# MANE Curriculum Plan for LPNS at Ridgewater

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| 1    | • English 121  
• Chemistry 101  
• Psychology 131  
• General Education – Sociology/Anthropology | 3       | 14    | • General Education - elective  
• Biology 210  
• Psychology 263  
• CMST 226  
• English 122 | 2       | 15    |
| 2    | • Advanced Standing Credit for PN Education  
• NURS 2720: Transition to the Role of the Professional Nurse (3 theory/1 lab)  
• NURS 2750: Nutrition and the Role of the Professional Nurse  
• Biology 211 | 5 AS  
4 N  
2 N  
4 | 5 AS  
6 N  
4 | • NURS 2820: Pharmacology and the Role of the Professional Nurse  
• NURS 2850: Applied Pathophysiology for Nursing I  
• NURS 2800: Chronic & Palliative Care (3 theory/3 clinical/1 lab)  
• Biology 215 | 3 N  
2 N  
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| 3    | • NURS 2900: Acute & Complex Care (3 theory/3 clinical/1 lab)  
• NURS 2920: Applied Pathophysiology for Nursing II  
• NURS 2950: Nursing Leadership I (2 theory/1 clinical)  
• Phil 102  
BENCHMARK – eligible for NCLEX-RN/ licensure | 7 N  
2 N  
3 N  
3 | 12N  
3 | • NURS 406 Family Health Nursing (3 theory/1 clinical)  
• NURS 416 Epidemiology for Nursing  
• General Education – Statistics (can be lower division)  
• General Education – Writing in your Major (this is required upper division, and has to be taken at Metro) | 4 N  
3 N  
4  
4 | 7N  
8 |
| 4    | • NURS 459 Population Based Care (5 theory/2 clinical)  
• NURS 464 Nursing Leadership II (4 theory)  
• NURS 446 Nursing Informatics  
• General Education – upper division liberal arts elective | 7 N  
4 N  
2 N  
3 | 13N  
3 | • NURS 490 Integrative Seminar & Practicum (4 theory/3 clinical)  
• NURS 485 Global Health Perspectives for Nursing  
• General Education – upper division liberal arts elective | 7 N  
3 N  
4 | 10N  
4 |

AS = Advanced Standing Credit for LPNs.

**Pre-requisite and Co-requisite Coursework**

- **Co-requisite courses are highlighted in purple.**
- **All nursing courses in each semester must be successfully completed to progress to the next semester.**
- **General education courses can be taken earlier but not later than the identified semester.**
- **General education – Writing in your Major: Unless the student has a previous baccalaureate degree or has 2 lower division writing courses that meet the pre-requisite requirement, NURS 2950 is the pre-requisite for this course.**

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Precept: 65 nursing; 55 pre-requisites/general education = 120 total  
16 clinical credits currently, national average is 13-14 credits.

Reference: [http://www.mntransfer.org/students/plan/s_mntc.php](http://www.mntransfer.org/students/plan/s_mntc.php)