

NURSING PROGRAM/ABSN PREREQUISITES

ORANGE COAST COLLEGE

2024-2025

This is a list of courses approved to satisfy Concordia University's ABSN prerequisite requirements. **Taking prerequisites does not guarantee acceptance into the program** (refer to the website for [Admission Requirements](#)). With the exception of NTHL 101 and NTHL 202, students may transfer all required prerequisite units from any regionally accredited institution*. All science classes must also include a laboratory portion and be completed within 5 years of intended admission term.

NOTE: These courses are approved for Concordia University's NURSING PROGRAM/ABSN prerequisites ONLY. For TRADITIONAL UNDERGRADUATE degree requirements, please refer to the General Education and the specific major Articulation Agreements to view which courses will satisfy your requirements.

CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY IRVINE	ORANGE COAST COLLEGE
Chemistry ** (with lab)	CHEM A110 Introduction to Chemistry (PREFERRED) or CHEM A180 General Chemistry A or CHEM A185 General Chemistry B or CHEM A220 Organic Chemistry A AND CHEM A220L Organic Chemistry A Lab or CHEM A225 Organic Chemistry B AND CHEM A225L Organic Chemistry B Lab
Human Anatomy** (with lab)	BIOL A220 Human Anatomy
Human Physiology** (with lab)	BIOL A225 Human Physiology
Microbiology** (with lab)	BIOL A210 General Microbiology
Human Nutrition#	FN A170 Nutrition
Statistics - Mathematics	MATH A160 Introduction to Statistics or PSY A160 Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences
General Psychology	PSY A100 Introduction to Psychology or PSY A100H Introduction to Psychology Honors
Lifespan Developmental Psychology (birth to death)	PSY A130 Life Span Developmental Psychology
Oral Communication++	CMST A100 Interpersonal Communication or CMST A110 Public Speaking
Written Communication	ENGL A100 Freshman Composition or ENGL A101 Critical Reasoning: Fiction or ENGL A101H Critical Reasoning: Fiction Honors or ENGL A102 Critical Reasoning: Nonfiction or ENGL A102H Critical Reasoning: NonFiction Honors
Introduction to Sociology or Cultural Anthropology	SOC A100 Introduction to Sociology or SOC A100H Introduction to Sociology Honors or ANTH A100 Cultural Anthropology or ANTH A100H Cultural Anthropology Honors
NTHL 101: Foundations of Christian Theology+	Must be completed at CUI
NTHL 202: New Testament+	Must be completed at CUI

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* Coursework will be evaluated for transferability at the time of application.

** Must be completed within 5 years of intended admission term.

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+ Must be completed at CUI **after** acceptance to the ABSN program. Offered 100% online.

++Small Group Communication is not an approved course for Oral Communication.

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