Associate of Applied Science in Nursing

Program Student Learning Outcomes

Students graduating with an Associate of Applied Science in Nursing will be able to:

• Utilize critical thinking skills to assess and diagnose nursing needs and to prioritize, plan, implement, and evaluate care for patients and their families in institutional and community based settings.
• Effectively communicate verbally, in writing and electronically with health team members, patients and their families.
• Plan, implement and evaluate care that is safe, evidence-based, caring, and developmentally and culturally sensitive within ethical, legal and professional standards.
• Coordinate care of small groups of patients in collaboration with other members of the health care team.
• Develop a plan for lifelong learning and continuing professional development.