



What Can I Do with This Major?

Nursing Science – Registered Nursing

Associate Degree Nursing prepares students to become Registered Nurses. The program follows the roles and responsibilities of the professional entry level registered nurse as defined in the State's nursing practice act. Graduates are prepared to take the National Council Licensure Exam for Registered Nurses. This exam is required by the California Board of Registered Nursing and the boards of nursing of other states and U.S. Territories for licensure as a registered nurse. Students wishing to participate in the Registered Nursing program are required to apply to the program.

AVC Certificates & Degrees

- Nursing Skills Lab certificate (non-credit)
- Registered Nursing associate degree

Examples of Work Industries & Employers

Hospitals
Clinics and medical centers

Physicians' offices and medical groups
State and local health departments

Retirement homes
Nursing homes

Possible Job Titles

Certified Operating Room Nurse
Charge Nurse
Emergency Department Registered Nurse
Oncology Registered Nurse
Operating Room Registered Nurse

Acute Care Nurse
Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nurses
Critical Care Nurses
Clinical Nurse Specialists
Psychiatric Registered Nurse

Neonatal Nurse
Relief Charge Nurse
School Nurse
Staff Nurse
Registered Nurse