https://www.morainepark.edu/academics/transfer-information/credit-for-prior-learning/) page for more information.

Approximate Costs
• $141.00 per credit (resident)
• $211.50 per credit (out-of-state resident)
• Online students are not charged out-of-state fees.
• Please refer to the MPTC Student Handbook (http://www.morainepark.edu/studenthandbook/) for additional enrollment fee information.

Financial Aid

Financial Aid is provided to aid eligible associate degree and technical diploma programs with 28 credits or more. Processing can take 6-8 weeks after a student’s completed Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA (https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa/)) is received. Visit the Financial Aid (https://www.morainepark.edu/pay-for-college/financial-aid/) page to learn more.

Course Requirements

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Program Opportunities

Aggregated Data for Beaver Dam, Fond du Lac and West Bend

1. Graduates’ Success on the National Council of Licensure Exam for Registered Nurse (NCLEX-RN):

   Expected level of achievement:
   - 80% of first time test takes will pass on first attempt. Performance of ADN graduates will be at or above the national average on NCLEX 1st attempt.

   Results: Aggregated program NCLEX-RN pass rate:
   - 2019: 98%
   - 2018: 99%
   - 2017: 93.6%
   - 2016: 88.3%
   - 2015: 96.97%

2. Program Completion:

   Expected level of achievement:
   - 60% or more of ADN students will complete the nursing program within 150% of program length.

   Results: (academic year, July 1 through June 30)
   - 2019: 73%
   - 2018: 74%
   - 2017: 78.2%
   - 2016: 72.2%

3. Job Placement:

   Expected level of achievement:
   - 90% of graduates responding to survey will report employment within one year of graduation.

   Results: Employment rates (academic year, July 1 through June 30)
   - 2018/2019: 100%
   - 2017/2018: 94%
   - 2016/2017: 93%
   - 2015/2016: 90%

Program Outcomes

• Implement one’s role as a nurse in ways that reflect integrity, responsibility, ethical practices, and an evolving professional identity as a nurse committed to evidence-based practice, caring advocacy and quality care.
• Demonstrate appropriate written, verbal, and nonverbal communication in a variety of clinical contexts.
• Integrate social, mathematical, and physical sciences, pharmacology, and pathophysiology in clinical decision making.
• Provide patient centered care by utilizing the nursing process across diverse populations and health care settings.
• Minimize risk of harm to patients, members of the health care team and self through safe individual performance and participation in system effectiveness.
• Lead the multidisciplinary health care team to provide effective patient care throughout the lifespan.
• Use information and technology to communicate, manage data, mitigate error, and support decision-making.

Moraine Park Technical College is an equal opportunity and affirmative action College. Women, minorities, those with different abilities and veterans are encouraged to apply. For more information, visit http://www.morainepark.edu/nondiscrimination.
Career Opportunities
Entry level; after passing National Council Licensure Exam

- Staff Nurse
- Primary Nurse
- Specialized Nursing

Statewide Median Salary for Recent Graduates

$57,653