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Concurrent Enrollment Program (CEP)

The MaricopaNursing - Arizona State University Concurrent Enrollment Associate Degree - Baccalaureate Degree Nursing Program (CEP) is offered through participating community colleges in the Maricopa Community College District and ASU. Participants are selected from students who have met the MaricopaNursing and ASU CEP identified eligibility requirements and have applied to the MaricopaNursing Concurrent Enrollment Program (CEP).

Quick Facts

- Maricopa and ASU have created a CEP for nursing students to simultaneously earn an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) in nursing and a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN).
- The MaricopaNursing - ASU CEP is an educational pathway partnership designed to assist in meeting the National Academy of Medicine’s recommendation that 80% of all nurses have a BSN.
- CEP students enroll in Maricopa and ASU classes at the same time.
- ASU CEP courses are offered completely online. ASU courses do not require an in-person commitment making work / life / school balance easier to manage.
- CEP students can graduate with their AAS and BSN in the same semester.
- BSN prepared nurses are highly valued by potential employers and MaricopaNursing - ASU CEP graduates are equipped with the knowledge and skills of the new graduate baccalaureate prepared nurses.

ASU Eligibility

To be eligible, students must meet all of the following criteria:

- Successfully complete all [MaricopaNursing requirements](#).
- Earn a minimum 3.0 ASU prerequisite GPA, which is calculated using the following courses:
 - First-Year Composition (ENG 101 & ENG 102 **or** ENG 107 & ENG 108)
 - College Mathematics (MAT 142 or higher)
 - Human Anatomy & Physiology I (BIO 201)
 - Human Anatomy & Physiology II (BIO 202)
 - Microbiology (BIO 205)
 - Introduction to Psychology or Developmental Psychology (PSY 101 **or** PSY 240)
- Complete a transferable Natural Science – Quantitative (SQ) course with a grade of “C” or better.
 - Recommended courses: BIO 156, BIO 181, CHM 130 + CHM 130LL
 - Any course that transfers to ASU with the SQ general studies designation is acceptable. Transferability can be determined using ASU’s [Transfer Guide](#). If a course meets the SQ designation, it will be noted as “Natural Science – Quantitative (SQ)” in the Transfer Guide as shown in the example below:

MARICOPA COMMUNITY COLLEGES (ALL LOCATIONS)

Course to Transfer	ASU Equivalent Course	Effective Date
BIO 156 (4)	BIO Dept Elective, Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ)	2020 - 2021

- Optional: Sign up for MyPath2ASU. Interested students are encouraged to sign up for MyPath2ASU, which will provide students with ASU resources and support prior to starting at ASU. [Sign up here](#).

Key Information

- Students must have a current application in the MaricopaNursing pool to be eligible for the CEP.
- To be eligible, applicants must complete all MaricopaNursing prerequisites, complete all ASU prerequisite courses, and earn a minimum 3.0 ASU prerequisite GPA in the courses listed above. **Students may repeat prerequisite courses to improve their prerequisite GPA.**
- Students should review the CEP information session presentation located at maricopa.edu/degrees-certificates/healthcare-education/maricopa-nursing/cep and follow all instructions provided by MaricopaNursing to apply to the CEP. This short presentation provides an overview of the CEP program. If available, students may elect to attend an in-person CEP information session offered at various MaricopaNursing campuses.
- All MaricopaNursing courses are taught in the classroom, lab or clinical at a Maricopa community college.
- ASU courses are taught 100% online.
- Final determinations of transfer credits will be made by both MCCC and ASU. Students with coursework from institutions other than MCCC and ASU must have their coursework submitted for official evaluation through ASU's [Transfer Guide](#).
- Application and acceptance to ASU is determined after MaricopaNursing finalizes placement into the CEP.
- Students may enter the ASU CEP in blocks 1, 3, or 4. Currently enrolled MaricopaNursing students may enter the CEP as a midpoint student in blocks 3 or 4. MaricopaNursing students interested in midpoint should visit links.asu.edu/cep and complete the online form to request information or contact Edson College directly at asu.cep@asu.edu for next steps.

Advising

MaricopaNursing advisors are available for application advisement at Maricopa locations.

ASU advisors are located in the Phoenix-area and are available to meet by phone, by email, by Zoom, or in-person.

Students interested in the MaricopaNursing/ASU CEP
<p>Edson College – Recruitment and Admissions asu.cep@asu.edu 602.496.0937</p>
Students admitted to the MaricopaNursing/ASU CEP
<p>Edson College – Academic Advising nursingcep@asu.edu 602.496.0888</p>

Transfer Credits

Pathway students may transfer up to 75 credits to ASU. Students with credits from a four year regionally accredited college or university may transfer up to 90 credits to ASU.

ASU Tuition

A reduced tuition rate of \$472 per credit hour is available. Tuition rates subject to change. Textbooks,

supplies and course fees are additional. Tuition information can be found online at students.asu.edu/tuition.

Financial Aid

Because federal regulations require that financial aid can only be disbursed through one college at a time, CEP students apply for financial aid through ASU and complete a [consortium agreement](#) for financial aid disbursement.

Although the financial aid between the two programs is designed to work seamlessly, this cannot be guaranteed, so there may be times when you will be asked to pay your MaricopaNursing program tuition before you receive your ASU financial aid disbursement. You will need to be prepared to pay your MaricopaNursing program tuition out of pocket or by payment plan until the balance of your financial aid is awarded by ASU.

More information on financial aid can be found online at students.asu.edu/financialaid.

Health and Safety Requirements

MaricopaNursing and Arizona State University's Edson College of Nursing and Health Innovation have health and safety requirements that must be met prior to enrolling and participating in any clinical experiences. Healthcare agencies throughout the state require vaccinations, titers, and other healthcare related requirements (examples of these requirements are background checks, CPR, drug and alcohol testing, etc.) These requirements are subject to change per healthcare agency contracts with the educational institution. Students must be compliant with agency requirements prior to and throughout the program.

Plan of Study – Fall Entry

The plan of study for fall entry into the MaricopaNursing program is outlined below. To maintain your status as a Concurrent Enrollment Program student, you must be enrolled in an ASU course every semester as noted below without exception.

Courses	Summer (Required prior to Block 1 in Fall Entry)	Total: 8-14 credits
(ASU) TWC 361*	Writing for Health Care Management (<i>if needed</i>)	0-3 credits
(ASU) SOC 390	Social Statistics I (<i>if needed – may also take at Maricopa</i>)	0-3 credits
(ASU) NUR 392	Health Promotion Across the Lifespan	4 credits
(ASU) NUR 460	The Art of Nursing	4 credits
*Students who have completed a transferable Literacy (L) course will be waived from TWC 361 and instead may take a different required course.		
AAS Semester 1	Fall	Total: 13 credits
(MN) Block 1	Nursing Theory and Science I	9 credits
(ASU) NUR 391	Professional Nursing Theory	4 credits
AAS Semester 2	Spring	Total: 13 credits
(MN) Block 2	Nursing Theory and Science II	9 credits
(ASU) NUR 318	Nursing Research and Evidence Translation	4 credits
Summer		Total: 8-14 credits
(ASU) NUR 444	Innovation in Nursing	4 credits
(ASU) NUR 495	Public & Global Health in Nursing	4 credits
(ASU) Upper Division**	(SB with C and/or H) or (SB or HU with C and/or H) (<i>if needed</i>)	0-3 credits
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AAS Semester 3	Fall	Total: 13 credits
(MN) Block 3	Nursing Theory and Science III	9 credits
(ASU) NUR 440	Community/Public Health Nursing in U.S	4 credits
AAS Semester 4	Spring	Total: 17 credits
(MN) Block 4	Nursing Theory and Science IV	9 credits
(ASU) NUR 445	Nursing Management in Health Care (Session A)	4 credits
(ASU) NUR 464	Capstone (Session B)	4 credits
Graduate from MaricopaNursing with AAS degree; graduate from ASU with BSN degree; eligible for NCLEX-RN licensure exam		
**Note: If needed, upper division general studies may be taken in any semester. Enrolling in upper division general education course with Block 2 and NUR 318 is not recommended. Upper division general studies courses need to be completed prior to enrolling in NUR 464.		

Plan of Study – Spring Entry

The plan of study for spring entry into the MaricopaNursing program is outlined below. To maintain your status as a Concurrent Enrollment Program student, you must be enrolled in an ASU course every semester as noted below without exception.

Courses	Fall (Required prior to Block 1 in Spring Entry)	Total: 0-6 credits
(ASU) TWC 361*	Writing for Health Care Management (<i>if needed</i>)	0-3 credits
(ASU) SOC 390	Social Statistics I (<i>if needed – may also take at Maricopa</i>)	0-3 credits
*Students who have completed a transferable Literacy (L) course will be waived from TWC 361 and instead may take a different required course.		
AAS Semester 1	Spring	Total: 13 credits
(MN) Block 1	Nursing Theory and Science I	9 credits
(ASU) NUR 391	Professional Nursing Theory	4 credits
Summer		Total: 8-11 credits
(ASU) NUR 392	Health Promotion Across the Lifespan	4 credits
(ASU) NUR 460	The Art of Nursing	4 credits
(ASU) Upper Division**	(SB with C and/or H) or (SB or HU with C and/or H) (<i>if needed</i>)	0-3 credits
AAS Semester 2	Fall	Total: 13 credits
(MN) Block 2	Nursing Theory and Science II	9 credits
(ASU) NUR 318	Nursing Research and Evidence Translation	4 credits
AAS Semester 3	Spring	Total: 13 credits
(MN) Block 3	Nursing Theory and Science III	9 credits
(ASU) NUR 440	Community/Public Health Nursing in U.S.	4 credits
Summer		Total: 8-11 credits
(ASU) NUR 444	Innovation in Nursing	4 credits
(ASU) NUR 495	Public & Global Health in Nursing	4 credits
(ASU) Upper Division**	(SB with C and/or H) or (SB or HU with C and/or H) (<i>if needed</i>)	0-3 credits
AAS Semester 4	Fall	Total: 17 credits
(MN) Block 4	Nursing Theory and Science IV	9 credits
(ASU) NUR 445	Nursing Management in Health Care (Session A)	4 credits
(ASU) NUR 464	Capstone (Session B)	4 credits
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MaricopaNursing/ASU Concurrent Enrollment Program (CEP) Model

Step 1:	Student consults with MaricopaNursing advisement about the course requirements for MaricopaNursing and ASU CEP.
Step 2:	Student applies to MaricopaNursing pool.
Step 3:	Student views the MaricopaNursing CEP online information session or attends an in-person session and applies to CEP once they meet the requirements.
Step 4:	MaricopaNursing determines if student is accepted or denied. Applicants are notified of acceptance by email. If accepted, student must confirm their intention to enroll in the timeframe requested by following the instructions on the acceptance letter.
Step 5:	Accepted students also apply to ASU Admission Services as an ASU Online student. Once admitted, students will receive additional information from ASU about orientation and enrollment in courses.
Step 6:	Accepted students attend an ASU CEP orientation.
Step 7:	After successful completion of MaricopaNursing blocks 1-4, student graduates with Associate of Applied Science (AAS) in Nursing from MCCCD and simultaneously graduates with a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing (BSN) from ASU.
Step 8:	Student takes and passes NCLEX-RN licensure exam.

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