

Washington School of Practical Nursing

FOUR RIVERS CAREER CENTER

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ONE YEAR PROGRAM

- Daytime Classes
meet Monday - Thursday
- Class selection in May
- Class Orientation in June
- Classes start in August

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The Washington School of Practical Nursing is a postsecondary program that focuses on developing skills in performing bedside nursing care. The health field has an increasing need for skilled nurses and offers a vast number of employment opportunities.



**New simulation lab*

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- High school diploma or GED
- Application on file with WSPN office
- Successful completion of WSPN entrance exam (TEAS at basic level)
 - TEAS testing dates scheduled October – April

FINANCIAL AID

- Available forms of financial aid include but are not limited to:
 - A+, WIOA, Pell Grant, Federal Student Loans, Scholarships
 - Subject to qualifications

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- Program consistently has a > 95% job placement rate
- Long-Term Care/Skilled Nursing
- Physician Offices and Clinics
- Urgent/Convenient Care
- School Nursing
- Home Health Care
- Prison Nursing Care
- Acute Care Hospitals
- *with tuition reimbursement opportunities

CONTINUING EDUCATION PATH AVAILABLE AT OTHER INSTITUTIONS

- 1 year LPN to RN Bridge Programs



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CURRICULUM

Course Title	Theory Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours
Orientation	6		
Anatomy and Physiology	92		
Fundamentals of Nursing	172	40	
Personal and Vocational Concepts	44		
Growth and Development Across the Lifespan	60		
Orientation to Clinical	8		
Nursing of Adults I	120		
Nursing of Adults II	124		
Nursing of Adults - Clinical			224
Administration of Medications	80	5	
Maternal and Newborn Nursing	54		48
Nursing of Children	49		16
Nursing of the Elderly - Clinical			48
Mental Health Concepts	54		
Observational Rotations			120
TOTAL HOURS	863	45	456
TOTAL PROGRAM HOURS		1364	

TUITION AND FEES

- Current fee schedule available on WSPN web page

WASHINGTON SCHOOL OF PRACTICAL NURSING

is fully approved by the Missouri State Board of Nursing and Four Rivers Career Center is accredited by the Commission of the Council on Occupational Education, effective June 10, 2016.

WASHINGTON SCHOOL OF PRACTICAL NURSING PHILOSOPHY

The Washington School of Practical Nursing is within the framework of Four Rivers Career Center and will uphold its belief that all people should have the opportunity to prepare themselves for socially gainful employment and thereby live useful and satisfactory lives.

The faculty of this program is committed to the education of the students entering into it. We will provide current information using a variety of teaching methods. We will also provide a variety of clinical experiences. These experiences will be provided to assist in the development of knowledge, judgement, skills and values necessary to perform effectively as a practical nurse.

LICENSURE DISCLOSURE

All students must comply with the Missouri Nurse Practice Act Sections 335.046, 335.066 and 335.081 and Missouri Code of State Regulations 20CSR 200-4.020(3) to sit for the NCLEX-PN Board Exam. Decision to accept or deny the application rests with the Missouri State Board of Nursing and graduation from this program does not guarantee eligibility to write for the NCLEX-PN Board Exam. A copy of the Missouri Nurse Practice Act will be provided to you for your reference.

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