

Course Content

FIRST YEAR		ECTS	Types
1 st semester	Structure And Function of The Human Body	12	CM
	Biology	6	CM
	Psychology I	6	CM
	Anthropology	6	CM
2 nd semester	Theoretical And Methodological Foundations of Nursing	6	OB
	Structure And Function of The Human Body II	6	CM
	Psychology II	6	CM
	Statistics And Information Systems	6	CM
	Biochemistry	6	CM

SECOND YEAR		ECTS	Types
1 st semester	Introduction to Clinical Nursing	6	OB
	Disease Prevention and Control	6	OB
	Social Doctrines of the Church	6	OB
	Clinical Nursing I	6	OB
	Clinical Practices I	6	PR
2 nd semester	Clinical Pharmacology	6	OB
	Health Legislation, management and nursing administration	5	OB
	Clinical Nursing II	6	OB
	Public Health and Community Nursing I	5	OB
	Clinical Practices II	8	PR

THIRD YEAR		ECTS	Types
1 st semester	Critical Patient care and Intensive Care	6	CM
	Life Cycle I	4	OB
	Clinical Practices III	6	OB
	Specialist Care I	6	OB
	Clinical Nursing III	8	PR
2 nd semester	*Extra Options	6	OP
	Life Cycle II	4	OB
	Public Health and Community Nursing II	5	OB
	Life Cycle III	4	OB
	Specialist Care II	3	OB
	Clinical Practices IV	8	PR

FOURTH YEAR		ECTS	Types
1 st semester	Specialist Care Practices I	27	PR
	Research into Nursing Practices for Instrumental Sciences	3	FYP
2 nd semester	Specialist Care Practices II	8	PR
	Primary Care Practices	15	PR
	Final Year Project	7	FYP
	TOTAL	240	

CM Core Modules | OB Obligatory | OP Optional | PR Practical | FYP Final Year Project

Nursing



Level: Diploma
Years: 4
ECTS: 240
Location: Valencia Campus
Taught in: English and Spanish

What will you learn?

Our Nursing course will help you become a health professional who understands how to prevent, develop and promote good hygiene, to care for patients, as well as how to carry out prescribed rehabilitation programs. You will learn everything you need to be able to work in a hospital or health centre and you will also be able to specialise in an area of your choice, for example in gynaecology (midwifery), paediatrics, family and community care, mental health, occupational therapy or geriatrics.



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What makes us different

- **Certificate in Nursing Care and Communication skills** (Certificado en Competencias Comunicativas y Asistenciales para Enfermería, CCAE): Experts say that the ability to communicate and maintain good relationships with patients is key to achieving in the Nursing profession. Through our course, you will develop these skills and they will also be recognised through our CCAE qualification. More details about how we incorporate the qualification into the Nursing course:
 - o The practicals of the Psychology II unit are done in a unique and different way.
 - o There is a greater focus on the value of care skills in our third year course Specialist Care II
 - o We offer more than just one complementary seminar on care and communication skills involving role playing with an audio-visual platform.
 - o After passing all of the above you will gain your Competencias Comunicativas y Asistenciales Certificate in Nursing. This is just one way in which you will improve your employability and enhance your degree. And of course the training comes at no additional cost.
- **The International nature of our Nursing course:** The number of students doing work placements abroad is constantly increasing, for example in the UK, Germany and other central European countries. How will we prepare you for studying abroad? This is what we offer:
 - o Free English classes for students of all years
 - o Free specialist online English classes for nurses, for third years and above
 - o The opportunity to carry out work placements abroad

These are our four doors to employability. Now it's time to open them.

Our teachers are professionals

We understand that in order to become an excellent nurse you need to have the best professionals around you. All of our teachers stand out as active professionals as well as teachers, and we also have visiting professionals who work in hospitals and medical centres that will be able to help you understand what you could be doing on a daily basis. You will improve by having the best people around you.

Our practical lessons

Practical training rooms will allow you to carry out advanced simulations and allow us to assess the procedures students are doing. Our ultra-modern clinical simulator is able to recreate complicated clinical situations, with sounds and breathing movements responding to the different procedures, whilst keeping a detailed record of student results. Practical work is done in small groups so that students can have close contact with teachers.

Our four doors to employability

We are passionate about giving students all the tools and facilities they need to prepare themselves for the working world. Our following four doors to employability will help you have everything you need to find a job after graduating:

- **Intensive EIR Preparation Program:** In 4th year you will have the chance to participate in our program which will help you prepare for your Nursing Residency (EIR- Enfermero Interno Residente). In this way, whilst finishing your degree you will be able to start training in preparation for finding a job in the public health service. Your voluntary involvement in this program will enhance your degree and there will be no additional cost.
- **Your degree will be focused around practicals:** You will start learning how to practically apply your knowledge from your first term at university. The 'know how' you will develop from first year will put you in a better position when starting external work placements.

Work Placements and International Opportunities

From your second year you will be in touch with the real world of nursing through doing external work placements in our partner health centres.

As well as doing placements as part of your studies here, you will also have the opportunity to carry out voluntary work placements in Spain or other countries, such as the UK, Germany, Ireland and others.

You will also be able to complete part of your degree in another university with the Erasmus and SÉNECA programs. With Erasmus, you will be able to study at another European university for a semester. We have agreements with universities in Belgium (Haute Ecole Leonardo da Vinci), in Portugal (Universidades Atlantica) and in Sweden (Mid. Sweden University).

With the Seneca program, it is possible to study at another Spanish university for an entire year (Universities in Madrid or Andalusia).

Each year, the Faculty of Health Sciences organises an International Student Conference where students of the faculty can share their own experiences.