

Datatel Program Code	NURPN.1YR
COTC Major Number	007020
CIP Code	51.1613

In Autumn 2012, Central Ohio Technical College will convert from the Quarter system (4 quarters per academic year) to the Semester system (2 Semesters and 1 Summer Session per academic year). Students entering COTC in Summer 2011, Autumn 2011, Winter 2012, Spring 2012, or Summer 2012 will begin their program in Quarters.

COTC makes the following three guarantees to all students who will transition from the quarter system into the semester system:

- 1) No loss of academic progress;
- 2) No delay in time to degree completion/graduation;
- and 3) No increase in total tuition and fees expended for the degree system to the program.

If transitioning from the Quarter to the Semester system, please visit the COTC "Think Semesters" web page

<http://www.cotc.edu/ThinkSemesters/Pages/default.aspx>

regularly for updates and for important additional information.

*Students should meet with their Academic Advisor to map out individual paths to their degree.*

**PRE-ADMISSION COURSE REQUIREMENTS FOR NURPN.1YR program**

The One-Year Certificate program in Nursing Technology, Practical Nursing a selection-based program, meaning a student must APPLY to the program and then be SELECTED into the program before being able to meet graduation requirements. The following COTC courses (or their equivalents) must be completed prior to being admitted into the NURPN.1YR program. All courses must be completed with a grade of C (2.00) or better.

1. BIO-1705 Introduction to Biology (5 credit hrs)
2. MTH-1205 Introduction to Algebra (5 credit hrs)

*All Applicants to the this Plan of Study must first successfully meet admission criteria set forth by COTC.*

*A grade of C (2.00) or better is required for all courses listed on this Plan of Study in order to continue in and graduate from the Practical Nursing Certificate program.*

*All Nursing courses must be followed in sequence according to this Plan of Study.*

*Policies of the Nursing Technology, One Year Certificate in Practical Nursing program which are unique in regard to admission, re-admission, grading and promotion are available in the Student Handbook, Division of Health Technologies.*

**PLEASE NOTE:** *Students who desire to pursue an Associate Degree in Nursing Technology (Registered Nursing), are encouraged to take Human Anatomy and Physiology courses (BIO-1772 and BIO-1773) as a substitute for BIO-1745 Human Biology.*

**KEY:** \* Indicates this course has a prerequisite; please see the Course Description Section on the COTC Web Page

\*\* Indicates there will be no equivalent for this course in the Semester system; please see Academic Advisor

NT - Indicates this course fulfils a Non-Technical Course Requirement in this Plan of Study

T - Indicates this course fulfils a Technical Course Requirement in this Plan of Study

**2011-2012 (Quarter System)**

Course Name	Course Title	Course Credit Hours	Tech, Non-tech or Elective	Quarter(s) Course Offered	Equivalent Semester Course	Equivalent Semester Cr Hrs
<b>QUARTER 1 - SP12</b>						
BIO-1745	Human Biology	5.00	NT	SM,AU,WI,SP	BIO-121	4.00
COM-1535	Composition I	4.00	NT	SM,AU,WI,SP	ENGL-110	3.00
NPN-4827	Introduction to Nursing for the PN Student	5.50	T	AU,SP	NPN-101	2.00
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		14.50				

**2012-2013 (SM12 - Quarter System; 12AU and 13SP - Semester System)**

Course Name	Course Title	Course Credit Hours	Tech, Non-tech or Elective	Semester(s) Course Offered	Equivalent Quarter Course	Equivalent Quarter Cr Hrs
<b>QUARTER 2 - SM12</b>						
BHS-1376	General Psychology	5.00	NT	SM,AU,WI,SP	PSYCH-100	3.00
BIO-1764	Nutrition	3.00	NT	SM,AU,WI,SP	BIO-115	3.00
CMP-1601	Principles of Computing	1.00	NT	SM,AU,WI,SP	None**	-----
NPN-4820	Pharmacology I for the PN Student	4.00	T	WI,SM	NPN-102	2.00
NPN-4828	Fundamentals of Nursing for the PN Student	5.50	T	WI,SM	NPN-103	6.00
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		18.50				

**SEMESTER 1 - 12AU**

NPN-104	HEALTH ALTERATIONS I FOR THE PRACTICAL NURSE	10.00	T	AU,SP	NPN-4823	6.00
NPN-105	GERONTOLOGY FOR PRACTICAL NURSING	2.00	T	AU,SP	NEW SEMESTER COURSE	-----
PSYCH-210	DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY	3.00	NT	SM,AU,SP	BHS-1345	5.00
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		15.00				

**SEMESTER 2 - 13SP**

NPN-106	HEALTH ALTERATIONS II FOR THE PRACTICAL NURSE	7.00	T	AU,SP	NPN-4825	6.00
NPN-107	MATERNAL/CHILD NURSING FOR THE PRACTICAL NURSE	4.50	T	AU,SP	NPN-4829	7.00
NPN-108	TRANSITION TO PRACTICE FOR THE PRACTICAL NURSING STUDENT	3.00	T	AU,SP	NPN-4809	1.00
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		14.50				