



Nursing Program (180.A0)

# Nursing

## About the program:

Nursing is a three-year program that blends classroom studies and nursing labs with clinical fieldwork in various hospitals and healthcare facilities.

Our mission is to develop graduates recognized as outstanding nurses providing compassionate and quality care, focusing on the unique needs of patients and their families.

Students experience a variety of Francophone and Anglophone clinical settings such as emergency, medical and surgical care, pediatrics, maternity, ambulatory care, mental health and gerontology. A DEC in Nursing will provide an opportunity to write the provincial licensing exam in order to begin employment as a registered nurse. Our graduates also have the opportunity to pursue continued studies in the DEC-BAC program with a university in Quebec, such as McGill University, Université de Sherbrooke and Université de Montreal.

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## What makes us unique:

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Small innovative program with all the resources of a large nursing program.

Bilingual program with Francophone and Anglophone clinical settings that meet the needs of today's society.

Final semester dedicated to reviewing all theoretical and laboratory material to consolidate knowledge and prepare for licensing exam.

Program based on the McGill Model of Nursing with a Strengths-Based Nursing philosophy.

New laboratory facilities and Simulation Centre.

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## Certification requirements:

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In order to become a practicing nurse, graduates must pass the l'Ordre des infirmiers et infirmières du Québec (OIIQ) licensing examination. Students must also demonstrate their ability to function in French in order to meet the needs of their clientele, thus they may be required to pass an examination set by the Office québécois de la langue française (OQLF).

# Semester Breakdown:

## Semester 1

1	Anatomy and Physiology I
2	Communication & Professional Challenges in Nursing
3	Health Assessment & Physical Examination
4	Introduction to Nursing
5	English
6	French

## Semester 2

1	Anatomy and Physiology II
2	Wellness in the Aging Adult
3	Introduction to Medical-Surgical Nursing & Chronic Illnesses
4	Humanities
5	French
6	Physical Education

## Semester 3

1	Anatomy and Physiology III
2	Sociology of Families
3	Medical-Surgical Nursing II
4	Perinatal Care and Women's Health
5	English
6	Complementary

## Semester 4

1	Microbiology & Immunology
2	Lifespan & Development
3	Medical-Surgical Nursing III
4	Pediatric Care
5	English
6	Humanities

## Semester 5

1	Medical-Surgical Nursing IV & Ambulatory Care
2	Mental Health Care
3	English
4	Humanities
5	Complementary
6	Physical Education

## Semester 6

1	Sociology of Health
2	Nursing Integration
3	Gerontology Care
4	Physical Education

NOTE: This program includes clinical fieldwork in Montreal-area hospitals.

## Application Deadline:

March 1<sup>st</sup> for the Fall Semester

### Minimum Admission Requirements:

Quebec Secondary School Diploma or a level of education that is deemed equivalent by the College. Even if applicants meet the requirement of the Réglement sur le régime des études collégiale, they may be refused admission due to lack of space.

### Prerequisites:

Sec IV Environmental Science & Technology (058-404 or 558-404) or Sec IV Science and Environment (058402 or 558402) or Physical Science 436.  
Sec V Chemistry (051-504 or 551-504) or Chemistry 534. Adult Education Equivalences - PSC 4010, 4011 & 4012, Chemistry 5021, 5042, & 5043 with labs.

### Additional Admission Requirements:

Letter of intent  
Must be eligible to take Français et communication 602-101  
It is recommended that candidates have completed Sec IV Mathematics Technical & Scientific Option (064406 or 564406) or Mathematics Science Option (065406 or 565406) or Math 436 or Math TS 4 or SN 4.

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