



**South
FLORIDA**
HEALTH CARE INSTITUTE
SCHOOL OF NURSING

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Practical Nursing (PN) 2024-2025

Course Content:

The Practical Nursing program at South Florida Healthcare Institute prepares an individual to participate in the planning, implementation, and evaluation of nursing care in hospitals, nursing homes, clinics, home health care, and community-based settings. Students are introduced to the clinical area early in the program. Theory and clinical procedures are integrated to reinforce learning. Our program includes classroom theory, laboratory experiences, and supervised clinical experiences with clear program learning outcomes.

A diploma is issued at the successful completion of the program in accordance with the Florida Department of Education. Graduates are entitled to take the **NCLEX-PN licensure examination**. The **Florida Board of Nursing** will issue a license to those who pass the examination.



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Our Practical Nursing program is approved by: Florida Board of Nursing | floridasnursing.gov

Curriculum approved by: Florida Department of Education | fldoe.org

Admission Requirements:

- 18 Years of Age or Older
- High School or GED
- Meet with Nursing Program Director
- Complete a Practical Nursing Application Packet
- Pass the HESI Entrance Exam with a 70%
- Clearance on FDLE Level II Background Check
- Negative Drug Test Results
- Immunizations and Physical Exam

Program Length

1350 Hours (approximately 12 months full-time, 14 months part-time)

Program Offered

Contact Program Director for cohort dates

Delivery Method

Traditional - 100% classroom based

Days & Times

Monday - Wednesday | 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (full-time)

Monday - Thursday | 5:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. (part-time)

Additional Skills Covered:

- Administering Medications
- Anatomy & Physiology
- Aseptic Technique & Infection Control Procedures
- Biological, Psychosocial & Social Support
- Bloodborne Diseases HIV/AIDS, HBV
- Care of the Geriatric & Medical/Surgical Patient
- Communication & Interpersonal Skills
- CPR/ Response to Emergency Situations
- Employability Skills
- HIPAA
- Human Growth & Development
- Knowledge of the Health Care Delivery System
- Legal & Ethical Responsibilities
- Maternal/Newborn Care/Pediatrics
- Nursing Care in the Community
- Personal Patient Care
- Principles of Nutrition
- Safety and Security Procedures

Licensed by the Commission for Independent Education, Florida Department of Education. Additional information regarding this institution may be obtained by contacting the Commission at 325 West Gaines Street, Suite 1414, Tallahassee, FL 323099-0400, toll-free telephone number (888)224-6684.

South Florida Healthcare Institute Practical Nursing program is approved through the Florida Board of Nursing.



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Practical Nursing Program Fees

Tuition - \$12,075

2024-2025 Grant for Florida Residents - \$3,000

Lab - \$600

Registration - \$150

Liability Insurance - \$175

Tuition Total - \$10,000

Students who graduated from South Florida Healthcare Institute's Nursing Assistant (CNA), Phlebotomy Technician (CPT), or Medical Assistant (CCMA) programs, are eligible to receive \$500 off their Practical Nursing tuition.

Health & Other Requirements:

- Physical exam – Annual
- Tuberculin (PPD) or Chest X-ray – Annual
- Drug Testing – (Complio)
- Level 2 Background Check
- Compliance Tracking Subscription (Complio- approx. \$132)

Immunizations:

- MMR Vaccine Series (Measles, Mumps and Rubella) (X2) or Titer
- Hepatitis B Vaccine Series (X3) or Titer or Authorized Declination Form
- Varicella Vaccine (X2) or Titer
- Influenza Vaccine (Flu Shot)

Uniforms: Uniforms must be purchased by the student. Please contact our Program Director for more information on how to purchase your student uniforms.

- All White Leather Shoes – closed front and back
- White fleece Jacket or Lab Jacket
- White Socks (above ankle) or White Hose

Industry Certification & State Credential Exams:

Students will be prepared to take the NCLEX-PN licensure examination upon successful completion of the Practical Nursing program. Exam costs are additional, and at the expense of the student.

College Credit Transfer: Upon completion of the program and meeting eligibility requirements, students may articulate into an LPN to RN program at another school that offers that program, with advanced standing.

Books / Supplies: Admitted students must purchase their own books and nursing kits. This is not included in the tuition fees. Students will receive their nursing kits, books, and uniform, at their scheduled mandatory orientation.

Get Started Today! Your Action Steps:

- Step 1: Meet with the Program Director
- Step 2: Complete the Practical Nursing Application Packet
- Step 3: Secure Funding Source
- Step 4: Registration, Payment, and Enrollment

Possible Job Titles

- Practical Nurse
- Licensed Practical Nurse
- Licensed Vocational Nurse

For more information contact the Program Director for the Practical Nursing program:

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